

respect to the staff allegations cited herein, (3) to judicial review or other challenge or contest of the validity of the Commission's Order, (4) to a determination by the Commission as to whether a violation of section 15(b) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064(b), has occurred, and (5) to a statement of findings of fact and conclusions of law with regard to the staff allegations.

18. The Commission has not, and does not, by virtue of this Settlement Agreement and Order, make any determination that the Spacemaker Toaster Type 1 contains a defect which creates or could create a substantial product hazard or creates an unreasonable risk of serious injury or death; or that Black & Decker knowingly violated the reporting provisions of section 15(b) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064(b) or 16 CFR part 1115.

19. Upon provisional acceptance of this Settlement Agreement and Order by the Commission, this Settlement Agreement and Order shall be placed on the public record and shall be published in the **Federal Register** in accordance with 16 CFR 1118.20.

20. The Settlement Agreement and Order becomes effective upon final acceptance by the Commission and its service upon Black & Decker. Black & Decker shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of five hundred seventy-five thousand and no/dollars (\$575,000.00) within 10 calendar days of receiving service of such final Settlement Agreement and order.

21. for purposes of section 6(b) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2055(b), upon final acceptance by the commission, this matter shall be treated as if a Complaint had issued, and the Commission may publicize the terms of the Settlement Agreement and Order.

22. Black & Decker agrees to entry of the attached Order, which is incorporated herein by reference, and agrees to be bound by its terms.

23. This Settlement Agreement is binding upon Black & Decker and the assigns or successors of Black & Decker.

24. Agreements, understandings, representations, or interpretations made outside this Settlement Agreement and Order may not be used to vary or to contradict its terms.

Dated: October 27, 1999.

Black & Decker (U.S.), Inc.
James R. O'Brien,
Product Liability Counsel.

Dated: November 19, 1999.

Consumer Product Safety Commission.

Alan H. Schoem,

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Order

Upon consideration of the Settlement Agreement entered into between Black & Decker (U.S.), Inc., a corporation, and the staff of the consumer Product Safety Commission; and the Commission having jurisdiction over the subject matter and Black & Decker (U.S.), Inc., and it appearing that the Settlement Agreement and Order is in the public interest, it is

Ordered, that the Settlement Agreement be, and hereby is, accepted; and it is

Further ordered, that, upon final acceptance of the Settlement Agreement and Order, Black & Decker (U.S.), Inc. shall pay the commission a civil penalty in the amount of FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND AND no/ 100 dollars, (\$575,000.00) within ten (10) calendar days after service of this Final Order upon the Black & Decker (U.S.), Inc.

Provisionally accepted and Provisional Order issued on the 23rd day of November 1999.

By Order of the Commission.

Sadye E. Dunn,

Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education.

SUMMARY: The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer invites comments on the submission for OMB review as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before December 29, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Danny Werfel, Desk Officer,

Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503 or should be electronically mailed to the internet address DWERFEL@OMB.EOP.GOV.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g. new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment.

Dated: November 22, 1999.

William E. Burrow,

Leader, Information Management Group,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.

Office of Student Financial Assistance Programs

Type of Review: Extension.

Title: Guaranty Agency Quarterly/Annual Report.

Frequency: Monthly.

Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions; State; local or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden: Responses: 36.

Burden Hours: 9,000.

Abstract: The Guaranty Agency Quarterly/Annual Report is submitted by 36 agencies operating a student loan insurance program under agreement with the Department of Education. These reports are used to evaluate agency operations, make payments to agencies as authorized by law, and to make reports to Congress. Form 1130 has been significantly altered due to the results of Congressional Reauthorization.

Requests for copies of the proposed information collection request should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651, or should be electronically mailed to the internet address OCIO_IMG_Issues@ed.gov, or should be faxed to 202-708-9346.

Written comments or questions regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements should be directed to Jacqueline Montague at 202-708-5359 or by e-mail at jackie__montague@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339.

Office of Student Financial Assistance Programs

Type of Review: New.

Title: Guaranty Agency Financial Report.

Frequency: Monthly.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit; State; local or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden: Responses: 36.

Burden Hours: 33,660.

Abstract: The Guaranty Agency Financial Report will be used to request payments from and make payments to the Department of Education under the Federal Family Education Loan (FFEL) program authorized by Title IV, Part B of the Higher Education Act (HEA) of 1965, as amended. The report will also be used to monitor the agency's financial activities, including activities concerning its federal fund; operating fund and the agency's restricted account. Recent negotiated rulemaking sessions had a major impact on the development of this form because of significant changes to guaranty agency reporting requirements, and reporting on two new funds, the Federal Fund and Operating Fund. Guaranty agency representatives spent three full days in Washington, DC working with ED on the development of this form 2000.

Requests for copies of the proposed information collection request should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651, or should be electronically mailed to the internet address OCIO_IMG_Issues@ed.gov, or should be faxed to 202-708-9346.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Federal Interagency Coordinating Council Meeting (FICC)

AGENCY: Federal Interagency Coordinating Council, Education.

ACTION: Notice of a Public Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice describes the schedule and agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the Federal Interagency Coordinating Council, and invites people to participate. Notice of this meeting is required under section 685(c) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and is intended to notify the general public of their opportunity to attend the meeting. The meeting will be accessible to individuals with disabilities. The FICC will attend to ongoing work including reports from committees and task forces. A delegation of Canadian policy makers will attend the meetings and participate in a policy exchange. A Policy Forum on Service Coordination, sponsored by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), will be held on Thursday morning from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon. An agenda is included in the packet and the meeting is open to the public. The Department of Defense/Education Task Force will meet Tuesday afternoon, November 30 from 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. The monitoring task force will meet on Wednesday morning, December 1, 1999 from 9 a.m.-12 noon. Committee meetings will be held from 12 noon-2 p.m. and a Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) Listening Session will be held from 2 p.m.-5 p.m. on Wednesday, December 1.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, December 2, 1999 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: U.S. Dept. of Education, Barnard Auditorium, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202, near the Federal Center Southwest and L'Enfant metro stops.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Libby Doggett or Kim Lawrence, U.S. Department of Education, 330 C Street, SW, Room 3080, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2644. Telephone: (202) 205-5507. Individuals who use a telecommunications device

for the deaf (TDD) may call (202) 205-9754.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Interagency Coordinating Council (FICC) is established under section 685(c) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1484a). The Council is established to: (1) minimize duplication across Federal, State and local agencies of programs and activities relating to early intervention in services for infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families and preschool services for children with disabilities; (2) ensure effective coordination of Federal early intervention and preschool programs, including Federal technical assistance and support activities; and (3) identify gaps in Federal agency programs and services and barriers to Federal interagency cooperation. To meet these purposes, the FICC seeks to: (1) identify areas of conflict, overlap, and omissions in interagency policies related to the provision of services to infants, toddlers, and preschoolers with disabilities; (2) develop and implement joint policy interpretations on issues related to infants, toddlers, and preschoolers that cut across Federal agencies, including modifications of regulations to eliminate barriers to interagency programs and activities; and (3) coordinate the provision of technical assistance and dissemination of best practice information. The FICC is chaired by the Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services.

The meeting of the FICC is open to the public and will be physically accessible. Anyone requiring accommodations such as an interpreter, materials in Braille, large print, or cassette please call Kim Lawrence at (202) 205-5507 (voice) or (202) 205-9754 (TDD) ten days in advance of the meeting.

Summary minutes of the FICC meetings will be maintained and available for public inspection at the U.S. Department of Education, 330 C Street, SW, Room 3080, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2644, from the hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., weekdays, except Federal Holidays.

Judith E. Heumann,

Assistant Secretary for Special Education and Rehabilitative Services.

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