

whether all practicable means to avoid or minimize environmental harm from the alternative selected have been adopted.

In March 1996, NOAA published a programmatic environmental impact statement (PEIS) that assessed the environmental impacts associated with the approval of state and territory coastal nonpoint programs. The PEIS forms the basis for the environmental assessments NOAA has prepared for each state and territorial coastal nonpoint program submitted to NOAA and EPA for approval. In the PEIS, NOAA determined that the approval and conditional approval of coastal nonpoint programs will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts and that these actions will have an overall beneficial effect on the environment. Because the PEIS served only as a "framework for decision" on individual state and territorial coastal nonpoint programs, and no actual decision was made following its publication, NOAA has prepared a NEPA Record of Decision on each individual state and territorial program submitted for review.

Copies of the Findings Documents, Responses to Comments, and Records of Decision may be obtained upon request from: Joseph A. Uravitch, Chief, Coastal Programs Division (N/ORM3), Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS, NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910, tel. (301) 713-3155, x195.

(Federal Domestic Assistance Catalog 11.419 Coastal Zone Management Program Administration)

Dated: March 4, 1998.

Nancy Foster,

Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Robert H. Wayland, III,

Director, Office of Wetlands, Oceans and Watersheds, Environmental Protection Agency.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 030498A]

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council's (Council) Scientific and Statistical Committee will hold a public meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 25, 1998, from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Days Inn, 4101 Island Avenue, Philadelphia, PA; telephone: 215-492-0400.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19904; telephone: 302-674-2331.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David R. Keifer, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: 302-674-2331.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the bluefish stock assessment and make recommendations on the status of the bluefish stocks.

The agenda items may not be taken in the order in which they appear and are subject to change as necessary; other items may be added. This meeting may also be closed at any time to discuss employment or other internal administrative matters.

Although other issues not contained in this agenda may come before this Committee for discussion, in accordance with the Magnuson Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, those issues may not be the subject of formal Committee action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in the agenda listed in this notice.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Joanna Davis at the Council (see **ADDRESSES**) at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: March 4, 1998.

Bruce C. Morehead,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Announcement of Import Restraint Limits for Certain Cotton, Wool, Man-Made Fiber, Silk Blend and Other Vegetable Fiber Textiles and Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in the Republic of Korea; Correction

March 4, 1998.

On page 67834 of the document published in the **Federal Register** on December 30, 1997 (62 FR 67833), 3rd column, 1st paragraph, delete the following phrase "for products exported in 1997."

Troy H. Cribb,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[CPSC Docket No. 98-2]

Central Sprinkler Corporation and Central Sprinkler Co., Complaint

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Publication of a complaint under the Consumer Product Safety Act.

SUMMARY: Under Provisions of its Rules of Practice for Adjudicative proceedings (16 CFR Part 1025), the Consumer Product Safety Commission must publish in the **Federal Register** Complaints which it issues. Published below is a Complaint in the matter of Central Sprinkler Corporation and Central Sprinkler Company.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The text of the Complaint appears below.

Dated: March 4, 1998.

Sadye E. Dunn,

Secretary.

Complaint

In the Matter of: Central Sprinkler Corp., a Corporation, 451 North Cannon Avenue Lansdale, PA 19446 and Central Sprinkler Co., a Corporation, 451 North Cannon Avenue Lansdale, PA 19446, Respondents.

Nature of Proceedings

1. This is an administrative proceeding pursuant to Section 15 of the Consumer Product Safety Act (CPSA), 15 U.S.C. 2064, for public notification and remedial action to protect the public from substantial risk of injury presented by a brand of automatic fire sprinklers. This proceeding is governed by the Rules of Practice for Adjudicative

Proceedings before the Consumer Product Safety Commission, 16 CFR Part 1025.

Jurisdiction

2. This proceeding is instituted pursuant to the authority contained in sections 15(c), (d), and (f) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064 (c), (d), and (f).

Parties

3. Complaint Counsel is the staff of the Legal Division of the Office of Compliance of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, an independent regulatory commission established by Section 4 of the CPSA. 15 U.S.C. 2053.

4. Respondents Central Sprinkler Corporation and Central Sprinkler Company ("the Central entities") are Pennsylvania corporations with their principal place of business located at 451 North Cannon Avenue, Lansdale, Pennsylvania 19446.

5. The Central entities are "manufacturers" of consumer products distributed in commerce pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 2052(a)(4).

The Consumer Product

6. The "Omega" series automatic fire sprinklers ("Omega" or "Omegas") is a line of automatic fire sprinklers manufactured by the Central entities and designed to suppress and/or extinguish fire. Omegas are installed in homes, apartment buildings, schools, nursing homes, and athletic facilities, among other places. Omegas are "consumer products" under 15 U.S.C. 2052(a)(1). There are various Omega models, including, but not limited to: C-1; C-1A; C-1A PRO; C-1A PRO ID; ED-20; EC-20A; EC-20 AID; HEC-12; HEC-12 ID; HEC-12 PRO; HEC-12A PRO; HEC-12 RES; HEC-20; HEC-20 ID; R-1; R-1A; R-1M; AC; M; and Flow Control. Approximately ten million Omegas, which Respondents have produced and sold since approximately 1982, are in service in the United States.

Defect or Defects

7. Paragraphs 1 through 6 are incorporated as though set forth in full text.

8. Omegas are designed to perform in accordance with Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.'s Standard for Safety UL 199 ("Standard for Automatic Sprinklers for Fire Protection Service"), and National Fire Protection Association ("NEPA") Standard 13, when exposed to certain temperatures.

9. At the Omega's triggering temperature, a fusible pellet is supposed to melt, causing a plunger to release, which in turn frees several ball bearings

from a retaining groove. With the aid of two springs, the plunger housing is then supposed to release. When the Omega is connected to a sprinkler system, water is then supposed to be released in a particular spray pattern. The plunger housing is sealed with an o-ring.

10. Omegas do not and will not function in a significant percentage of instances. Because of this failure to operate, Omegas are defective pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 2064(a)(2) and 16 CFR 1115.4.

Substantial Risk of Injury

11. Paragraphs 1 through 10 are incorporated as though set forth in full text.

12. When the Omega fails to activate when exposed to heat from a fire, the sprinkler fails to suppress or extinguish the fire.

13. Failure of the Omega to function exposes the public to bodily injury and/or death.

14. All of the approximately 10 million Omegas, manufactured from 1982 through the present and sold to, used or enjoyed by the public, could fail to function as the result of the defect referenced above. Omegas are likely to fail in fire situations, and members of the public may suffer bodily injury and/or death as a result.

15. The defect or defects in the Omegas create a substantial risk of injury to the public within the meaning of section 15(a)(2) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064(a)(2).

16. Omegas present a substantial product hazard as described in sections 15(a)(2), (c) and (d) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064(a)(2), (c) and (d), and action under these provisions in the public interest.

Relief Sought

Wherefore, in the public interest, Complaint Counsel requests that the Commission:

A. Determine that Respondents' Omega presents a "substantial product hazard" within the meaning of section 15 of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064.

B. Determine that public notification under section 15(c) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064(c), is required in order to adequately protect the public from the substantial product hazard presented by Omegas, and order Respondents to:

(1) Give prompt public notice of the defect in the Omegas, the severe risk of injury they pose to the public, and the available remedies to remove the risk of injury;

(2) Mail notice to each person who is or has been a manufacturer, distributor or retailer of the Omega;

(3) Mail notice to every person to whom Respondents know the Omega was delivered or sold; and

(4) Include in the notice required by (1), (2) and (3) above a complete description of the hazard presented, a warning to have Omegas replaced immediately, and clear instructions for having Omegas replaced by Respondents. The form and content of the notice will be specified by the Commission.

C. Determine that action under section 15(d) of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2064(d) is in the public interest and order Respondents to:

(1) Cease immediately manufacturing for sale, offering for sale, and distributing in commerce Omega series fire sprinklers;

(2) Cease requiring "performance" testing of Omegas by all building owners as any pre-condition to remedial action;

(3) Elect to repair all Omegas so they will perform properly; to replace all Omegas with a like or equivalent product which performs properly; or to refund to consumers the purchase price of the Omegas;

(4) Make no charge to consumers and to reimburse them for any foreseeable expenses incurred in availing themselves of any remedy provided under any order issued in this matter;

(5) Reimburse distributors and sprinkler contractors for expenses in connection with carrying out any Commission Order issued in this matter, including the costs of removal and replacement;

(6) Submit a plan satisfactory to the Commission, within ten (10) days of service of the final Order, directing that actions specified in paragraphs B(1) through B(4) and C(1) through C(5) above be taken in a timely manner;

(7) Keep records of all actions taken to comply with paragraphs C(1) through C(6), above; and supply these records to the Commission, at the Commission's request, for a period of three (3) years after entry of a Final Order issued by the Commission requiring notice and remedial action, for the purpose of monitoring compliance with the Final Order;

(8) Notify the Commission at least 60 days prior to any change in its business (such as incorporation, dissolution, assignment, sale, or petition for bankruptcy) that results in, or is intended to result in, the emergence of successor ownership, the creation or dissolution of subsidiaries, going out of business, or any other change that might affect its financial or operational ability to comply with the final Order and the

corrective action plan submitted and approved pursuant to the Order; and

(9) Take such other and further actions as the Commission deems necessary to protect the public health and safety and to comply with the CPSA.

Dated: March 3, 1998.

Issued by Order of the Commission.

Alan H. Schoem,

Assistant Executive Director, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, Office of Compliance, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland 20814, 301-504-0621.

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DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY BOARD

Sunshine Act Meeting

Pursuant to the provision of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board's (Board) meeting described below.

TIME AND DATE OF MEETING: 9:00 a.m., March 24, 1998.

PLACE: The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, Public Hearing Room, 625 Indiana Avenue, NW, Suite 300, Washington, DC 20004.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board will convene the sixth quarterly briefing regarding the status of progress of the activities associated with the DOE's Implementation Plan for the Board's Recommendation 95-2, Integrated Safety Management.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Robert M. Andersen, General Counsel, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, 625 Indiana Avenue, NW, Suite 700, Washington, DC 20004, (800) 788-4016. This is a toll-free number.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board reserves its right to further schedule and otherwise regulate the course of this meeting, to recess, reconvene, postpone or adjourn the meeting, and otherwise exercise its authority under the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended.

Dated: March 5, 1998.

John T. Conway,
Chairman.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Submission for OMB review; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer, 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 April 9, 1998.

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. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

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 Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, publishes this 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 at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: March 4, 1998.

Linda C. Tague,

Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education

Type of Review: New.

Title: Alcohol, Other Drug and Violence Prevention Survey of American College Campuses.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions.

Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 360.

Burden Hours: 90.

Abstract: The Department of Education requires a formal assessment of institutions of higher education, be conducted by its contractor of The Higher Education Center for Alcohol and Other Drug Prevention, to determine the status of alcohol and other drug prevention and violence prevention efforts and emerging needs of American college campuses.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Paducah; Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting:

NAME: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EMSSAB), Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, March 19, 1998 5:00 p.m.—10:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Executive Inn, Van Buren Room, 1 Executive Boulevard, Paducah, Kentucky.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Carlos Alvarado, Site-Specific Advisory Board Coordinator, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, (502) 441-6804.