

U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION 4330 EAST WEST HIGHWAY BETHESDA, MARYLAND 20814-4408

Record of Commission Action Commissioners Voting by Ballot*

Commissioners Voting: Chairman Hal Stratton

Commissioner Nancy A. Nord Commissioner Thomas H. Moore

ITEM:

Petition HP 05-1, Requesting Exemption from "infant pillow" Ban under 16 C.F.R. § 1500.18(a)(16) (Briefing Package dated June 29, 2006)

DECISION:

The Commission voted unanimously (3-0) to grant Petition HP 05-1, and direct the staff to draft an advanced notice of proposed rulemaking (ANPR). Petition No. HP 05-1, from Boston Billows, Inc., requests that the Commission amend 16 C.F.R. § 1500.18(a)(16)(i)(A)-(E), banning any article known as an "infant cushion" or "infant pillow." The petitioner requests an exception to the ban on infant pillows to permit the use of such pillows if they are designed, intended and promoted for nursing and when such pillows are requested by a Pediatrician or a Board Certified Lactation Consultant.

For the Commission:

Todd A. Stevenson

Secretary

^{*} Ballot vote due July 13, 2006