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LOG OF MEETING**

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**SUBJECT: Requirements in UL standard for deep-fat fryers**

**DATE OF MEETING: March 20, 2001**

**LOG ENTRY SOURCE: William H. King, Jr., ES** *WHK*

**DATE OF LOG ENTRY: March 21, 2001**

**LOCATION: 1819 L Street, N.W., Washington, DC**

**CPSC ATTENDEE(S):**

**Hugh McLaurin, Engineering Sciences**

**William H. King, Jr., Engineering Sciences**

**NON-CPSC ATTENDEE(S):**

**John Smith, Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL)**

**Robert DellaValle, UL**

**John Verscaj, UL**

**Gordon Gillerman, UL**

**James Beyreis, UL**

**Stan Rosenzweig, The Holmes Group**

**Steven Dinowitz, UL**

**L. D. Johnson, National Presto Industries Inc.**

**James McKusker, DeLonghi America Inc.**

**Wayne Morris, Assoc. of Home Appliance Mfrs.**

**and representatives from applica Consumer Products Inc., Salton/Maxim  
Housewares Inc., T-Fal Corp, Sunbeam Household Products, Moulinex S A,  
Philips Electronics, and West Bend Co.**

**SUMMARY OF MEETING:** Messrs. McLaurin and King were invited to attend the UL Industry Advisory Conference meeting where discussion took place with regard to the new UL requirements for deep fat fryers.

The following topics were discussed at the meeting:

- the status of UL's file review program for deep fat fryers, cooker/fryers and fondues. Effective Date: May 30, 2001.

- input relative to "related risks" associated with the new requirement for detachable cords. This included potential mouth burns to children. UL indicated that they examine product submittals with this in mind, and will address the possibility of additional requirements if warranted.

- magnetic coupling technology to other counter top cooking appliances. UL indicated that they have no current plans in this regard.

UL summarized that the May 30, 2001 effective date is firm.