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MEETING LOG
DIRECTORATE FOR ENGINEERING SCIENCES

SUBJECT: Discussion of Possible Technological Solution to
the Water Heater Flammable Vapor Ignition Issue

PLACE: American Water Heater Company, 1100 Fairview Ave,
Johnson City, TN.

MEETING DATE: December 20, 2000

LOG ENTRY SOURCE: Donald W. Switzer *DWS*

ENTRY DATE: February 5, 2001
COMMISSION ATTENDEES:

Donald W. Switzer ES

NON-COMMISSION ATTENDEES:

Tim Shellenberger American Water Heater Company
James York American Water Heater Company
Robert Trudeau American Water Heater Company

MEETING SUMMARY

CPSC staff requested this meeting to discuss the status of efforts by American Water Heater Company to develop technological solutions to the hazard posed by gas-fired water heaters igniting flammable vapors in the home. The meeting was closed to the public because the material discussed was confidential.

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