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LOG OF MEETING
DIRECTORATE FOR ENGINEERING SCIENCES

SUBJECT: Meeting of ASTM Subcommittee F08.52 on Playing Surfaces and Facilities

DATE OF MEETING: December 8, 1994 **PLACE:** Phoenix, AZ

LOG ENTRY SOURCE: Scott Heh, ESME *SH*

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COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Scott Heh, ESME *SH*

NON-COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Available upon receipt of meeting minutes.

SUMMARY OF MEETING

Due to simultaneous scheduling of playground surfacing and headgear task group meetings, I was not able to attend the playground surfacing task group meeting. I did attend the full F08.52 Subcommittee meeting on Playing Surfaces and Facilities. The following summarizes the Playground Surfacing Task Group report at the full subcommittee meeting.

The latest revision of the playground surfacing standard ASTM F 1292 is headed to Society ballot. This revision includes a refinement of the test procedure to include impact tests on seams, anchors, etc. that may not exhibit ideal impact attenuation characteristics.

The task group is continuing to work on a provisional standard on playground surfacing accessibility for disabled persons. Some members of the task group are funding independent testing to support the development of test procedures and criteria in areas such as wheelchair rolling resistance and maneuverability.

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