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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20207

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RE: FOIA Request S-2004120102; subject: Asbestos in Hair Dryers

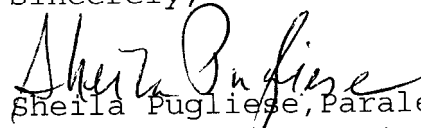
Dear Mr. Castleman

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request seeking information from the Consumer Product Safety Commission (Commission). The records from the Commission files responsive to your request have been processed and copies of the releasable responsive records are enclosed.

Enclosed are copies of the Commission's index on Asbestos.

This completes the processing of your request. The cost to the Commission to perform the searches and prepare this information was \$50.00. In this instance, we have decided to waive the charges. Thank you for your interest in consumer product safety. Should you have any questions, contact us by letter, facsimile (301) 504-0127 or telephone (301) 504-7923.

Sincerely,


Sheila Pugliese, Paralegal
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Enclosure



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***INDEX OF DOCUMENTS REVIEWED BY THE COMMISSION
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A copy of this index pertaining to the matter about which you inquired is being provided to assist you in describing the specific documents of interest. Should you wish to request copies of any of the documents on the index, submit a new request and **RETURN** a copy of the index with the requested documents marked or circled.

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"	Minutes of Commission Meeting direct- ing staff to issue a safty alert; to inform by mail firms distribut- ing asbestos-containing consumer products that the labeling require- ments of FHSA section 2(p) apply, and to draft an enforcement policy making the same notification to the public; and further directed staff to draft for Commission approval a letter to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), expressing the Commission's concerns about asbestos in consumer products, urging EPA to move forward with its proposed ban of asbestos products, and inform- ing EPA of the Commission's actions; 2 pages - 6/26/86			
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"	Briefing package of material submitted to the Commission re: Asbestos in consumer products: Options (consist- ing of: OPM memorandum of May 7, 1986, with Tabs A-G; OEX memorandum of May 7, 1986; OGC memoranda of May 7, 1986); 165 pages - 5/7/86 Tab A - Chronology of Commission Actions Tab B - HS memorandum, March 28, 1986 HS memorandum re: Update on the health effects of asbestos exposure since the 1983 CHAP report, Aug. 1, 1985 Tab C - HS memorandum re: Report on the results of the asbestos product fiber release testing, Oct. 18, 1985			

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"	Briefing package of material submitted to the Commission re: Staff review of comments on advance notice of proposed rulemaking on asbestos (consist- ing of: HS memorandum of Sept. 16, 1980, with Tabs A-D; OGC memorandum of Sept. 30, 1980); 113 pages- 9/30/80 Tab A - OS memorandum, Feb. 20, 1980 Tab B - HICP memorandum, June 18, 1980 Tab C - ESEE memorandum, May 1, 1980 Tab D - ESHL memorandum, Aug. 8, 1980			
"	Memoranda from OGC to the Commission re: Revised asbestos general order with Tabs A-D, and seven (7) comments from various companies and associa- tions received by the General Accounting Office; 197 pages - 10/30/80 Tab A - Revised general order Tab B - CPSC's response to seven (7) comments from various companies and associations, Oct. 9, 1980 Tab C - Letter from GAO, Oct. 28, 1980 Tab D - Letter to various companies requesting delay issuance of the asbestos general order until the Commission adopts regulations under section 6, CPSA, Oct. 15, 1980			

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Brief.pkg	Memoranda from OGC to the Commission re: Requests for extension of comment deadlines on asbestos ANPR, with copies of letters from Kirland & Ellis on behalf of the Asbestos Information Association/North America, Johns-Manville Corp., General Electric, Armstrong Cork Co., and Sears, Roebuck & Co., with vote sheets; 21 pages - 12/7/79			
"	Minutes of Commission Meeting approving draft notice extending for 60 days, until Feb. 8, 1980 the comment period of CPSC's advanced notice of proposed rulemaking on consumer products containing asbestos; 2 pages - 12/11/79			

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"	Copy of memorandum from OBPPE to the Commission re: Implementation of recommendations contained in the review of Commission Action on asbestos in hair dryers; 4 pages - 8/30/79			
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U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION & GAF CORPORATION

The staff of the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission has informed GAF Corporation, 140 West 51st Street, New York, New York, of certain hazards it believes are associated with asbestos paper products that are sold to the consumer market and has asked GAF voluntarily to halt the distribution of asbestos paper products to this market, to urge its customers to halt the distribution of asbestos paper for this use, and to give notice of the hazard.

Although GAF has agreed to cooperate with the Commission, its actions. and this agreement shall not constitute an admission by the Company that asbestos paper products sold by GAF are a health hazard.

GAF manufactures and sells a starch-bonded asbestos paper to manufacturers and independent distributors who cut and repackage the product and resell it through hardware stores and other outlets for consumer use.

Representatives of the Commission's staff and of GAF have met and have agreed to the following terms:

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1. GAF Corporation will discontinue the sale of asbestos paper products for sale or repackaging for sale to consumers either directly or indirectly, or to contractors for installations in residences.

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