

Agenda

Monday, October 26

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Committee deliberations
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Adjourn

Tuesday, October 27

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Larry Irving,

Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Patent and Trademark Office****Performance Review Board**

AGENCY: Patent and Trademark Office, Commerce.

ACTION: Announcement of membership of the Patent and Trademark Office Performance Review Board.

SUMMARY: In conformance with the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978, 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the Patent and Trademark Office announces the appointment of persons to serve as members of its Performance Review Board.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to Director, Office of Human Resources, Patent and Trademark Office, One Crystal Park, Suite 707, Washington, DC 20231.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alethea Long-Green at the above address or telephone (703) 305-8062.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The membership of the Patent and

Trademark Office Performance Review Board is as follows:

Gloria Gutiérrez, Chairman,
Acting Deputy Associate Commissioner for Administration and Quality Services,
Patent and Trademark Office,
Washington, DC 20231,
Term—expires September 30, 1999.

Mary C. Lee,
Deputy Director, Patent Examining Group,
Patent and Trademark Office,
Washington, DC 20231
Term—expires September 30, 1999

Jin F. Ng,
Director, Patent Examining Group, Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231

Term—expires September 30, 2000

Barbara S. Fredericks
Assistant General Counsel for Administration, Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230
Term—expires September 30, 1999

Robert M. Anderson
Deputy Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks, Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231

Term—expires September 30, 1999

Gerald R. Lucas
Director, Eastern Administrative Support Center, Department of Commerce, Norfolk, VA 23510

Term—expires September 30, 1999

Robert F. Kugelman
Director of Administration, Bureau of Export Administration, Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230
Term—expires September 30, 1999

E. Melodee Stith
Director, Office for Equal Opportunity, Department of the Interior, Washington, DC 20240

Term—expires September 30, 1999

Dated: October 6, 1998.

Bruce A. Lehman,

Assistance Secretary of Commerce and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[CPSC Docket No. 99-C0001]

Schneitter Fireworks and Importing Co., Inc., Provisional Acceptance of a Settlement Agreement and Order

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: It is the policy of the Commission to publish settlements which it provisionally accepts under the Federal Hazardous Substance Act in the **Federal Register** in accordance with the terms of 16 CFR 1118.20(e)-(h). Published below is a provisionally-accepted Settlement Agreement with Schneitter Fireworks and Importing Co.,