MEMORANDUM

TO: Joint Committee on Plastics

FROM: Robert W. Powitz, Chairperson of the Joint Committee

DATE: January 18, 2008

SUBJECT: Proposed revision to NSF/ANSI 24 (24i2r1)

Enclosed is the ballot for Draft 1 of NSF/ANSI 24 issue 2, revision 1. Please review the proposal and return your ballot by the ballot due date of February 7, 2008 via the e-balloting system.

Purpose
To clarify that toilets under NSF/ANSI 24 shall comply with only the Function Test of IAPMO TS 12, and not all sections of IAPMO TS 12.

Background
Currently, Standard 24 states that toilets covered by section 12 shall comply with IAPMO TS 12. However, the intent was that these products comply with only the function test of this standard. Because toilets manufactured specifically for recreational vehicles have a shorter life expectancy and a limited use, they should not be held to all of the same requirements as toilets for traditional homes. Note that materials and load tests, which are removed by this clarification, will be addressed in Joint Committee Issues 3 and 4.

This issue paper was presented to the Joint Committee at the 2007 meeting, and it was agreed that this should be balloted, but also referred to the task group on recreational vehicles for further development and investigation.

Public Health Impact
None of the above issues have a public health impact.

If you have any questions about the technical content of the ballot, you may contact me in care of:

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