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Hi Sarah,

I have several concerns/comments regarding the addition of Annex G to the NSF 61 Standard.

1. The NSF 61 standard is a performance based standard. Annex G is written as design requirements and does not include any performance requirements.
2. California has not officially stated how they will enforce this bill or if they would accept Annex G as a suitable vehicle for demonstrating compliance.
3. Other states (including California) have had prescriptive requirements for lead for years which have never been part of NSF 61 standard. Why are we starting now?
4. The language proposed, states that the manufacture has the option of meeting the requirements of Annex G or not. This would lead to confusion in the field.
5. These requirements should be covered by a separate stand alone standard/document

Sincerely,

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