



**TO:** The Record  
Health Facilities Advisory Committee (HFAC)  
Members

**FROM:** Recording HFAC Secretary

**SUBJECT:** May 11, 1994 Meeting

**Members and Attendance:**

Mr. James Biasco for CAPT Gary K. Radtke, Chairman,  
IHS/DFPC HQ  
CAPT Wayne Mohler for CAPT Kenneth Harper, OES-X/WA  
CAPT Gordon Wilcox for CAPT Thomas Gallegos, OES-VI/TX  
Mr. Dominic Eng for Mr. Emilio Pucillo, OES-II/NY  
Mr. Delton Woodford for CAPT Mark Brumbaugh, Member,  
IHS/Alaska Area Office  
CDR Alan Petersen, IHS/DFM HQ \*  
CAPT Dennis Taylor, Member, IHS/Albuquerque Area  
Office\*  
CAPT Gary McFarland, IHS/Billings Area Office \*

(\* - voting members)

**Introductions:**

No official meeting was conducted on May 11, 1994 due to lack of voting members. Minutes of the April 6, 1994 meeting were not read.

**Items discussed:**

- (1) Outstanding proposals were reviewed for status.
- (2) The following proposals were discussed:

Proposal P-15, Fire sprinklers versus alternate provisions for Quarters; CDR Petersen suggested that guidelines should follow Title I of the Fire Administration Authorization Act of 1992 (Public Law 102-522) and a separate chapter may be unnecessary. Attached for your review is a copy of the Fire Administration Authorization Act of 1992.

Proposal P-28, Transient voltage surge suppression; CAPT Mohler suggested that Technical Handbook Chapter is needed for a standard approach. CAPT Mohler's recommendations will be presented at the next meeting.

A new proposal, Proposal P-30, Request for waiver: NFPA 99, Health Care Facilities Standard (Section 4-6.2.4.7) was brought up regarding turning off medical gases at the end of each day or when not in use. CDR Petersen will look into this issue.

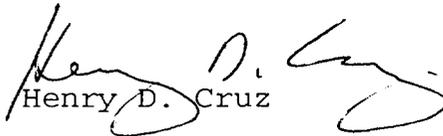
- (3) These proposals and other proposals will be discussed at the next meeting. Attached for your information is a copy of the HFAC agenda for the June 1, 1994 meeting.

**Other Issues:**

Also for your information, we are forwarding the latest copy of the HFAC proposals and decisions.

**Next meeting will be on June 1, 1994, 12:00 noon, EST.**

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Henry D. Cruz