(e) Ensuring adequate opportunities for access by the public to advisory committee meetings and information.

§1018.4 Applicability.

- (a) This part shall apply to all advisory committees (whether statutory or non-statutory) subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission. This part also shall apply to ad hoc advisory committees and non-Commission established advisory committees when they are performing advisory services for the Commission.
- (b) Nothing in this part shall apply to any of the following types of organizations:
- (1) Any local civic group whose primary function is that of rendering a public service with respect to a Federal program;
- (2) Any state or local government committee, council, board, commission, or similar group established to advise or make recommendations to State or local officials or agencies;
- (3) Any committee whether advisory, interagency, or intraagency which is composed wholly of full-time officers or employees of the Federal Government:
- (4) Persons or organizations having contractual relationships with the Commission; and
- (5) Persons or organizations developing consumer product safety standards under section 7 of the Consumer Product Safety Act (15 U.S.C. 2056).
- (c) This part shall not apply to a committee or other group to the extent that it is specifically exempted by statute from the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

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§ 1018.5 Advisory Committee Management Officer.

The Chairman shall designate an Advisory Committee Management Officer who shall:

- (a) Exercise control and supervision over the establishment, procedures, and accomplishments of all advisory committees established or utilized by the Commission:
- (b) Assemble and maintain the reports, records, and other papers of any such committee during its existence,

and carry out, on behalf of the Secretary of the Commission, the provisions of section 552 of Title 5, United States Code (Freedom of Information Act) and the Commission's Procedures for Disclosure or Production of Information Under the Freedom of Information Act (16 CFR part 1015) with respect to such reports, records, and other papers; and

(c) Perform such other functions as specified in this part.

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§1018.11 Charters.

- (a) No advisory committee shall meet or take any action until its charter has been filed with the GSA Secretariat in accordance with the requirements of section 9(c) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.
- (b) The Advisory Committee Management officer shall have responsibility for the preparation and filing of charters.

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§ 1018.12 Statutory advisory committees.

The Commission has one statutory advisory committee subject to the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The Toxicological Advisory Board was established by the Commission on December 22, 1978, pursuant to section 20 of the Federal Hazardous Substances Act, as amended (Pub. L. 95–631, 92 Stat. 3747, 15 U.S.C. 1275).

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§ 1018.13 Non-statutory advisory committees.

- (a) In proposing to establish a nonstatutory advisory committee, the Commission shall follow the procedural requirements of section 9(a)(2) of the Advisory Committee Act and section 6(a) of OMB Circular No. A-63.
- (b) A non-statutory advisory committee shall not be established if the proposed function can be performed effectively by Commission personnel, by an existing advisory committee, or by another Federal agency.