



**NOVEMBER**

**AEROSOL NEWS**

**2012**

**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

**By Steve Cook  
Tech Spray, L.P.**

Two years ago the NAA board of directors voted me in as president to head this great organization. I have been honored to write the president's message for the last two years. However, the time has come to pass the reins on. At our next annual meeting the torch will be passed on to George Buckland of DSContainers.

The year 2012 is almost over. As we all know the largest event happening in our industry today is the possible elimination of the LVP exemption. Numerous aerosol associations and consumer protection groups are involved in this rule-making. The NAA is at the forefront of this proposed regulatory change. This topic is covered in detail by our regulatory consultants Doug Raymond and Laurie Nelson; therefore, I will not address it in this president's message.

As the NAA continues its efforts to support the Aerosol Package, promote education and the benefits of this product form, work is underway for our annual meeting. The 2013 meeting will be held in San Antonio, Texas. With this excellent location and the speaker lineup that is coming into play we are all looking forward to an outstanding meeting. Please make your plans today to attend our 27th

Annual Conference March 5-7, 2013 in San Antonio, TX.

I would like to say happy holidays to all. Unfortunately we at the NAA know not everyone this holiday season will experience the same happiness and joy. Our prayers and thoughts are with those who are affected by hurricane Sandy. The massive destruction caused by wind and rain has left millions without heat, power and even homes. Both the short and long term effects will be remembered for years to come.

Whether through the NAA or some other avenue get involved in your industry!

Thanks.

**NAA BUYS a HOUSE for a VETERAN**

Many members of the NAA have made very generous contributions to the Military Warriors Support Foundation and to date have already funded one home for a returning veteran. The NAA is quite proud of this accomplishment and we invite you all to make a contribution for another

home for a veteran's family.

To make a contribution and to learn more about this program, please visit MilitaryWarriors.org or call Tammy LeValley at 210/615-8973 (tammy@militarywarriorsmail.org).



Checks should be made out to Military Warriors Support Foundation

and mailed to 2511 N. Loop 1604, Suite 201, San Antonio, TX 78258. On the memo line of the check, please make sure to state that the donation is to be credited to "NAA Support". Thank You!

**NAA ANNUAL MEETING**

**MARCH 5-7, 2013  
MARRIOTT  
SAN ANTONIO RIVERWALK  
San Antonio, Texas**



**WAIB CELEBRATES 40 YEARS**

The Western Aerosol Information Bureau (WAIB) held its 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting September 9-11 at the Hyatt Regency Casino & Spa Resort in Lake Tahoe, Nevada.

Pat Wade of WD-40 was the emcee of the program which included information on the Global Harmonization System (GHS) by



Pat W



Mike M

Mike Moffatt of Nexreg Compliance, Inc. and Greg Johnson of Sherwin Williams



Greg J

Diversified Brands who spoke on Digital Media Marketing and how the digital era has changed the speed, complexity and science of marketing. With many women wearing very



Karina

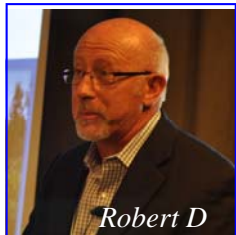
long straight hair, as is the fashion today, the subject of "Changes in Hair Style & Products" was right on as presented by Karina

Lutzy of Sexy Hair Concepts.

The Myths of Flex Fuel was the subject of a presentation by Ed Justice of



Ed Justice



Robert D

Justice Brothers after which Robert Dyer of Walmart Stores spoke about some of the "secrets" of the largest retailer in the world!

A golf tournament and barbecue finished off the first day and Day 2 of the conference began with

WAIB President, JoAnn Seel of Shield Packaging of CA bringing everyone up to date on the state of WAIB's activities.

Stan Platek of Ball Advanced Aluminum Technologies addressed a Sustainable and Innovative Competitive



Stan P



Cindy

Advantage and then Cindy Hundley of Spray Technology & Marketing told of the evolution

within the aerosol industry when Aerosol Age became Spray Technology.

CARB's representative, Carla Takemoto gave an update on the California Air Resources Board's Consumer Products Program followed by Doug Raymond of Raymond Regulatory Resources elaborating on Regulatory Concerns for 2012, mostly relating directly to CARB. Jerry Bialko of Cobra Plastics talked on Changing the Culture—



Doug R

Personal Accountability and Empowerment prior to the lunch break, which was served outside on a beautiful day.



Esther

Back in the meeting, Esther Rosenberg gave a pat on the back to her company DuPont as she filled the audience in on

DuPont Achieving Zero Landfill Status in Building Innovations Business! Heidi McAuliffe of American Coatings Association spoke on a review of the September 12<sup>th</sup> CARB meeting and also gave an update on Paints and Adhesives.

Mark "Tech Geek" Rivers of Aeropres gave an "I didn't know it could do that" class related to Smart Phone, iPad, Android, etc. After a short break, Kristin Power of CSPA presented an



Mark R



Kristin

Overview of Green Chemistry Regulation in California and the meeting was concluded by Scott Lukas, Professor of Sociology from the local Lake Tahoe Community College speaking on Social Change, Social Environment.

A Cocktail & Dinner Cruise ended the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary conference of the WAIB on an upbeat note after a very informative meeting including much interaction between industry members and friends.

**WAIB 2012-2013 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

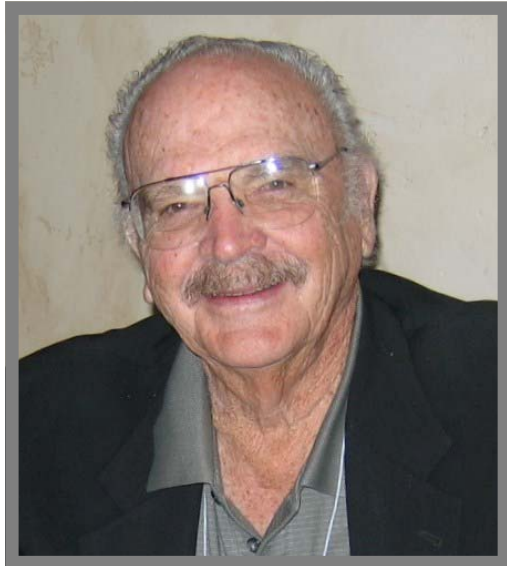


First row: Steve Sanchez, Aeropres, V.P.; Roger Vanderlaan, Shield Packaging, President. Second Row: Ellen Melnitzke, Rackow Polymers, Secretary; Paul Gardner, Blaster; Randy Barry, WD-40 Company; Mike Thaete, Aptar, Treasurer. Back Row: Ben Heimann PLZ Aerospace; Jim Johnson, Sherwin Williams; Kent Houser, Cobra Plastics; Chad Moline, Spray Products. Not pictured: John Davis, Past President, Spray Products; JoAnn Seel, Shield Packaging, Past President; Charlie Ortman, Diversified CPC Intl., Ian Fishman, 220 Laboratories.



**PAUL ROBINSON**  
**1928—2012**

By Don Rowson



Paul Robinson passed away Tuesday, October 30<sup>th</sup> at the Veterans Hospital in Fresno, California. He was born on November 7, 1928 in Los Angeles, California. We have all been blessed to share life with Paul through his almost 84 years here in his favorite state of California and his USC Trojans.

Paul was genuinely blessed to share his last years on earth with his loving and caring wife, Loretta, who is truly a saint showing her devotion to Paul during his long-term illness with cancer.

Paul leaves two sons; Mark and Russ, his wife, Ruth and two grandchildren, Sara and Paul all of whom live in Southern California.

Paul was key in the forming of the WAIB in January 1973 and became a founding board member in 1979 and was the second President of the organization in 1980. Paul is better known as the first golf chairman of the WAIB and he continued in that capacity as Chair and Honorary Chair until his passing. Paul's character as a man was best stated by his son, Mark, "Dad was a down-to-earth real guy who loved being with his family".

Paul served as a salesman for Crown Cork and Seal calling on the

beer and beverage industry as well as the cosmetic and chemical specialty companies for aerosol containers from 1968 until joining Industrial Hydrocarbons, Inc. in the mid 1970s. He became executive VP of IHI in 1978 until the distribution business was sold in 1983 to Aeropres Corporation. Paul worked for Aeropres as their west coast sales representative until his passing. His relationship with his friends and clients was beyond reproach.

I was fortunate to be with Paul the Sunday before he passed and I filled his head with all our wonderful memories sharing his great life. Many, of course, on the links. After several hours with Paul and his wife, Loretta, I walked around the bed, gave Paul a kiss on the head from Sharon and took his hand to say "goodbye". For a moment, Paul firmly held my hand, opened his eyes, smiled and said "Thanks, Pal" as his parting gesture. God bless this man whom we will all miss greatly.

I write on behalf of numerous members of Paul's family, friends and fellow golfers. This man will be missed for his very special brand of honesty, God fearing personal dedication and faithfulness to all his family and friends.



**27<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MEETING**

The members of the NAA are looking forward to our 27th Annual Meeting to be held in San Antonio, Texas. The theme of *The U.S.—The Place to Expand* is set to get you looking in the right direction and give you upbeat goals, not only for the future, but to stimulate and encourage the current workplace.

This setting at the Alamo, is the perfect location to get the inspiration to begin to win the economic struggle and stand up against the competition!

**WWW.AIR-US.ORG**

By Mary Metzner

The WAIB has created and launched its news site "Air-us-org" which is dedicated to bringing an understanding of what an aerosol is and the news related to the industry. We are committed to being your go-to destination for up-to-date news and information related to the aerosol package and industry.

**AIR-US.ORG**  
**AEROSOL**  
**INDUSTRY**  
**NEWS**

The WAIB has set out to create, collect and distribute high-quality news and information as it relates to the aerosol industry. We will peruse news sources, industry sites and regulatory sites and post to Air-us.org information that will keep you informed of news related to our industry. Our information is as timely and accurate as possible.

Posting here does not constitute endorsement, recommendation or favoring by Air-us.org.

Tools for the industry can be found on this site, as well as kits related to important issues, aerosol associations information and regulatory updates from around the world.

A contact form is available on the site to inquire about additional information and feedback.

Check out Air-US.org!



Check out the registration information on the insert included with this newsletter and sign up early to save on the registration fees.

We look forward to seeing a significant turnout to listen to our great lineup of speakers at this historic location.



## **GOVERNMENT RELATIONS** **UPDATE** By Laurie Nelson Randlett/Nelson/Madden Consultant to the NAA

Leaves changing to shades of gold and hues of crimson is a telltale sign it's autumn. In Sacramento, we have another sure-fire signal- a quiet Capitol. But even the relative calm at the Capitol is only surface deep as nearly 40 seats prepare to change hands and every new member is jockeying to find their place. Meanwhile, the typical action under the dome has simply migrated to a frenzy of regulatory activity with potentially enormous impacts.

August 31<sup>st</sup> was the deadline to pass legislation and the final weeks leading up to it were ones filled with furious activity. Between educating members on bills harmful to industry, and constantly watching for last minute amendments to appear that would be damaging to industry—it kept us busy. Once the clock struck midnight, bills that survived the final vote were delivered to Governor Brown who had 30-days to sign or veto. One bill he signed into law was SB 1099 (Wright). Beginning in 2103, non-emergency regulations will only go into effect four times a year on January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 providing business with a more predictable regulatory landscape. This is what passes for “regulatory reform” in Sacramento.

### **Green Chemistry Saga Continues**

After waiting for months, the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) finally released their draft of the Safer Consumer Products regulations on July 27. Not surprisingly, there wasn't much in this draft to ease industry concerns. There were some small improvements such as reducing the Chemicals of

Concern list from over 4,000 to about 1,200 chemicals, and the use of the word “potential” to cause harm was changed to “ability” to cause harm raising the standard DTSC must meet when identifying chemicals and products, as well as some tightening up of language that gave DTSC unlimited authority, but we are still a long way from having a scientific-based, workable program.

The list of remaining concerns is long and still includes:

- ◆ No process to prioritize chemicals of concern.
- ◆ No set de minimis. DTSC will determine a specific de minimis for each product/chemical combination.
- ◆ No off ramp to avoid regulatory duplication and conflict between programs.
- ◆ Unreasonable Alternatives Analysis timeline.
- ◆ Unlimited regulatory response option for DTSC—and this is after they can command anything from product labels to extend producer responsibility programs to product bans.
- ◆ Lack of trade secret protections that will limit innovation.
- ◆ No meaningful economic analysis was conducted. The department has simply concluded the economic impact is unknown (due, in large part, to the current vagueness of the regulations).

Many of us have been hard at work leading up to and beyond the comment deadline on October 11, 2012. A letter urging the governor to require DTSC to conduct a more robust economic analysis was signed by 16 democratic legislators and spearheaded by Senator Rubio, the new chair of the Senate Environmental Quality Committee. DTSC Director Raphael responded to the letter defending the economic analysis and there is no indication from the administration further analysis will be done. Meetings with high ranking officials in the Brown administration

continue to take place to raise awareness that businesses are concerned with the current status of the regulatory package.

DTSC received over 1,000 pages of comments from a wide range of stakeholders, including the European Union. Director Raphael indicated a revised draft will be circulated for another comment period. When the new draft will be released is still unknown, but it is expected sometime in November. Everyone is urged to participate in the regulatory process by providing specific comments on your concerns to DTSC. The current draft is of great concern to industry and now is our best chance for improvement.

### **LVP Exemption at Risk**

A broad coalition of consumer product associations continues to battle the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) and the California Air Resources Board (CARB) on their proposal to eliminate the low vapor pressure exemption for certain product categories. This exemption has been one of the key elements of the CARB Consumer Products Rule since its inception, serving as a model for air quality management regulatory policy for nearly twenty years. **Every product formulated using the Low Vapor Pressure Exemption is at risk if the proposals are adopted.**

The Alliance for Responsible Regulation, of which NAA is a member, is a coalition of interested companies and their trade associations formed to develop and articulate the legal, technical and scientific reasons on why this could devastate our industry. The goal of the Alliance is to prevent implementation of any elimination of the LVP exemption and any change in definition of LVPs or VOCs.

Every company that depends on LVPs to meet CARB's VOC limits (past, present and/or future) is strongly urged to submit written comments to SCAQMD and CARB



## **GOVERNMENT RELATIONS** **UPDATE (continued)**

on this issue, and attend SCAQMD's board meeting on December 7, 2012 at their headquarters in Diamond Bar, CA to testify against the elimination of this exemption.

### **New Environmental Committee Chairs**

This past August, we watched an overwhelming number of legislators leave office, opening up key committee positions. Industry was surprised by Assemblyman Luis Alejo's (D-Salinas) appointment to chair the Assembly Environmental & Toxic Substances Committee and Senator Michael Rubio's appointment (D-Bakersfield) to chair the Senate Environmental Quality Committee.

Both legislators represent districts where jobs are the number one priority and both have demonstrated their willingness to work with industry to help improve the economy. Senator Rubio is committed to comprehensive CEQA reform, a mission he began in the last session and he has pledged to continue next year. During the budget process, Assemblyman Alejo signed a letter, with many other democrats, urging lawmakers to hold-off on granting DTSC unlimited fee authority on the Green Chemistry program before the draft regulations were even released.

### **November Election Results**

The dust hasn't completely settled from Super Tuesday, but we do have some preliminary election results. The California Legislature is declaring a democratic super majority, with a few races in the Assembly still too close to call, but the Senate does look to have the 2/3 majority locked. At least 37 freshmen legislators are on their way to Sacramento, with some races still too close to call. Educating so many new members poses a challenge, but with every challenge comes an opportunity. New term limit rules allow legislators to serve up to 12 years in the Senate or Assembly combined. Previously, members were only allowed to serve up to 6 years in the Assembly and 8 years in the Senate. With less turnover, members will hopefully have more time to delve deeper into issues.

California voters weighed-in on

11 propositions, the most notable being Governor Brown's tax initiative, Proposition 30, which passed with 54 percent of the vote. Prop. 30 will raise income tax on residents earning more than \$250,000 and raise the sales tax for four years by .25 percent. The state avoided \$6-12 billion in budget cuts, primarily to education, which were already passed in the last budget cycle. Proposition 39, which passed handily, will close the corporate tax option known as the single sales factor and add an estimated \$1 billion to the state budget with some of that money designated for clean energy programs.

## **DAN RENN WINS SATA AWARD** **By Dick Christensen & Don Rowson**



*Dan Renn receives the Distinguished Service Award from SATA President, Dick Christensen at the Annual Meeting*

Having served as SATA President three times over the years, Dan Renn is accustomed to presenting SATA's Distinguished Service Award. This year, however, the tables were turned as Dan was announced the winner of the seventeenth SATA Distinguished Service Award, an award developed to recognize an individual, group or company that has made considerable contributions to the success of SATA and the aerosol industry.

Dan and his good friend Bob Peterson of Precision Valve were an historic pair for years at SATA as location chairman bringing many very profitable and successful fall meetings to the organization.

Certainly, as a recipient of this

SATA Award, I was deeply sorry to miss Dan and Lori's special day, as they made our day so special several years ago. Thanks, Dan to you and Lori for all you both have done as leaders in support of the aerosol industry.

Dan entered the aerosol industry over 45 years ago selling Isotron brand chlorofluorocarbon propellants prior to moving to at Aeron brand hydrocarbon propellants at the beginning of the ozone crisis. He has represented several aerosol contract fillers including CCL/KIK Custom Products and Shield Packaging, his current employer.

Over the years Dan has been veractive with both CSPA and SATA. He served as Chairman of CSPA's Aerosol Products Division Program Committee for three ears and received the Aerosol Division's Volunteer Recognition Award in 2008. His involvement with SATA started when he was appointed to the Board of Directors in 1981. Since then, he served as a committee chairman and Vice President for several years. He was elected to President in 1988 and again in 2009 and 2010. He has been a very active Past President, most recently managing the aerosol can races in partnership with the Alliance for Consumer Education (ACE) and the Gwinnett Braves, a minor league team of parent Atlanta Braves.

Dan graduated from Villanova University with a BS in Economics. While at Villanova, he played three years of varsity baseball, including two trips to the NCAA Regionals and was Captain of the team his senior year.

As Dan joins the ranks of 16 other prominent SATA Distinguished Service Award winners, we wish him the best for the future and look forward to his continued involvement both with SATA and the aerosol industry.

Congratulations, Dan!

**CAPCO UPDATE**  
**By Joe Bowen, Chair**  
**Aeropres Corporation**

**CAPCO Sponsors Keep America Beautiful Recycle-Bowl Competition**

Over the summer, the Consumer Aerosol Products Council (CAPCO) partnered with Keep America Beautiful (KAB), the nation's largest volunteer-based community improvement and education organization, to support the 2012 Recycle-Bowl Competition. The competition is an effort to raise recycling awareness and activation among students across the country. More than 1,200 elementary, middle and high schools received information about the competition and nearly 1,600 registered.

CAPCO and KAB share the vision of increasing community recycling participation and creating a more environmentally literate population. As a Recycle-Bowl sponsor, CAPCO prepared an education piece as part of the toolkit that was distributed to all of the targeted schools.

The Recycle-Bowl competition is an annual opportunity that encourages teachers, parents, students and school officials to promote environmental education, positive behavior regarding recycling and new recycling programs. The competition, open to all public and private elementary, middle and high schools nationwide, requires the schools to collect the greatest amount of recyclables and then track and report those items during the competition timeframe. The winning school from each state is awarded \$1,000. A grand prize is also awarded to the top statewide winner.

**AFV Agrees to Avoid Using Video Displaying Dangerous Aerosol Activity**

CAPCO recently submitted a letter to the ABC network program *America's Funniest Home Videos* (AFV) requesting that the producers pull a video that displayed dangerous activity involving the destruction of an

aerosol can. The video submission – “Lumberjack Meets Spray Paint,” which aired in October 2012 – illustrated an individual using an axe to cut open an aerosol spray paint. CAPCO explained the dangers involved and offered to provide information from the organization as a reference regarding future decisions. Within a week, AFV responded noting that they *“are not insensitive to such concerns and will keep them in mind as to future productions and will avoid using the video you referenced in future episodes.”*

The spray paint used in the “Lumberjack Meets Spray Paint” video is safe when used properly and according to the label directions. However, if aerosol cans are punctured as it was intentionally done with an axe in the video, the container contents can ignite because they may contain flammable solvents and propellants. These flammable ingredients are needed for the product to be effective, but can be ignited from the sparks caused by puncturing the container.

CAPCO recognizes that consumers rely on household products every day to improve their lives and manage their environment efficiently and effectively. Spray paints, in particular, play an important role in small touch-up jobs where brush-on paints would be inefficient, and have long shelf lives because they are hermetically sealed. These products can be safely and effectively used.

**CAPCO Needs Your Support**

Over the years, CAPCO has made the most of limited resources, successfully defending and advocating on behalf of the aerosol products industry. In order for CAPCO to expand its efforts and continue to provide accurate information, correct misinformation or promote the benefits of aerosol products, it will need to enlist the support of more partners. Please consider donating

reach consumers, media, teachers and others through the organization's education activities.

To donate, contact Joe Bowen at [jbowen@aeropres.com](mailto:jbowen@aeropres.com).



**JO ANN SEEL**

JoAnn Seel of Shield Packaging of California has retired after many



long years in the aerosol industry. She was the first woman President of the Western Aerosol Information Bureau (WAIB) and has served on the Board of Directors for several years.

Some readers may remember her from many years back, when she worked for DeMert & Dougherty in Upland, California and her father, Herb Seel, was President of the company.

As of October 31st, she entered the relaxed world of retirees and joined other types of volunteer organizations. Have a good time JoAnn, and enjoy retirement!





## **REGULATORY UPDATE**

**By Douglas J. Raymond  
Raymond Regulatory Resources  
Consultant to the NAA**

### **SCAQMD**

South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) is preparing their Air Quality Management Plan (AQMP). Remember there are four provisions that effect Consumer Products. CTS 01-CTS 04. With CTS 04 being the provision that proposes to eliminate or modify the LVP-VOC provision.

The LVP-VOC exemption is for compounds that meet certain criteria set by CARB. If the compound meets the LVP-VOC definition then the compound is not counted as a VOC, thus not counted toward the VOC limit. The LVP-VOC exemption has been in the Consumer Product regulation since the beginning of regulations. LVP-VOC's are used in the majority of Consumer Products. In addition the LVP-VOC compounds are the reason a majority of the CARB VOC limits for categories were set at the values in the regulation.

**Start pre-paring to attend the SCAQMD Board Hearing on December 7, 2012 in Diamond Bar, California.** I normally do not request people to come to the Board Hearings, but this issue is an exception! We need a significant showing at this Board Hearing. You will only get three minutes to speak, but that is better than not being heard. We had a very good showing at the CARB workshop, we now need SCAQMD to see the same if not better! We need to exceed this number at the SCAQMD Board Hearing. Industry is planning a pre-meeting on the day before (December 6). We can assist you with comments and explain the process. Please try to have someone from your company be willing to participate, especially California companies.

### **CARB**

On September 12 CARB Staff held their first workshop on proposed amendments to the Aerosol Coating regulation and the Consumer Products Regulation. CARB is targeting to lower MIR limits for Aerosol Coatings and lower VOC limits for Aerosol Adhesives.

For Aerosol Coatings eight categories have proposed limits that are extremely challenging to meet. These categories are the following:

Category	Proposed MIR limit	Complying Market Share
Clears	0.80	30%
Flats	0.80	28%
Non-Flat	0.80	11%
(Combined) Fluorescent/ Ground Traffic Marking	0.80	32%
Primer	0.60	30%
Auto Primer	0.95	10%
All Exact Match Categories	0.90	16%

For Aerosol Adhesives the numbers are worse. CARB is proposing limits for the following categories.

Category	Current Limit	Proposed Limit	Complying Market Share
Mist Spray	65	30	2%
Web Spray	55	30	0%

This was the largest turnout to a CARB workshop in over a decade. The LVP-VOC as predicted received the most attention. Environmental Groups and SCAQMD voiced their opinion that the LVP-VOC provision should be eliminated or modified. Industry provided compelling reasons for the LVP-VOC provision to stay in place and untouched. It was clear at the meeting that environmental groups and SCAQMD will push hard on CARB to change the LVP-VOC provision.

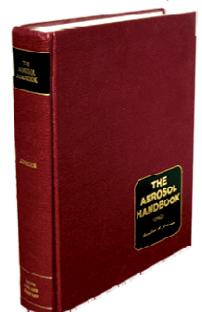
The modification of the LVP definition in any fashion will have significant effect on the Industry. This provision has been the basis for most of VOC limits adopted by CARB over the last decade. Industry has spend significant resources to reformulate our products replacing higher reactive VOC's with LVP's. Thus this has benefited California's air quality.

### **Green Chemistry**

Currently, the Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) is reviewing comments on their proposed Safer Consumer Products regulation. After reviewing the comments, DTSC will likely release a revised proposed Safer Consumer Products regulation for further comments from the public. This new comment period will likely be only 30 days. Thus we will need to review and comment quickly.

### **Spray Technology & Marketing**

has announced the re-release of *The Aerosol Handbook* by Montfort Johnsen (2nd edition, 1982). It is available in three formats: flash drive, DVD or web. For more information, go to [www.spraytechnology.com](http://www.spraytechnology.com).



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**December 2-6, 2012**

**Consumer Specialty  
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Annual Meeting

Marriott Harbor Beach Resort

Fort Lauderdale, Florida

www.CSPA.org

**March 5-7, 2013**

**National Aerosol Association**

(NAA) Annual Conference

San Antonio Marriott Riverwalk

San Antonio, Texas

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**March 20-21, 2013**

**Southern Aerosol Technical  
Association (SATA)**

Aerosol 101 & Spring Meeting

Marriott Perimeter Center

Atlanta, Georgia

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**May 7-10, 2013**

**Consumer Specialty**

**Products Association (CSPA)**

Mid-Year Meeting

Marriott Downtown

Chicago, Illinois

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## GLOSSARY

AB- Assembly Bill (CA)

ACE-Alliance for Consumer Education

AM&SS-Aerosol Mfg. & Storage Stds. Comm.

ACP-Alternative Control Plan

ANSI-American Nat'l. Standards Institute

ARB-Air Resources Board

BAAQMD-Bay Area Air Quality Mgmt. Dist.

BAMA-British Aerosol Manufacturers Assoc.

BOV-Bag On Valve

CAP-Clean Air Plan

CAPCO-Consumer Aerosol Products Council

CARB-California Air Resources Board

CFCs-Chlorofluorocarbons

CFR-Code of Federal Regulations

CNG-Compressed Natural Gas

CPSC-Consumer Product Safety Commission

CSPA-Consumer Specialty Products Assoc.

DfE-Design for Environment

DPR-Department of Pesticide Regulation

DTSC-Dept of Toxic Substances Control

EPA-Environmental Protection Agency

EQB-Environmental Quality Board

FDA-Food & Drug Administration

FTC-Federal Trade Commission

GHG-Greenhouse Gases

GWP-Global Warming Potential

HFC-Hydrofluorocarbons

HVOC-High Volatile Organic Compounds

IPE-Innovative Product Exemption

IRTA-Institute of Research & Technological  
Advancement

LAO-Legislative Analysts' Office

LVOC-Low Volatile Organic Compounds

LVP-Low Vapor Pressure

MIR-Maximum Incremental Reactivity

MVOC-Medium Volatile Organic Compounds

NCPD-National Council Prevent Delinquency

NEISS-National Electronic Injury Surveil-  
lance System of CPSC

NMSA-National Middle School Association

NSTA-National Science Teachers Assoc.

NYSDEC-NY State Department of Environ-  
mental Conservation

ONDCP-Office of National Drug Control  
Policy (White House)

OTC-Ozone Transport Commission (New  
England States)

PDFFA-Partnership for a Drug-Free America

REACH-Registration Evaluation

Authorization of Chemicals (ELU)

RFID-Radio Frequency Identification

SB-Senate Bill

SCAQMD-Southern California Air Quality  
Management District

SIP-State Implementation Plan

SRP-Scientific Review Panel (CA)

SUS-Saybolt Universal Seconds

TAC-Toxic Air Contaminants

TBAC-Tertiary Butyl Acetate

TPD-Tons Per Day

VOC-Volatile Organic Compounds