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Norelco Consumer Products Co. takes our responsibility seriously to provide high quality products that are not wasteful of valuable resources. In a typical year we will sell over 2 million units in the U.S. that include an external power supply. Most of our products are sold through major national retailers, thus if new regulations prevented us from selling in California it would effect our entire national distribution. Decisions made for the California market become standards for our entire national product distribution. We urge the Commission to proceed carefully with regulations to External Power Supplies and proceed as follows:

1. Section 1602 (s),
 - a. Use the same definition as EPA Energy Star uses in the final version of the Energy Star Program for Single Voltage External Power Supplies.
 - b. Exempt certain appliance battery chargers until an appropriate test procedure can be developed.
2. In Section 1604 (u) (1)
 - a. Use the latest version of the EPA Energy Star test procedure, and not the February 13, 2004 version.

Your consideration on these recommendations is greatly appreciated,

Sincerely,


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