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Subject: 2025 Spring Legislative Report – Important Updates

To: Dear ICF Members,

The Spring 2025 Legislative Report has been updated to reflect recent developments in California Proposition 65, State Legislative Initiatives, and EPR Packaging Laws:

- **Proposition 65 Activity and Judgment Costs Escalate in 2024.**
- **More Leaded Crystal Cases Settled (Macy’s and Hermes/Saint Louie).**
- **Decorated Ceramics & Glass Cases Continue to Generate Easy Profits for New Generation of Private Enforcers.**
- **Nearly All Decorated Ceramic and Glass Alleged Lead Exposures are Ingestion Through Dermal “Hand to Mouth” Activity.**
- **State Legislative Initiatives Have Concentrated on PFAS Content in Cookware and Other Consumer Products.**
- **ICF Requests the US Customs Renewal of the HTSUS Product Classifications for “Crystalline” Non-Lead Products.**
- **FDA Reorganization and Staff Reductions Likely Limit Any New Regulatory/Guideline Initiatives.**
- **EPR Packaging Laws Are Still a Concern as New States Adopt Them and EU Begins Formal Implementation.**
- **Although not included in the formal report, a state representative from Georgia proposed “Proposition 65 Like” legislation in January 2025 and it was withdrawn in March. This is the sixth time a state has considered adopting Proposition 65 style legislation – only to come to their senses.**

If you have any questions or suggestions concerning legislative or regulatory matters, please let me know. I will attend the New York Tabletop Show next week and would be happy to talk with you.

Thank you for supporting the International Crystal Federation for the last 34 years. We continue to represent the interests of the international “crystal” industry to Governmental agencies around the world – in coordination with the EDG on glass and the CSC on ceramics.

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