

under the Commission's Fast Track program.

39. Murray enters this Settlement Agreement and Order for settlement purposes only, to avoid incurring additional legal costs and expenses. In settling this matter, Murray does not admit any fault, liability or statutory or regulatory violation.

IV. Agreement of the Parties

40. The Consumer Product Safety Commission has jurisdiction over this matter and over Murray under the Consumer Product Safety Act, 15 U.S.C. 2051 *et seq.*

41. This Agreement is entered into for settlement purposes only and does not constitute an admission by Murray that it has violated the law nor a determination by the Commission of any disputed issue of law or fact.

42. In settlement of the staff's allegations, Murray agrees to pay a civil penalty in the amount of three hundred seventy-five thousand dollars and 00/100 cents (\$375,000.00) as set forth in the incorporated Order.

43. Upon final acceptance of this Agreement by the Commission and issuance of the Final Order, Respondent knowingly, voluntarily, and completely waives any rights it may have in this matter (1) to an administrative or judicial hearing, (2) to judicial review or other challenge or contest of the validity of the Commission's actions, (3) to a determination by the Commission as to whether Respondent failed to comply with the CPSA and the underlying regulations, (4) to a statement of findings of fact and conclusions of law, and (5) to any claims under the Equal Access of Justice Act.

44. Upon provisional acceptance of this Agreement by the Commission, this Agreement shall be placed on the public record and shall be published in the **Federal Register** in accordance with the procedures set forth in 16 CFR 1118.20(e). If the Commission does not receive any written request not to accept the Agreement within 15 days, the Agreement will be deemed finally accepted on the 16th day after the date it is published in the **Federal Register**.

45. The Commission may publicize the terms of the Settlement Agreement and Order.

46. The Commission's Order in this matter is issued under the provision of the CPSA, 15 U.S.C. 2051 *et seq.*, and a violation of this Order shall subject Murray to appropriate legal action.

47. This Settlement Agreement may be used in interpreting the Order. Agreements, understandings, representations, or interpretation apart from those contained in this Settlement

Agreement and Order may not be used to vary or contradict its terms.

48. The provisions of this Settlement Agreement and Order shall apply to Murray and each of its successors and assigns.

Respondent, Murray, Inc.

Dated: June 3, 2003.

James C. Pelletier,

*President and Chief Operating Officer,
Murray, Inc., 219 Franklin Road, Brentwood,
TN 27027.*

Dated: June 9, 2003.

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Dated: June 10, 2003.

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Order

Upon consideration of the Settlement Agreement entered into between Respondent Murray, Inc., a corporation, and the staff of the Consumer Product Safety Commission; and the Commission having jurisdiction over the subject matter and Murray, Inc; and it appearing that the Settlement Agreement and Order is in the public interest, it is

Ordered that the Settlement Agreement be, and hereby is, accepted; and it is

Further ordered that upon final acceptance of the Settlement Agreement and Order, Murray, Inc. shall pay to the Commission a civil penalty in the amount of *Three Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand and 00/100 Dollars* (\$375,000.00) within twenty (20) days after service upon Respondent of the Final Order of the Commission accepting the attached Settlement Agreement.

Provisionally accepted and Provisional Order issued on the 11th day of September, 2003.

By Order of the Commission.

Todd A. Stevenson,

*Secretary, Consumer Product Safety
Commission.*

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Notice of Availability of Funds for Next Generation Grants

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice of funding availability.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service (hereinafter the "Corporation") announces the availability of approximately \$4,000,000 to award *Next Generation Grants* to eligible nonprofit organizations. The purpose of these grants is to foster the next generation of national service organizations by providing seed money to help new and start-up organizations, and established organizations proposing new projects or programs, plan and implement new service programs that have the potential of becoming national in scope. These funds are available under authority provided in Pub. L. 108-7, the Omnibus Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2003.

These grants will fund innovative strategies to effectively engage volunteers in service, which result in measurable outcomes to beneficiaries and participants. We are seeking innovative models that fall under at least one of three service areas: Programs that engage individuals in an intensive commitment to service in communities (defined as serving at least 40 hours per week); volunteer programs for seniors (age 55+); and programs that connect service with education. Organizations may focus on various issue areas including, but not limited to: Education, environment, health and human services, homeland security, public safety, or other critical areas.

Eligible applicants for this funding are nonprofit charitable organizations, such as public charities, community organizations (faith-based and secular), private foundations, and individual schools. Applicants other than individual schools generally will have an annual operating budget of \$500,000 or less. We encourage submissions from community organizations (faith-based and secular) and from organizations with little or no experience with federal grants, where our investment could dramatically increase community involvement in service. Applicants cannot have received a previous grant award from the Corporation. Applicants must also be able to develop programs that have the potential for becoming national in scope, or provide a compelling statement that the model could be replicated in other locations.