Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act
Compliance Timeline

CPSIA

Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act enacted.

CERTIFICATION

Manufacturers of children's products must prepare a General Conformity Certificate for each of their products.

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Certificates must accompany products imported into the United States.

LEAD STANDARD

Children's products may not be sold if any part of the product contains 600 parts per million or more total lead content.

TRACKING LABELS

Manufacturers of children's product must place tracking labels on their products and packagings.

PHTHALATES STANDARD

No children's toy or child care article may be sold if it contains concentrations of more than 0.1 percent of six distinct phthalates.

NEW LEAD STANDARD

The lead standard will be reduced to 300 parts per million.

August 14, 2008 | *November 12, 2008* | *December 12, 2008* | *December 22, 2008* | *February 10, 2009* | *August 14, 2009* | *August 14, 2011*

CERTIFICATION

Copies of certificates must also be furnished to distributors/retailers.

CAUTIONARY STATEMENT AND ADVERTISING

Internet website advertisements that provide a direct means for a purchase or order of a product must include cautionary statement.

THIRD PARTY TESTING

Products must be tested for compliance with lead limits by a third party conformity assessment body accredited by the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

CAUTIONARY STATEMENT AND ADVERTISING

Any advertisements that provide a direct means for a purchase or order of a product must include cautionary statement.

ASTM STANDARDS

The provisions of ASTM International Standard F963-07 will be considered to be consumer product safety standards issued by the CPSC.

NEW LEAD STANDARD

The lead standard will be reduced to 100 parts per million.

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