

Hong Kong Gazettes Amended Toys and Children's Products Safety Ordinance Notice 2024

Background

The Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development of the Hong Kong Government published the “Toys and Children’s Products Safety Ordinance (Amendment of Schedules 1 and 2) Notice 2024” in the Gazette, February 2024.

This Notice updates 12 safety standards for toys and children’s products with newer revisions.

Changes

Schedule 1 amended (toy standards)

Item	Title	Repeal	Substitute
1(a)	Toys – ‘Mechanical and physical properties’	ISO 8124-1:2018 (incorporating Amendment 1:2020 and Amendment 2:2020)	ISO 8124-1:2022
1(b)	Toys – ‘Flammability’	ISO 8124-2:2014	ISO 8124-2:2023
1(c)	Toys – ‘Migration of certain elements’	ISO 8124-3:2020	ISO 8124-3:2020 (incorporating Amendment 1:2023)
2(hab)	Toys – ‘Olfactory board games, cosmetic kits and gustative games’	BS EN 71-13:2021	BS EN 71-13:2021 + A1:2022

Schedule 2 amended (Schedule 2 product standards)

Item (Column 2)	Title	Repeal	Substitute
2	Baby walking frames	ASTM F977-18	ASTM F977-22e1
4	Bunk beds for domestic use	ISO 9098-1:1994 and ISO 9098-2:1994	ISO 9098-1:2023 and ISO 9098- 2:2023
6	Child safety barriers for domestic use	ASTM F1004-21	ASTM F1004-23
9	Children’s paints	ISO 8124-3:2020	ISO 8124-3:2020 (incorporating Amendment 1:2023)
11	Playpens for domestic use	ASTM F406-19	ASTM F406-22
12	Wheeled child conveyances	AS/NZS 2088:2013 and BS EN 1888-1:2018	AS 2088:2022 and BS EN 1888-1:2018 + A1:2022

Effective Date

The amendments will come into operation on 01 August 2024.

References

<https://www.elegislation.gov.hk/hk/2024/ln17/en>

FOR MORE DETAILS, PLEASE CONTACT US:

Hong Kong: hktcd@stc.group

Changzhou: czstc@stc.group

U.S.A. : usenquiry@stc.group

Guangdong: gdtcd@stc.group

Vietnam: vnstc@stc.group

Germany: grstc@stc.group

Shanghai: shtcd@stc.group

Japan: jpo@stc.group

