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AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to regulation of toxic chemicals in children's products

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1	Section 1. Article 37 of the environmental conservation law is amended		
2	by adding a new title 7 to read as follows:		
3	TITLE VII		
4	TOXIC CHEMICALS IN CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS		
5	SECTION 37-0701. DEFINITIONS.		
6	37-0703. CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN.		
7	37-0705. PRIORITY CHEMICALS.		
8	37-0707. DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON PRIORITY CHEMICALS.		
8 9	37-0709. SALES PROHIBITION.		
10	37-0711. APPLICABILITY.		
11	37-0713. ENFORCEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION.		
12	37-0715. INTERSTATE CHEMICAL CLEARINGHOUSE.		
13	37-0717. REGULATIONS.		
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	AS USED IN THIS TITLE, UNLESS THE CONTEXT OTHERWISE INDICATES, THE		
16	FOLLOWING TERMS HAVE THE FOLLOWING MEANINGS.		
17	1. "CHILDREN'S APPAREL" MEANS ANY ITEM OF CLOTHING THAT CONSISTS OF		
18	FABRIC OR RELATED MATERIAL INTENDED OR PROMOTED FOR USE IN CHILDREN'S		
19	CLOTHING. CHILDREN'S APPAREL DOES NOT MEAN PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT DESIGNED		
20	TO PREVENT INJURY, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, BICYCLE HELMETS,		
21	ATHLETIC SUPPORTERS, KNEE PADS OR ELBOW PADS.		
22	2. "CHEMICAL" MEANS A SUBSTANCE WITH A DISTINCT MOLECULAR COMPOSITION		
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	EXPLANATIONMatter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets		
[] is old law to be omitted.			

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PRODUCTS OF THE SUBSTANCE OR SUBSTANCES THAT FORM THROUGH DECOMPOSITION, 1 2 DEGRADATION OR METABOLISM. 3 3. "CHEMICAL OF HIGH CONCERN" MEANS A CHEMICAL INCLUDED IN THE LIST OF 4 "CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN" PUBLISHED IN JUNE 2009 PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 5 16-D OF TITLE 38 OF THE MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED. 6 4. "CHILDREN" MEANS A PERSON OR PERSONS AGED TWELVE AND UNDER. 7 5. "CHILDREN'S PRODUCT" MEANS A PRODUCT PRIMARILY INTENDED FOR USE BY 8 CHILDREN, INCLUDING EXTERNAL COMPONENT PARTS AND PACKAGING, INCLUDING 9 BABY PRODUCTS, TOYS, CAR SEATS, PERSONAL CARE PRODUCTS, A PRODUCT DESIGNED OR INTENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER TO HELP A CHILD WITH SUCKING OR 10 TEETHING, TO FACILITATE SLEEP, RELAXATION, OR THE FEEDING OF A CHILD, 11 JEWELRY, NOVELTY PRODUCTS, BEDDING, FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, CHILDREN'S 12 APPAREL, AND THE HOUSING OF CONSUMER ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS. "CHILDREN'S 13 14 PRODUCT" DOES NOT INCLUDE (A) BATTERIES; OR (B) CONSUMER ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS ENCLOSED WITHIN A SECURE HOUSING, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO 15 PERSONAL COMPUTERS, AUDIO AND VIDEO EQUIPMENT, CALCULATORS, WIRELESS PHONES, GAME CONSOLES, AND HANDHELD DEVICES INCORPORATING A VIDEO 16 17 SCREEN, USED TO ACCESS INTERACTIVE SOFTWARE AND THEIR ASSOCIATED PERIPH-18 19 ERALS, EXCEPT FOR SAID SECURE HOUSING; OR (C) A FOOD OR BEVERAGE OR AN ADDITIVE TO A FOOD OR BEVERAGE REGULATED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND 20 21 DRUG ADMINISTRATION; OR (D) A TOBACCO PRODUCT OR PAPER OR FOREST PROD-22 OR (E) A PESTICIDE REGULATED BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL UCT; PROTECTION AGENCY. CHILDREN'S PRODUCT ALSO DOES NOT INCLUDE A DRUG, 23 BIOLOGIC OR MEDICAL DEVICE REGULATED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG 24 25 ADMINISTRATION OR THE PACKAGING OF SUCH DRUG, BIOLOGIC OR MEDICAL DEVICE 26 IF SUCH PACKAGING IS REGULATED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMIN-27 ISTRATION. 28 6. "DISTRIBUTOR" MEANS A PERSON WHO SELLS CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS ΤO 29 RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS ON A WHOLESALE BASIS. 7. "INTENTIONALLY ADDED" MEANS THE DELIBERATE USE IN THE FORMULATION 30 OF A PRODUCT OR SUBPART WHERE ITS CONTINUED PRESENCE IS DESIRED IN THE 31 32 FINAL PRODUCT OR SUBPART TO PROVIDE A SPECIFIC CHARACTERISTIC, APPEAR-33 ANCE OR OUALITY. 34 8. "MANUFACTURER" MEANS ANY PERSON WHO CURRENTLY MANUFACTURES A FINAL CHILDREN'S PRODUCT OR WHOSE BRAND NAME IS AFFIXED TO THE CHILDREN'S 35 PRODUCT. IN THE CASE OF A CHILDREN'S PRODUCT THAT WAS IMPORTED INTO THE 36 37 UNITED STATES, "MANUFACTURER" INCLUDES THE IMPORTER OR FIRST DOMESTIC 38 DISTRIBUTOR OF THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT IF THE PERSON WHO CURRENTLY MANU-FACTURES OR ASSEMBLES THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT OR WHOSE BRAND NAME IS 39 40 AFFIXED TO THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT DOES NOT HAVE A PRESENCE IN THE UNITED 41 STATES. 9. "NOVELTY PRODUCT" MEANS A PRODUCT INTENDED MAINLY FOR PERSONAL OR 42

42 9. NOVELLY PRODUCT MEANS A PRODUCT INTENDED MAINLY FOR PERSONAL OR 43 HOUSEHOLD ENJOYMENT OR ADORNMENT. NOVELTY PRODUCTS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT 44 LIMITED TO, ITEMS INTENDED FOR USE AS PRACTICAL JOKES, FIGURINES, ADORN-45 MENTS, TOYS, GAMES, CARDS, ORNAMENTS, YARD STATUES AND FIGURES, CANDLES, 46 JEWELRY, HOLIDAY DECORATIONS, OR SIMILAR PRODUCTS.

47	10. "PRIORITY CHE	MICAL" MEANS (A) THE FOLLOWING CHEMICALS:
48	CASRN115-96-8	TRIS (2-CHLOROETHYL) PHOSPHATE
49	CASRN71-43-2	BENZENE
50	CASRN7439-92-1	LEAD AND COMPOUNDS (INORGANIC)
51	CASRN7439-97-6	MERCURY AND MERCURY COMPOUNDS, INCLUDING METHYL
52		MERCURY (CASRN 22967-92-6)
53	CASRN7439-98-7	MOLYBDENUM AND MOLYBDENUM COMPOUNDS
54	CASRN7440-36-0	ANTIMONY AND ANTIMONY COMPOUNDS
55	CASRN7440-38-2	ARSENIC AND ARSENIC COMPOUNDS INCLUDING ARSENIC
56		TRIOXIDE (CASRN 1327-53-3)

AND DIMETHYL ARSENIC (CASRN 75-60-5) 1 2 CASRN7440-41-7 BERYLLIUM AND BERYLLIUM COMPOUNDS 3 CASRN7440-43-9 CADMIUM CASRN7440-48-4 COBALT AND COBALT COMPOUNDS AND 4 5 A CHEMICAL ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 37-0505 (B) 6 OF THIS TITLE. 7 11. "TOY" MEANS A PRODUCT DESIGNED OR INTENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER TO 8 BE USED BY A CHILD AT PLAY. 9 S 37-0703. CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN. 10 1. PUBLISHING OF LIST. WITHIN ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS TITLE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT A WEBSITE ACCESSI-11 BLE TO THE PUBLIC IS ESTABLISHED WHICH LISTS ALL CHEMICALS OF HIGH 12 13 CONCERN. 14 2. PERIODIC REVIEW. (A) WITH RESOURCES MADE AVAILABLE THEREFOR, THE 15 DEPARTMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, MAY PERIOD-ICALLY REVIEW THE LIST OF CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN AND, THROUGH REGU-16 LATION, IDENTIFY ADDITIONAL CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN, OR REMOVE A CHEM-17 ICAL FROM THE LIST OF CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN BASED ON EVIDENCE THAT 18 19 CHEMICAL DOES NOT MEET THE CRITERIA OF THIS SUBDIVISION, INCLUDING, THE BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PESTICIDES AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES. IN THE EVENT 20 21 THAT A NEW DETERMINATION IS MADE BY A STATE, FEDERAL OR INTERNATIONAL GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY THAT A CHEMICAL MEETS THE HIGH CONCERN CRITERIA, 22 23 NOTHING HEREIN SHALL PREVENT THE DEPARTMENT FROM ACTING TO ADD SUCH 24 CHEMICALS OUTSIDE OF THE PERIODIC REVIEW PROCESS. 25 (B) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL, UPON THIS REVIEW, IDENTIFY A CHEMICAL AS А CHEMICAL OF HIGH CONCERN IF IT DETERMINES THAT THE CHEMICAL HAS BEEN 26 27 IDENTIFIED BY A STATE, FEDERAL OR INTERNATIONAL GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY ON THE BASIS OF CREDIBLE SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE AS: 28 29 (I) A CARCINOGEN, A REPRODUCTIVE OR DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICANT OR AN 30 ENDOCRINE DISRUPTOR; 31 (II) PERSISTENT, BIOACCUMULATIVE AND TOXIC; OR 32 (III) VERY PERSISTENT AND VERY BIOACCUMULATIVE. 33 (C) IN MAKING SUCH DETERMINATION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY CONSIDER BUT IS 34 NOT LIMITED TO CONSIDERING: CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED AS "GROUP 1 CARCINOGENS" OR "GROUP 2A CARCI-35 (I)NOGENS" BY THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR 36 37 RESEARCH ON CANCER; 38 (II) CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED AS "KNOWN TO BE A HUMAN CARCINOGEN" AND 39 "REASONABLY ANTICIPATED TO BE A HUMAN CARCINOGEN" BY THE SECRETARY OF 40 THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES PURSUANT TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE ACT, 42 UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 241(B)(4), 41 42 AS AMENDED; 43 (III) CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED AS "GROUP A CARCINOGENS" OR "GROUP B CARCI-44 NOGENS" BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY; 45 (IV) CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED AS REPRODUCTIVE OR DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICANTS 46 BY: 47 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, (A) THE48 NATIONAL TOXICOLOGY PROGRAM, CENTER FOR THE EVALUATION OF RISKS TO HUMAN 49 REPRODUCTION; AND 50 (B) THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, OFFICE OF ENVIRON-MENTAL HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT PURSUANT TO THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND 51 SAFETY CODE, SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1986, 52 53 CHAPTER 6.6, SECTION 25249.8; 54 (V) CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED AS A CHEMICAL OF HIGH CONCERN FOR CHILDREN OR 55 A HIGH PRIORITY CHEMICAL OF HIGH CONCERN FOR CHILDREN BY THE STATE OF

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4 WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 70.240 OF THE REVISED CODE OF WASHINGTON; (VI) CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN AS SUCH CHEMICALS ARE IDENTIFIED BY THE STATE OF MAINE'S DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION AND APPEARING ON SUCH DEPARTMENT'S LIST OF CHEMICALS OF HIGH CONCERN; (VII) CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED AS KNOWN OR LIKELY ENDOCRINE DISRUPTORS THROUGH SCREENING OR TESTING CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROTOCOLS DEVELOPED BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY PURSUANT TO THE UNITED STATES FOOD, DRUG AND COSMETIC ACT, 21 UNITED STATES CODE, 346A(P), AS AMENDED BY THE FEDERAL FOOD QUALITY PROTECTION ACT (PUBLIC LAW 104-170) OR THE FEDERAL SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT, 42 UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 300J-17; (VIII) CHEMICALS LISTED ON THE BASIS OF ENDOCRINE-DISRUPTING PROPER-TIES IN ANNEX XIV, LIST OF SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO AUTHORISATION, REGU-LATION (EC) NO 1907/2006 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION, EVALUATION, AUTHORISATION AND RESTRICTION OF CHEMICALS; (IX) PERSISTENT, BIOACCUMULATIVE AND TOXIC CHEMICALS IDENTIFIED BY OTHER STATES OR THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY; (X) A VERY PERSISTENT, VERY BIOACCUMULATIVE CHEMICAL LISTED IN ANNEX XIV, LIST OF SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO AUTHORISATION, REGULATION (EC) NO 1907/2006 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION, EVALU-ATION, AUTHORIZATION AND RESTRICTION OF CHEMICALS; AND (XI) A PERSISTENT BIOACCUMULATIVE TOXIC CHEMICAL AS DEFINED IN CHAPTER 173-333 OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON ADMINISTRATIVE CODE. S 37-0705. PRIORITY CHEMICALS. 1. PUBLISHING OF LIST. WITHIN ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE

26 27 DATE OF THIS TITLE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT A WEBSITE ACCESSI-28 BLE TO THE PUBLIC IS ESTABLISHED WHICH LISTS ALL PRIORITY CHEMICALS. 29 2. PERIODIC REVIEW. (A) WITH RESOURCES MADE AVAILABLE THEREFOR, THE

DEPARTMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, MAY PERIOD-30 ICALLY REVIEW THE LIST OF PRIORITY CHEMICALS AND, THROUGH REGULATION, 31 32 IDENTIFY ADDITIONAL PRIORITY CHEMICALS OR REMOVE A CHEMICAL FROM THE 33 LIST OF PRIORITY CHEMICALS BASED ON EVIDENCE THAT THE CHEMICAL IS NOT 34 PRESENT IN A CHILDREN'S PRODUCT OR OTHERWISE SHOULD NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS TITLE. IN THE EVENT THAT A NEW DETERMINATION 35 MADE BY A STATE, FEDERAL OR INTERNATIONAL GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY THAT A 36 IS 37 CHEMICAL MEETS THE PRIORITY CHEMICAL CRITERIA, NOTHING HEREIN SHALL PREVENT THE DEPARTMENT FROM ACTING TO ADD SUCH CHEMICALS OUTSIDE OF THE 38 39 PERIODIC REVIEW PROCESS.

40 (B) THE DEPARTMENT MAY IDENTIFY A CHEMICAL AS A PRIORITY CHEMICAL IF, UPON SUCH REVIEW, IT DETERMINES THAT A CHEMICAL OF HIGH CONCERN MEETS 41 ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA: 42

43 (I) THE CHEMICAL OR ITS METABOLITES HAVE BEEN FOUND THROUGH BIOMONI-44 TORING TO BE PRESENT IN HUMANS, INCLUDING HUMAN BLOOD, UMBILICAL CORD 45 BLOOD, BREAST MILK, URINE OR OTHER BODILY TISSUES OR FLUIDS;

(II) THE CHEMICAL HAS BEEN FOUND THROUGH SAMPLING AND ANALYSIS TO BE 46 47 IN HOUSEHOLD DUST, INDOOR AIR, DRINKING WATER OR ELSEWHERE IN PRESENT 48 THE HOME ENVIRONMENT;

49 (III) THE CHEMICAL HAS BEEN FOUND THROUGH MONITORING TO BE PRESENT IN50 FISH, WILDLIFE OR THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT;

51 (IV) THE CHEMICAL IS PRESENT IN A CHILDREN'S PRODUCT USED OR PRESENT 52 IN THE HOME, SCHOOL, OR CHILDCARE CENTER;

53 (V) THE CHEMICAL HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A HIGH PRODUCTION VOLUME CHEM-54 ICAL BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY; OR

BECAUSE OF THE HEALTH EFFECTS OF SUCH CHEMICAL.
(C) IF A CHEMICAL IS REMOVED FROM THE LISTING OF CHEMICALS OF HIGH
CONCERN, IT SHALL ALSO BE UNDESIGNATED AS A PRIORITY CHEMICAL.

6 S 37-0707. DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON PRIORITY CHEMICALS.

7 1. REPORTING OF CHEMICAL USE. NO LATER THAN TWELVE MONTHS AFTER Α 8 PRIORITY CHEMICAL IS LISTED ON THE LIST PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 37-0705 OF THIS TITLE, EVERY MANUFACTURER WHO OFFERS A CHILDREN'S PROD-9 10 FOR SALE OR DISTRIBUTION IN THIS STATE THAT CONTAINS AN INTEN-UCT 11 TIONALLY ADDED PRIORITY CHEMICAL SHALL NOTIFY THE DEPARTMENT IN A FORM 12 PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT, DEVELOPED IN COLLABORATION WITH OTHER STATES AND AN INTERSTATE CHEMICALS CLEARINGHOUSE AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 13 14 37-0715 OF THIS TITLE.

15 (A) THIS NOTICE MUST AT A MINIMUM IDENTIFY THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT, THE PRIORITY CHEMICAL OR CHEMICALS CONTAINED IN THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT, AND 16 17 THE INTENDED PURPOSE OF THE CHEMICALS IN THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT. ALL INFORMATION SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO 18 19 DISCLOSURE TO THE PUBLIC. CONSISTENT WITH NOTIFICATION REQUIRED BY OTHER STATES, THE DEPARTMENT MAY ALSO REQUIRE REPORTING OF THE FOLLOWING 20 21 INFORMATION:

22 (I) THE POTENTIAL FOR HARM TO HUMAN HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT FROM 23 SPECIFIC USES OF THE PRIORITY CHEMICAL;

24 (II) THE AMOUNT OF SUCH CHEMICAL IN EACH UNIT OF THE CHILDREN'S PROD-25 UCT, EXPRESSED IN A RANGE;

26 (III) INFORMATION ON THE LIKELIHOOD THAT THE CHEMICAL WILL BE RELEASED 27 FROM THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT TO THE ENVIRONMENT DURING THE PRODUCT'S LIFE 28 CYCLE AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH USERS OF THE PRODUCT ARE LIKELY TO BE 29 EXPOSED TO THE CHEMICAL;

30 (IV) INFORMATION ON THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE CHEMICAL IS PRESENT IN THE 31 ENVIRONMENT OR HUMAN BODY.

(B) IN LIEU OF PROVIDING THIS NOTICE TO THE DEPARTMENT, THE DEPARTMENT
 IS AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT SUBMISSION OF SUCH NOTICE TO THE INTERSTATE
 CHEMICALS CLEARINGHOUSE PURSUANT TO SECTION 37-0715 OF THIS TITLE.

ASSESSMENT OF ALTERNATIVE CHEMICALS. IN ADDITION, CONSISTENT WITH 35 2. OTHER STATES, THE DEPARTMENT MAY REQUIRE THAT THE MANUFACTURER PROVIDE 36 37 AN ASSESSMENT OF THE AVAILABILITY, COST, FEASIBILITY AND PERFORMANCE, 38 INCLUDING POTENTIAL FOR HARM TO HUMAN HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT, OF 39 ALTERNATIVES TO THE PRIORITY CHEMICAL AND THE REASON THE PRIORITY CHEMI-40 IN THE MANUFACTURER OF THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT IN LIEU OF IS USED CAL 41 IDENTIFIED ALTERNATIVES. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL HOLD CONFIDENTIAL ANY INFORMATION DISCLOSED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBDIVISION CONCERNING THE CHEMI-42 43 OR CONSUMER PRODUCT THAT IF MADE PUBLIC, WOULD DIVULGE CONFIDENTIAL CAL 44 BUSINESS INFORMATION, METHODS OR PROCESSES ENTITLED TO PROTECTION AS 45 TRADE SECRETS, EXCEPT THAT SUCH INFORMATION MAY BE DISCLOSED TO ANY OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE CONCERNED 46 47 WITH CARRYING OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE.

48 3. WAIVER OF REPORTING. UPON APPLICATION BY A MANUFACTURER, THE 49 COMMISSIONER MAY WAIVE ALL OR PART OF THE NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT UNDER 50 SUBDIVISION ONE OF THIS SECTION FOR ONE OR MORE SPECIFIED USES OF A 51 PRIORITY CHEMICAL. IN MAKING SUCH DETERMINATION, THE COMMISSIONER MAY 52 CONSIDER: (A) SIMILAR WAIVERS GRANTED BY OTHER STATES, AND (B) WHETHER 53 THE SPECIFIED USE OR USES ARE MINOR IN VOLUME.

4. NOTICE TO RETAILERS. A MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR OF A CHILDREN'S 55 PRODUCT CONTAINING A PRIORITY CHEMICAL SHALL NOTIFY PERSONS THAT OFFER 56 THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT FOR SALE OR DISTRIBUTION IN THE STATE OF THE

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3 THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR 5. FEES. SHALL PAY A FEE UPON 4 SUBMISSION OF A REPORT OF CHEMICAL USE OR A WAIVER REQUEST TO COVER THE 5 DEPARTMENT'S REASONABLE COSTS IN MANAGING THE INFORMATION COLLECTED OR 6 IN MAKING A WAIVER DETERMINATION, IN THE AMOUNT OF SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS 7 PER CHEMICAL.

8 S 37-0709. SALES PROHIBITION.

9 UPON TWO YEARS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS TITLE, NO PERSON SHALL 10 DISTRIBUTE, SELL OR OFFER FOR SALE IN THIS STATE AN ITEM OF CHILDREN'S 11 APPAREL OR A CHILDREN'S NOVELTY PRODUCT CONTAINING A PRIORITY CHEMICAL. 12 THIS PROVISION SHALL NOT APPLY TO AN ITEM OF CHILDREN'S APPAREL OR CHIL-13 DREN'S NOVELTY SOLELY BASED ON ITS CONTAINING AN ENCLOSED BATTERY OR 14 ENCLOSED ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS.

15 S 37-0711. APPLICABILITY.

16 1. NEW CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE SHALL APPLY 17 TO CHEMICALS IN CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS SOLD OR DISTRIBUTED AS NEW AND DOES 18 NOT APPLY TO USED CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS THAT ARE SOLD OR DISTRIBUTED FOR 19 FREE AT SECONDHAND STORES, YARD SALES, ON THE INTERNET OR DONATED TO 20 CHARITIES.

21 2. INDUSTRY. THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS TITLE SHALL NOT APPLY TO PRIORI-22 TY CHEMICALS USED IN OR FOR INDUSTRY OR MANUFACTURING, INCLUDING CHEMI-23 CALS PROCESSED OR OTHERWISE USED IN OR FOR INDUSTRIAL OR MANUFACTURING 24 PROCESSES AND NOT INCLUDED IN THE FINAL PRODUCT.

3. TRANSPORTATION. THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS TITLE SHALL NOT APPLY TO
MOTOR VEHICLES OR THEIR COMPONENT PARTS, WATERCRAFT OR THEIR COMPONENT
PARTS, ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES OR THEIR COMPONENT PARTS, OR OFF-HIGHWAY
MOTORCYCLES OR THEIR COMPONENT PARTS, EXCEPT THAT THE USE OF PRIORITY
CHEMICALS IN DETACHABLE CAR SEATS IS NOT EXEMPT.

4. COMBUSTION. THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS TITLE SHALL NOT APPLY TO 31 PRIORITY CHEMICALS GENERATED SOLELY AS COMBUSTION BY-PRODUCTS OR THAT 32 ARE PRESENT IN COMBUSTIBLE FUELS.

5. RETAILERS. A RETAILER IS EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS TITLE
UNLESS THAT RETAILER KNOWINGLY SELLS A CHILDREN'S PRODUCT CONTAINING A
PRIORITY CHEMICAL AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF ITS PROHIBITION FOR WHICH
THAT RETAILER HAS RECEIVED PRIOR NOTIFICATION FROM A MANUFACTURER,
DISTRIBUTOR OR THE STATE.

38 S 37-0713. ENFORCEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION.

39 1. FAILURE TO PROVIDE NOTICE. A CHILDREN'S PRODUCT CONTAINING A PRIOR-40 ITY CHEMICAL MAY NOT BE SOLD, OFFERED FOR SALE OR DISTRIBUTED FOR SALE IN THIS STATE IF THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR HAS FAILED TO PROVIDE 41 THE NOTIFICATION REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 37-0707 OF THIS TITLE BY THE 42 43 DATE REQUIRED IN SUCH SECTION. THE COMMISSIONER MAY EXEMPT A CHILDREN'S PRODUCT FROM THIS PROHIBITION IF, IN THE COMMISSIONER'S JUDGMENT, THE 44 45 LACK OF AVAILABILITY OF THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT COULD POSE AN UNREASON-ABLE RISK TO PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE. 46

47 CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE. IF THERE ARE GROUNDS TO SUSPECT THAT A 2. 48 CHILDREN'S PRODUCT IS BEING OFFERED FOR SALE IN VIOLATION OF THIS TITLE, 49 THE DEPARTMENT MAY REQUEST THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR OF THE CHIL-50 DREN'S PRODUCT TO PROVIDE A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE, WITHIN TEN DAYS OF RECEIPT OF A REQUEST FROM 51 THE DEPARTMENT. THE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE SHALL: 52

53 (A) ATTEST THAT THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN THE PRIORITY 54 CHEMICAL; OR

55 (B) ATTEST AND PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT WITH DOCUMENTATION THAT NOTIFI-56 CATION OF THE PRESENCE OF THE PRIORITY CHEMICAL HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO THE

1 2	DEPARTMENT OR PROVIDE NOTICE AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 37-0707 OF THIS
3	(C) ATTEST THAT THE MANUFACTURER HAS NOTIFIED PERSONS WHO SELL THE
4	PRODUCT IN THIS STATE THAT THE SALE OF THE CHILDREN'S PRODUCT IS PROHIB-
5	ITED.
6	S 37-0715. INTERSTATE CHEMICAL CLEARINGHOUSE.
7	1. THE DEPARTMENT IS AUTHORIZED TO PARTICIPATE IN AN INTERSTATE CHEMI-
8	CALS CLEARINGHOUSE TO ASSIST IN CARRYING OUT THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS
9	TITLE. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL WORK IN COLLABORATION WITH OTHER STATES AND
10	AN INTERSTATE CHEMICALS CLEARINGHOUSE FOR THE PURPOSE OF, INCLUDING BUT
11	NOT LIMITED TO:
12	(A) COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION REGARDING CHEMICAL
13	HAZARDS;
14	(B) COLLECTION AND DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION REGARDING THE USE OF
15	CHEMICALS IN CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS;
16	(C) ASSESSMENT OF ALTERNATIVES TO CHEMICALS AND THEIR USE IN PRODUCTS;
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18	(D) PUBLIC EDUCATION.
19 20	2. SUCH CLEARINGHOUSE IS AUTHORIZED TO MAINTAIN INFORMATION ON BEHALF
20 21	OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, INFORMATION REGARDING CHEMICALS CONTAINED IN CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS DISCLOSED PURSUANT
∠⊥ 22	TO SECTION 37-0707 OF THIS TITLE.
22 23	S 37-0717. REGULATIONS.
23 24	THE DEPARTMENT MAY ADOPT ANY RULES AND REGULATIONS IT DEEMS NECESSARY
25	TO IMPLEMENT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE.
26	S 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after
27	it shall have become a law.
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