

## **THE SAFETY BOX**

A newsletter dedicated to keeping our children safe

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This newsletter is printed quarterly in accordance with the Louisiana Children's Product Act, La. R.S. 46:2701-2711. For more information on recalled children's products, consumers may visit our website at <u>www.AGJeffLandry.com</u>, or call our toll-free CONSUMER INFO LINE at 800-351-4889. Information about child product recalls and toy hazard recalls included in this newsletter was received from the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC). Consumers may visit their website at <u>www.cpsc.gov</u> for product recall information and product safety information. The recall information included in this newsletter is for July 2017 through September 2017.

## **PRODUCT RECALLS**



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Munching Max Chipmunk Toys by TOMY

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Lamaze Munching Max chipmunk stuffed toys with item number L27578. "Tomy," "Lamaze," and the item number are printed on a sewn-in fabric

label near the tail of the toy. The stuffed toy is multicolored with a white clip on the head of the chipmunk. When the clip is pulled, the chipmunk toy vibrates and simulates eating the cloth nut attached to its arm.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled toys away from children and contact TOMY International to receive a free replacement toy and a TOMY online store coupon. Consumer Contact: TOMY International toll-free at 866-725- 4407 from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. CT Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to noon on Friday, or online at http://recall.tomy.com. Consumers can also visit www.tomy.com and click on "Recalls" for more information



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Self-Balancing Scooters/Hoverboards by iRover **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves iRover self-balancing scooters, commonly referred to as hoverboards, model numbers

87645 and 87644. Hoverboards have two wheels at either end of a platform and are powered by lithium-ion

battery packs. The boards have "iRover" printed on the front outer casing and come in black and white. The model number is listed on the bottom of the unit.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using these recalled scooters/hoverboards and contact iRover for instructions on returning their hoverboard for a free UL2272-certified replacement unit. Consumer Contact:

iRover toll-free at 888-348-6434 from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at www.iroverus.com and click on "Recall Notice" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Activity Toys by Manhattan Toy

**DESCRIPTION:** The Winkel Colorburst teething and activity toy has multi-color plastic tubing inserted into a plastic cube with

rattle beads inside. The model number and lot code are printed on the center of the cube and on the hang-tag and product packaging near the UPC code. Only activity balls with the following lot codes are included in this recall: 206880 DH; 206880 EH; 206880 HH; 206871 EH.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled toys away from infants and return it to the store where purchased, or contact Manhattan Toy for a full refund. Consumer Contact: The Manhattan Toy Company at 800-541-1345 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. CT Fridays, or online at www.manhattantoy.com and click on "Recalls" at the bottom of the page for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Richie House Children's Robes by Belle Investment; Sold Exclusively at Amazon.com

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Richie House-branded children's 100% polyester robes. They were sold in youth sizes 4/5 through

12/14 and in four different color/print combinations; red with dog print, blue with butterfly print, pink and white with white polka dots, and solid pink. The robes have long-sleeves, a belt, and two front pockets. The red robe comes with a hood. "Richie House Los Angeles" and the size are printed on a label sewn into the neck of the robe.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled robes away from children and contact Richie House for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Richie House toll-free at 844-742-1303 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, email at info@richiehouse.com. or online at www.richiehouse.com and click on "Recall Information" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Children's Pajamas by Sweet Bamboo

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves children's 50 percent polyester and 50 percent viscose from bamboo, woven two-piece, short-sleeve shirt and pant pajama sets. The pajama sets were sold in four colors: dark blue gingham, light

blue gingham, purple gingham, and black pin dot. The pajamas tops have white buttons down the front and the bottoms have an elastic waistband. The pajamas were sold in sizes 12 to 18 months, 18 to 24 months, 2T, 3T, 4T, 5 years, and 6 years.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled pajamas away from children and contact Sweet Bamboo for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Sweet Bamboo toll-free at 888-408-2822 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, online or at www.mysweetbamboo.com and click on "Recall Information" at the bottom of the page for more information.



PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Building Sets by Panelcraft DESCRIPTION: This recall involves two styles of Panelcraft<sup>™</sup> Rainbow magnetic building sets:

Rainbow Dream Builder and Rainbow Solid Builder. The solid builder set includes 19 pieces: 11 solid panels in red, yellow, green, blue and purple and 8 white windows that measure 9 inches by 9 inches. The rainbow dream builder set includes 19 windows in red, yellow, green, blue, and purple colors that measure 9 inches by 9 inches.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled building sets and take them away from children. Contact the firm to receive a prepaid shipping label for returning the recalled sets for a free replacement set including shipping. Consumer Contact: Panelcraft toll-free at 888-288-7615 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at www.panelcraft.com and click on "Contact Us" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Magnetic Dry Erase Boards by Really Good Stuff

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall includes Write Again brand dry erase white boards sold in four sizes with SKU numbers: 152277 (double sided, 9 by 12 inches ); 136110 (9 by 12

inches); 152211 (12 by 18 inches); and 301800 (6 by 9 inches). Lot numbers XXXXX-0903 through XXXXX-1115 and SKU numbers are printed on a label on the back of the dry erase board. The boards were sold individually and in packs of six.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled boards and contact Really Good Stuff for a replacement board. Consumer Contact: Really Good Stuff at 800-801-4046 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at Recalls@reallygoodstuff.com, or online at www.reallygoodstuff.com and click on "Product Safety" at the bottom of the page for more information.



PRODUCT/FIRM:BabyRattles by BRIODESCRIPTION:ThisrecallinvolvesBRIOsofthammerbabyrattle toys.Theyhave a

wooden handle with a white plastic teething ring at one end and a red, yellow, white, and green hammer head at the other end. BRIO is stamped on the hammer head. The rattle is about 5 inches long.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled baby rattles and contact BRIO for instructions on how to receive a full refund or a replacement product of similar value. Consumer Contact: BRIO, through North American distributor Ravensburger, at www.brio.us and click on "Recalls" at the bottom of the page; or call 800-886-1236 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Laura Ashley Girl's Dresses by Pastourelle

**DESCRIPTION**: This recall involves Laura Ashley London Girl's Floral Clip Dot dresses. The 100% woven cotton dresses were sold in a pink multicolor floral pattern with or

without a matching diaper cover. The dresses have a set of three pink petal flowers at the waist and were sold in newborn to girls sizes 0/3M through 6X. "Laura Ashley London" and the size are printed on a tag attached to the inside back of the dress. Style numbers 17156300, 17156307, 17156344, 27156300, 27156307, 27156344, 47156300, 47156307, and 47156344 are included in this recall. The style number is printed on a tag located on the inside seam on the side of the dress.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled dresses away from children and contact the firm for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Pastourelle toll-free at 888-507-7275 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at info@pastourelle.com, or online at www.pastourellerecall.com.



PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Swimsuits by Meijer

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves the Wave Zone one-piece, zip-back swimsuit for newborns, infants, and toddlers. The swimsuits have a zipper on the back and four snaps on the bottom and were sold in four colors: blue and gray with a shark on the front; white and navy stripes with an anchor pattern; pink and teal with a strawberry on the front; and pink arms with a multicolored fish pattern. The swimsuits were sold in sizes: 0-3m, 3-6m, 6-9m, 12m, 18m, and 24m. "Wave Zone" and "Made in China" are printed on the inner collar. The tracking number located on the sewn-in label on the inner side seam is "NOV 2016 021-14328."

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled swimsuits and return them to the customer service desk at any Meijer store for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Meijer at 800-927-8699 anytime, or online at www.meijer.com and click on "Product Recalls" at the bottom of the page for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Infant Rompers by Fabri-Tech; Sold Exclusively at Cracker Barrel Old Country Stores **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Fabri-Tech's infant shortall rompers. The red and white-checkered rompers have a toolbox design on the front and two buttons at the top of the straps that button over the

shoulders. They were sold in boy's sizes 6-9m, 12m, and 18m. The size, "decorated originals for kids" logo and "PO# 906512 PD 12/8/16" are printed on the neck label. **REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled rompers and return them to any Cracker Barrel Old Country Store® for a full refund, or contact Fabri-Tech to receive a prepaid shipping label for returning the recalled romper for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Fabri-Tech at 800-285-1295 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. ET, or online at www.fabritech.biz and click on "Recall Notice" for more information.



PRODUCT/FIRM: Slap Bracelets Sold with Children's Storybooks by Studio Fun International DESCRIPTION: The recalled "slap bracelets" were included with "DreamWorks Trolls: It's Hug Time!" children's storybooks. The bracelet

consists of an inner, flexible metal band wrapped in a purple fabric covering with a pink fabric flower. The ISBN for the book is 978-0-7944-3840-1 and is printed on the back of the book.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled bracelets away from children and contact Studio Fun International for instructions on discarding the bracelet and to receive a free Trolls book. Consumer Contact: Studio Fun International at 800-489-3402 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, or online at www.studiofun.com and click on "Product Recall" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Toddler Sweater Fleece Pullovers by L.L. Bean

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves L.L. Bean toddler sweater fleece pullovers sold in sizes 2T, 3T and 4T. The

pullovers have blue trim and were sold in three colors; deep garnet (red), heather gray, and light lilac. They have four snaps, two pockets, and the L.L. Bean logo tag on the front. Item number 300206 and lot 02/17 are printed on woven tags attached to the neckline of the pullovers.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the fleece pullover and contact L.L. Bean for a full refund. L.L. Bean is contacting its customers directly. Consumer Contact: L.L. Bean at 800-555-9717 from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. ET daily, or online at www.llbean.com and click on "Recall & Safety Info" at the bottom of the page for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Children's Sleepwear by ASHERANGEL; Sold Exclusively at Amazon.com

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves children's 100 percent cotton nightgowns and two-piece pajama sets. The short-sleeve nightgowns

have white lace at the neckline and a ribbon bow. The nightgowns were sold in purple, pink and blue. The twopiece, long-sleeve shirt and pant pajama sets have a four button placket down the center front of the top and a pocket on the left chest. They were sold in solid pink, black with white polka dots, a pink gingham pattern, and a blue gingham pattern. Both garments were sold in European sizes 110 cm (4-6 years), 120 cm (6-8 years), 130 cm (7-10 years), 140 cm (9-11 years), and 150 cm (11-13 years). The European size in inches is printed on a tag on the inside of the garment at the back of the neck. **REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled sleepwear, take them away from children, and contact ASHERANGEL for a full refund. The firm is contacting all known purchasers directly. Consumer Contact: ASHERANGEL by email at polook2013@gmail.com.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Plush Baby Stacking Toys by Hallmark **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves the itty bittys baby Disney-licensed plush animal stacking toys with rattling rings. The toys measure 10 inches by 7.5 inches by 9.5 inches.

They have a yellow base stand with a post and four rattling rings that slide on and off the post. The red, blue, pink, and purple rings have Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse, and Donald Duck and Daisy Duck characters attached to them. Three of the four Disney-licensed characters are wearing a small plush, fabric hat, or bow. The Hallmark logo and "itty bittys" are printed on a sewnon tag attached to the toy's base.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled toys and take them away from children. Contact Hallmark to receive a prepaid shipping label for returning the recalled toy and for a \$40 Hallmark Gold Crown gift card. Consumer Contact: Hallmark at 800-425-5627 from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at www.hallmark.com and click on "Product Recalls" at the bottom of the page for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Strollers by Delta

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves J is for Jeep brand cross-country all-terrain jogging strollers (models and lot numbers listed below) manufactured by Delta. The strollers have two wheels in the back and one smaller wheel in the front. "J is for Jeep" is printed on the

side of the stroller sun canopy, and a star with a circle around its logo is printed on the front bottom of the seat and on the side of the stroller. The model number and lot number are printed on a Delta Children label with a blue heart at the left bottom frame support.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled strollers and can contact Delta for a free repair. Consumer Contact: Delta at 800-377-3777 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at

recall@deltachildren.com, or online at www.deltachildren.com and click on "Help Center" and then "Recall Center" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Infant Bib and Bootie Sets by DEMDACO **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Story Time bib and bootie sets for infants, ages 3 through 6 months. The multicolored pastel sets were sold in

six different child themes and have serial numbers ranging from 5004700491 to 5004700496. The serial number can be found on the side of the bib. The sets were sold under the brand name Nat & Jules. Rattle attachments sewn into the booties coordinate with the theme.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled bib sets, take them away from children, and return them to any store that sells DEMDACO's products for a full refund. Consumer Contact: DEMDACO toll-free at 1-866-336-3226 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, or online at www.demdaco.com and click on "Product Recall" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Infant Wiggle Balls by Toys "R" Us **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Bruin Infant Wiggle Ball toys - also called a giggle ball. The blue ball has textured bumps for gripping and has orange, green,

and yellow rubber knobs around the ball. The ball wiggles, vibrates, and plays three different musical tunes. It has an on/off switch and requires 3 AA batteries to operate. The recalled wiggle balls have the model number 5F6342E and Toys "R" Us printed on the product.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled balls, take them away from babies, and return them to Babies "R" Us or Toys "R" Us for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Toys "R" Us at 800-869-7787 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at www.toysrus.com and click on "Product Recalls" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Children's Plates and Bowls by Playtex **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Playtex plates and bowls for children. The plates have various printed designs including cars, construction scenes, giraffes,

princesses, superheroes, and more. The white polypropylene plates and bowls also have a colored rim on top and a non-slip bottom. Playtex is written on the bottom of the plates and bowls. The plates and bowls were sold separately and together as sets. A Mealtime set is comprised of a plate, a bowl, two utensils, and a cup.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled plates and bowls and take them away from young children. Consumers should contact Playtex for a full refund. Consumer Contact: Playtex toll-free at 888-220-2075 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at www.playtexproducts.com and click on "Recall" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Nightlight Soothers by Skip Hop **DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Skip Hop's Moonlight & Melodies owl and elephant nightlight soothers that play melodies or nature sounds and

project images. They have a USB wall power adapter and cord. The white and gray owl soothers measure about 5.5 x 4.5 x 6 inches. The white elephant soother measures about 7 x 4.2 x 5.7 inches. The soothers have a sound speaker on each side and operation buttons at the top or the back. The Skip Hop logo is on the underside of the soother.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled nightlight soothers and contact Skip Hop for instructions on returning the USB wall power adapter. Consumers will receive a prepaid shipping label and a free repair kit, including a free USB wall adapter. Consumer Contact: Skip Hop toll-free at 888-282-4674 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at recall@skiphop.com, or online at www.skiphop.com and click on "Product Recalls" at the bottom of the page for more information.



## **QUESTIONS?**

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