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NOTIFICATION

Revision

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>MALAYSIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Domestic Trade, Co-operatives and Consumerism Consumerism Standards Division Level 4, Block Podium 2 No. 13, Persiaran Perdana, Presint 2 62623 Putrajaya, Malaysia Tel: +(603) 8882 5500/5599/5968 Fax: +(603) 8882 6960 Website: http://www.kpdnkk.gov.my/ Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Toys (HS: Chapter 95, 87, 36) (ICS: 97.200.50). Toys means any goods designed or intended for use in play by children less than fourteen years of age but does not include the goods specified in the Second Schedule of P.U. (A) 275. HS Code for toys: <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. HS 9503.00 – Tricycles, scooters, pedal cars and similar wheeled toys; dolls carriages; dolls: others toys; reduced size ("scale") models and similar recreational models, working or not (operated at a nominal voltage of 24V and below); puzzles of all kinds (500 pieces and below)b. HS 9503.00 100 – Tricyclesc. HS 9503.00 200 – Others wheeled toys; dolls carriagesd. HS 9503.00 300 – Dolls including parts and accessoriese. HS 9503.00 400 – Reduced-size ('scale') models and similar recreational models, working or not (operated at a nominal voltage of 24V and below); puzzles of all kinds (500 pieces and below)f. HS 9503.00 920 – Of rubberg. HS 9503.00 990 – Other toysh. HS 9504.40 000 – Playing cards for childreni. HS 9504.90 200 – Video games of a kind used with a television receiver (operated at a nominal voltage of 24V and below)j. HS 8712.00 120 – Bicycles, designed to be ridden by children (not in the form of adults' cycles) (saddle height of 435mm and below)k. HS 3604.90 200 – Percussion caps for toys

	Explosives; pyrotechnic products; matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations (HS: 36), Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling- stock, and parts and accessories thereof (HS: 87), Toys, games and sports requisites; parts and accessories thereof (HS: 95)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Consumer Protection (Certificate of Conformance and Conformity Mark of Safety Standards) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (5 pages, in English) and Consumer Protection (Safety Standards for Toys) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (3 pages, in English)
6.	<p>Description of content: This notification is the 3rd revision of G/TBT/N/MYS/15, notified on 6 November 2008. The 1st and 2nd revisions were notified on 19 October 2010 and 12 March 2014 respectively.</p> <p>This revision is due to changes that occurred in revision of the standards in line with suggestions and proposals from the toys industry players as well as to further strengthen the regulations.</p> <p>The major amendments to the regulations are as the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The removal of column "Year" in Schedule 1 of P.U. (A) 275 b. The removal of Malaysian Standard 1174 Part 6 as one of the prescribed safety standards c. The addition of 13 international toys safety standards d. New enforcement date e. Minor amendments to Schedule 2 of P.U. (A) 275 are made f. Inclusion of the requirement of compliance to toys supplied as gift, free items or free offer g. The requirement for maintenance of records by the product owners within a specified time h. The requirement for products owners to notify the Ministry on non-compliance issues and corrective actions taken within a specified time i. The addition of retailer as the product owner and j. Amendments to P.U. (A) 253 to facilitate enforcement activities are made
7.	<p>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The main objective of toys safety standards regulations in Malaysia is to ensure that the toys supplied in Malaysian market are safe and to minimize potential hazards associated with toys resulting from their use in their intended play modes (normal use) as well as unintended play modes (reasonably foreseeable abuse). Children are categorized as vulnerable group and they may be exposed to the usage of toys that are unsafe and could cause harm to them. In line with the development of the technology, revision of the safety standards and to further strengthen the regulations after five years of implementation, this amendment is in place to ensure the regulations are still relevant and effective.</p>
8.	<p>Relevant documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Consumer Protection Act 1999 2. P.U. (A) 275 Consumer Protection (Safety Standards for Toys) Regulations 2009 3. P.U. (A) 252 Consumer Protection (Safety Standards for Toys) (Amendment) Regulations 2010, and 4. P.U. (A) 253 Consumer Protection (Certificate of Conformance and Conformity Mark of Safety Standards) Regulations 2010
9.	<p>Proposed date of adoption: To be determined</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined</p>
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

The Malaysian Standards referred can be purchased from:

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https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/TBT/MYS/15_4562_00_e.pdf