




Malaysia Regulations Update on Toys Safety Standards

The Ministry of Domestic Trade, Co-operatives and Consumerism (MDTCC) in Malaysia has published an announcement to amend the transition period of "Consumer Protection (Safety Standards for Toys) (Amendment) Regulations 2010" and "Consumer Protection (Certification of Approval and Conformity Mark of Safety Standards) Regulations 2010". The enforcement of both regulations will be carried out phase-by-phase.

The Challenge:

1. All new imported or manufactured toys shall comply with both of the above regulations starting from 1 August 2010.
2. It is compulsory for all new imported or manufactured toys to be affixed with the conformity mark issued by the MDTCC starting from 1 August 2010.
3. A six-month extension period is given to the existing toys in the market. The industries are required to make sure that all their existing toys comply with both of the above regulations from 1 February, 2011 onwards.
4. The existing toy, which comes with test report from any laboratories, is allowed to be affixed with the conformity mark until 1 January, 2012.

 For previous update of this issue, please refer to our previous [Sparkle Vol.493](#).

The Solution:

Intertek, an internationally accredited laboratory, offers an extensive variety of solutions and services to a wide range of industries. We have earned the confidence of our clients with consistent professionalism and accuracy in our testing services.

In order to cope with your needs on these laws compliance, Intertek has developed precise analytical methods in confirming the toys safety compliance as defined in the MS ISO 8124.

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