

THE SAFETY BOX

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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.agbuddycaldwell.com</u>, click on "News and Publications," 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 April 2010 through June 2010.

TOY PROUCT RECALLS

PRODUCT/FIRM: Youth and Junior Hockey Sticks, Shafts and Blades by Bauer Hockey Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: The hockey and goalie sticks, shafts and blades come in various shapes, sizes and colors.



The name "Bauer" and the model descriptions are on all of the sticks, shafts and blades. Most of the sticks also have the Nike symbol. Junior player sticks are identified by the marking "YOUTH Flex 42" or "YTH Flex 42." These markings appear on all

models on the narrow side of the stick shaft either near the top of the stick or near the blade. Junior replacement blades fit only the Junior sticks and are identified by the markings "P92" or "PM9" followed by "JR", which appear on the narrow side of the blade near where the shaft and blade are joined. Junior goal sticks are identified by the markings "P31-JR-22 ½" or "P31 JUNIOR-FLEX 52-22 ½ which appear on the narrow side of the stick shaft near the top of the stick. Theses products were sold at sporting goods stores nationwide from February 2005 through March 2010 for about \$80 to \$200 for sticks, \$30 for blades, and \$40 to \$90 for shafts.

PROBLEM: Paint and decals on the sticks, shafts and blades contain excessive levels of lead, violating the federal lead paint standard.

REMEDY: Consumers should take the recalled sticks, shafts and blades away from children immediately and contact Bauer at **(888) 734-0443** or visit <u>www.bauer.com</u> for a replacement or refund.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Baby Paperboard Books by Gund

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves three miniature children's paperboard books with plastic handles designed as baby rattles. They include "Animals" (item number 059174), "Numbers" (item number 059175) and "Colors" (item number 059176). The books were also sold as a three-book set (item number 059176). The books were also sold as a three book set (item # 059173). The name "Gund" and the item number are located on the back of the books. The books measure 4

1/2 inches by 7 inches. This product was sold at gift and specialty stores nationwide from January 2009 through



March 2010 for about \$8 and \$20 for the set. **PROBLEM:** The foam used to fill

PROBLEM: The foam used to fill the book binding can detach, posing a choking/aspiration hazard to infants and young children,

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the books away from young children and contact Gund at **(800) 436-3726** or visit <u>www.gund.com</u> for a free replacement product.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Double Egg Shakers by Discount School Supply

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves egg shakers sold in packages of two. The words "Double Eggs" and



"Breeded to produce great sound" are printed on the front of the packages. Only the red eggs are subject to the violation of the lead paint standard. This product was sold at Discount School Supply stores nationwide from April 2009 through December 2009 for about \$3.

PROBLEM: Surface paint on the red eggs contains excessive levels of lead, violating the federal lead paint standard.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled eggs away from children and contact Discount School Supply at **(800) 606-3807** or visit <u>www.discountschool supply.com</u> for a purchase credit.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Rechargeable Batteries sold with Portable DVD/CD/MP3 Players by Coby Electronics Corp.

BRAND/MODEL: The recall involves Coby DVD/CD/MP3 players with product numbers TF-DVD 1020 and TF-DVD 8501. "Coby" is printed on the front cover and the product number is on the bottom of the

unit. The serial numbers on the recalled rechargeable



batteries are printed on a label on the following batteries: DG240043D50300001-1006, DG24006D5030001-400, DG240039D60300001-3000, DG240111D60300001-2000, DG240143D60200001-3000,

DG240106D60200001-2000, DG240183D942000001-100, DG240071DB020000011400, DG240115D70200000 1 - 2500 and TF-DVD 8501 beginning with "HY" 8 ½ inch screen. This product was sold at discount electronics, music, toy, office supply stores and distributors of electronic products nationwide. The TF-DVD 1020 units were sold from May 2007 through July 2008 for about \$168. The TF-DVD 8501 units were sold from January 2007 through September 2009 for between \$140 and \$275.

PROBLEM: The rechargeable batteries can overheat, posing a fire hazard to consumers.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the players with the recalled batteries and contact the firm to arrange for a free replacement battery. After removing the recalled batteries from the unit, consumers can continue to use it with the AC or DC power adapter. For additional information, contact Coby Electronics at (866) 945-2629 or visit www.cobyusa.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: TechnoSkin Foam Balls and Sportime TechStitched Soccer Balls by Sportime

BRAND/MODEL: The recall involves the following SchoolSmart TechnoSkin Coated Foam Balls and



TechStitched Soccer Balls. The TechnoSkin Foam Balls measure between 2 ³/₄ and 8 ¹/₄ inches in diameter. The Sportime TechStitched Soccer Ball is a standard size soccer ball. These products were sold through Sportime's catalog and

on the firm's website <u>www.schoolspecialty.com</u> from December 2006 through August 2009 for between \$28 and \$110 per set.

PROBLEM: Surface paints on the sports balls contain excessive levels of lead, which is a violation of the federal lead paint standard.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled products away from children and contact Sportime at **(888) 388-3224** or visit <u>www.school specialty.com</u> for instructions to receive a full refund or replacement product.

PRODUCT/ FIRM: Step2[®] Basic Rhythms Drums[™] by



the Step2 Company LLC **BRAND/MODEL:** This recall involves Step2® Basic Rhythms Drums[™] intended for preschool age children. The toy drum is sold with two drumsticks that can be stored in clips on the side of the

drum. A red "Step2 $\ensuremath{\mathbb{R}}$ " logo is printed on the side of the drum. This product was sold at Toys "R" Us, Burlington

Coat Factory and other retail stores nationwide from August 2009 through March 2010 for between \$10 and \$15.

PROBLEM: The plastic clips used to attach the drumsticks to the drum can break. The small broken pieces present a choking hazard to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled toy from children and contact Step2 at **(866) 860-1887** or visit <u>www.step2.com</u> to request a replacement toy.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Push Around and Whisper Ride Buggies by Step2® Company LLC

BRAND/MODEL: The Step2® Push Around Buggy[™] and Whisper Ride Buggy[™] are ride-on



toys. The buggy comes in the following colors: orange, red, blue, pink and green. The buggies have a red "Step2" logo on the handle of the buggy. Buggies that have a handle attached by a bolt with a plastic white or black head and nut are not included in this recall. This product was sold at major retailers and specialty stores

from August 1999 through March 2010 for between \$29 and \$59.

PROBLEM: A pin attaching to the yellow knob on the handle of the buggy can loosen, causing the handle to detach from the buggy. This poses a serious risk of injury to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled buggy and contact Step2 at **(866) 860-1887** or visit <u>www.step2.com</u> for a free repair kit.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Toy Dart Guns by Henry Gordy International, Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: The "Auto Fire" toy target set is sold



with either an orange and yellow toy gun (item #P238) or a blue and yellow toy gun (item #9328), eight orange darts and a small target with numbers from 1 to 20. The gun's item number is located on one side of the handle in raised lettering. The soft plastic darts measure just over one inch in length and have a small suction cup at one end with a diameter of

about ½ inch. The target board is black, yellow, red and green, and measures five inches in diameter. "Gordy Toy" for "Ages 8+" is printed on the packaging. The toy sets were sold exclusively at Family Dollar stores nationwide from September 2005 through January 2009 for about \$1.50.

PROBLEM: If a child places the soft, pliable plastic toy dart in his/her mouth, the toy can be inhaled into the throat and prevent the child from breathing.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the toy target sets from children and discard them. Consumer can also return the guns and darts to a Family Dollar store for a full refund. For additional information, contact Family Dollar at **(800) 547-0359** or visit www.familydollar.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Sandy the Squirrel Plush Toys by MOA Entertainment Co. LLC

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves the Sandy the Squirrel plush toy, which measures approximately 1 foot high by 4.5 inches wide. It is a brown and tan plush toy with a purple skirt and bikini top. "Po #: 86849" and the production date of 01/2010 are printed on the toy's smaller white tag. This product was sold exclusively at Nickelodeon, 4U and NU stores in the Mall of America in

March 2010 for about \$10.

PROBLEM: Young children can remove and ingest the squirrel's nose, which poses a choking hazard.

REMEDY: Consumers should take the toy away from children and return it to the Nickelodeon Store, SpongeBob 4U, or NU Stuff stores in Nickelodeon Universe at Mall of America to receive a full refund. Consumers can also contact Mall of America for a full refund or exchange for a different toy of equal value. For additional information, contact Nickelodeon Universe at (877) 336-9716 or visit www.nickelodeonuniverse.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: "Shrek Forever After 3D" Collectable

Drinking Glasses by ARC International

BRAND/MODEL: The "Shrek Forever After 3D"



collectable drinking glasses are 16 ounce glasses that came in four designs: Shrek, Fiona, Puss 'n Boots, and Donkey. These were products sold exclusively at McDonald's restaurants nationwide

from May 2010 to June 2010 for about \$2.

PROBLEM: The designs on the glasses contain cadmium. Long term exposure to cadmium can cause adverse health effects.

REMEDY: McDonald's is asking consumers to immediately stop using the glasses and return the glasses to any McDonald's for a refund of \$3. For additional information, contact McDonald's at (800) 244-6227 or visit www.mcdonalds.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Beado Handheld Bead Play Toys by Rhino Toys Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves the Beado handheld beaded play toys with model number 1501 and date



code 029104323A. The product measures six inches in diameter and is composed of four blue plastic "hubs", six white plastic "wires" and twelve multi-colored beads that slide along the wires. The model number and date code are printed on the bottom of the packaging and the date code is

also inside of the blue hubs. Beados that have a date code different than 02910 or have a date code of 02910 and an inspection sticker on the bottom of the packaging and a black mark by the date code inside the blue hub are not included in this recall. This product was sold at specialty toy and juvenile retailers from March 2010 through May 2010 for about \$12.

PROBLEM: The toys' plastic wires can detach from the hubs due to insufficient adhesive, allowing the bead to slide off. The loose beads pose a choking hazard to vouna children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using this recalled toy and return it to the store where it was purchased to receive a full refund or a replacement Beado hand-held beaded tov. For additional information, contact Rhino Toys at (877) 887-4433 or visit www.rhinotoys.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Tiara by Wilton® Industries Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves the Wilton® Youth Tiara with a SKU number of 120-228. The SKU number



is located on the back of the package in the lower right corner. The tiara is silver-colored with clear crystals. This product was sold at Party City, Jo-Ann Fabrics, Ben Franklin Stores, Amazon.com, and other retailers nationwide from June 2009 through April 2010 for about \$13.

PROBLEM: The tiara contains high levels of lead. Lead is toxic if ingested by young children and can cause adverse health effects.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled tiaras away from children and contact Wilton Industries at (800) 593-7866 or visit www.wilton.com for a full refund.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Happy Charm Bracelets and Football Rings by Toy Network and SmileMakers Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves "Happy" charm The "Happy" charm bracelets and football rings.



bracelet is comprised of colorful beads on a small elastic band to which a metal charm in the shape of a butterfly, moon or sun is attached. The football ring is a small adjustable metal band to which a football charm (made of metal) is

attached. This product was distributed at doctor and dentist offices nationwide from June 2005 through March 2010 for free.

PROBLEM: The metal substrate in the iewelry contains high levels of cadmium. Cadmium is toxic if ingested by young children and can cause adverse health effects.

Consumers should immediately take the REMEDY: recalled jewelry away from children and discard the product. For additional information. contact SmileMakers 390-5470 at (877) or visit www.smilemakers.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Animal Crackers Giant Stacking Toys by One Step Ahead



BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves Animal Crackers Giant Stacking Toys. The multicolored toy has five plush stacking rings that stack and rest on a stationary turtle base. The rings represent different animals including a frog, dog, cat, rabbit, mouse and chick. A fish is on top of the center pole. Each ring makes a different sound: rattle, jingle, crinkle, and squeak. "One Step Ahead" is printed on a white tag attached to the toy.

The toy measures about 19 inches high and 10 inches wide when assembled. This product was sold at One Step Ahead's catalog and on the firm's website at www.onestepahead.com from October 2008 through April 2010 for about \$35.

PROBLEM: The fabric covering the stacking ring's center pole can come apart at the seam exposing the foam material inside. The foam material poses choking and aspiration hazards to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled toys away from children and return the toy's center pole to One Step Ahead for a \$50 merchandise certificate to be applied toward the purchase of another product(s) sold in the One Step Ahead catalog or online at www.on<u>estepahead.com</u>. The firm is directly contacting consumers who purchased the recalled toy. For additional information, contact One Step Ahead at (866) 271-4536.

CHILD PROUCT RECALLS

PRODUCT/FIRM: SlingRider by Infantino BRAND/MODEL: The Infantino "SlingRider," is a soft fabric baby carrier with a padded shoulder strap that is



worn by parents and caregivers to carry an infant weighing up to 20 lbs. "Infantino" is printed on the plastic slider located on the strap. "Infantino," "SlingRider" and the item number are printed on the instruction/warning label inside the baby sling carrier. "Wendv

Bellissimo" branded sling carriers were sold exclusively at Babies "R" Us and a have sewn-in label on the inside of the sling strap that says in part "Wendy Bellissimo Media, Inc." and lists Item numbers 3937500H7 and 393751H7. This product was sold in the United States and Canada from January 2003 through March 2010 at Wal Mart, Burlington Coat Factory, Target, Babies "R" Us, BJ's Wholesale, various baby and children's stores and other retailers nationwide, and on the Web at Amazon.com, for between \$25 and \$30.

PROBLEM: The SlingRider poses a risk of suffocation to infants.

REMEDY: Consumers should stop using the recalled slings immediately and contact Infantino at (866) 8601361 or visit www.infantino.com to receive a free replacement product.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Graco Harmony[™] High Chairs by Graco Children's Products Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves all Harmony™



High Chairs. The high chairs were manufactured from November 2003 through December 2009 and are no longer in production. The model numbers

can be found on the label that is located on the underside of the foot rest. This product was sold at AAFES, Burlington Coat Factory, Babies "R" Us, Toys "R" Target, Target.com, Us. Sears, Walmart, WalMart.com, Shopko, USA Baby, and other retailers

nationwide from December 2003 through March 2010 for between \$70 and \$120.

PROBLEM: The screws holding the front legs of the high chair can loosen and fall out and/or the plastic bracket on the rear leas can crack causing the high chair to become unstable and tip over unexpectedly. This poses a fall hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the Harmony[™] high chair and contact Graco at (877) 842-3206 or visit www.gracobaby.com to receive a free repair kit.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Dorel Asia Cribs by Dorel Asia SRL **BRAND/MODEL:** The following Dorel Asia cribs are involved in this recall: 3-1 Sleigh Crib-Cherry Drop side #WM1633, 3-1 Sleigh Crib-Cherry (no castors) #



WM1633-0, 4-1 Bethany James Crib-Walnut fixed #WM1676BC, 2-1 Crib- Walnut # WM1676BCR-DC, 4-1 Crib – Manhattan Walnut fixed #WM2163, 4-1 Crib -Manhattan Walnut fixed

#WM2163DC, 3-1 Sleigh Crib (no castors) fixed #WM1633-0-DC, 2-1 Dandridge Crib (drop side only) #WM2614. 3-1 Convertible - Espresso drop side #GP004B3EGR, 3-1 Convertible -White Drop side # GP004B3WGR. Single-Espresso drop side GP006BCEGR. Single-White drop side #GP006BCWGR, 3-1 Convertible Crib - Natural drop side #DA1615B3, 3-1 Convertible Crib- White drop side # DAKM5132, Cottage Hill Single Cribs – White drop side #DASE5005, Vintage Estate 3-1 Sleigh Crib – Cherry drop side #DASE5009, 3-1 Heritage Crib- Natural drop side #DA0504KMC-1N, 3-1 Heritage Crib- White drop side #DA0504KMC-1W, 3-1 Lexington Crib—Cherry drop side #DA1614B3, Single Jenny Lind Crib—Walnut drop side DAKM5152, 3-1 Convertible—Toffee drop side DASE5015. These products were sold at K-Mart, Sears and Wal-Mart stores nationwide from January 2005 through December 2009 for between \$120 and \$700.

PROBLEM: The drop side hardware can fail causing the drop side to detach from the crib. When the drop side detaches it creates a space in which an infant or toddler

can become entrapped and suffocate or strangled. In addition, the recalled cribs can pose a serious entrapment and strangulation hazard when a slat is damaged. This can occur while the crib is in use, in storage, being put together, taken apart or reassembled; or during shipping and handling.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled cribs, find an alternate safe sleeping environment for your child and contact Dorel Asia at (866) 762-2304 or visit <u>www.dorel-asia.com</u> to receive a free replacement kit.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Mecca Children's Hooded Jackets

with Drawstring by 5 Star Apparel LLC



BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves Girl's Pink Short-Sleeve Lightweight Jackets with style numbers MIG108105 sizes 12M, 18M, 24M; MLG108105 sizes 4-6X; MTG108105 in Sizes 2T-

4T. Mecca is printed on the inside of the jacket below the neck. Boy's Black or Brown heavy jackets with style numbers MLK908602 in sizes 4-7; MT908602 in sizes 2T-4T. "Mecca is printed on the outside back of the jacket. This product was sold at Burlington Coat Factory, Marshalls and other retail stores nationwide from April 2008 through December 2009 for between \$40 and \$100.

PROBLEM: The jackets have drawstring through the hood which can pose a strangulation hazard to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should remove the drawstring immediately, cut the drawstring out of the garment or return the jackets to the store were purchased for a full refund. For additional information, call 5 Star collect at **(646) 273-1225.**

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Snowsuits and Coats by Deux par Deux Minimone Inc.





This recall involves children's snowsuits and coats sold in sizes 2 though 12. The snowsuits and coats were sold in various colors and prints. The brand name "Deux par Deux" and the style number is printed on the neck tag. This product was sold at small boutique retailers in the United

States from 2005 through 2010 for \$190 for the snowsuits and \$120 for the coats.

PROBLEM: The snowsuits and coats have drawstrings through the hood that can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstrings from the jackets to eliminate the hazard or return the garment with drawstring to the place of purchase for a full refund. Consumers can also return the jacket with the drawstring intact to Deux par Deux, 433 Chabanel West, Suite 1102, Montreal, Quebec Canada H2N 2JB for a full refund. For additional

information, contact Deux par Deux at **(866) 557-2222** or visit <u>www.DeuxparDeux.com</u>.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Baby Walkers by Le Hing Inc. **BRAND/MODEL:** The recalled walkers are intended for



babies 6 months and older. The item number L-0809EN is printed on the side of the box. The walkers are blue or pink with a white tray. This product was sold at small independent retailers and discount stores in California and Arizona from June 2009 through August 2009 for

between \$25 and \$28.

PROBLEM: The walkers can fit through a standard doorway and are not designed to stop at the edge of a step. Babies using these walkers can be seriously injured or killed.

REMEDY: Consumers should stop using these walkers immediately and return them to the store where purchased for a full refund. For additional information, contact, Le Hing collect at **(625) 575-8566**.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Hooded Sweatshirts by GJC International of Florida, Inc. and Niko's Sportsline **BRAND/MODEL:** This recall involves children's Niko



brand hooded sweatshirts with drawstring through the hood. The garment-dyed sweatshirts were sold in mango, kiwi, rust, denim, pink, brown and periwrinkly and in size 2T through "Niko's 5T. А tad reads. SPORTSLINE" is sewn on the back neck of the garment. This product was sold at gift shops, children's

stores, and souvenir and resort stores in Delaware, Florida, Louisiana, New Jersey, Maryland and Michigan from June 2007 through January 2008 for about \$8.

PROBLEM: The children's jackets have drawstrings through the hood which pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstrings from the sweatshirts to eliminate the hazard or return the sweatshirts to GJC International of Florida, Inc. for a full refund. For additional information, contact GJC International of Florida collect at (954)-581-4646.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Girls' hooded jackets by Trendset Originals LLC

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves two styles of girls' jackets. The Shampoo brand jackets are denim with a



pink hood and sleeves, and were sold in sizes 5/6, 7/8, 10/12 and 14/16. The Marci & Me brand sweater jackets are black or tan and were sold in sizes 7/8, 10/12 and 14/16. The tag at the neck reads

"Shampoo" or "Marci & Me." This product was sold exclusively at Burlington Coat Factory stores nationwide from September 2007 through September 2009 for between \$11 and \$13. **PROBLEM:** The hooded jackets have a drawstring through the hood that can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumer should immediately remove the drawstrings from the jackets to eliminate the hazard. Consumers can also return the jackets to any Burlington Coat Factory store for a full refund. For additional information, contact Trendset Originals at (800) 908-8308 or visit www.trendsetny.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's hooded sweatshirts with



drawstrings by Polar Bear Gift Shops

BRAND/MODEL: This recall children's hooded involves sweatshirts sold in sizes small through extra large. "John Moose" and "Alaska" screen

print logos are printed on the front of the yellow sweatshirt. The "Gaxiani" brand name and RN# 55774 are sewn on the neck tag inside of the garment. This product was sold exclusively at Polar Bear Gift Shop in Anchorage, Alaska from February 2008 through August 2009 for about \$15.

PROBLEM: The sweatshirts have a drawstring through the hood which can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstring to eliminate the hazard. Consumers can also return the sweatshirt to Polar Bear Gift Shop for a full refund. For additional information, contact Polar Bear Gift Shop collect at (907) 274-4387 or visit www.polarbeargifts.net.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's hooded sweatshirts with drawstrings by Gogo Sports Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves three styles of children's hooded sweatshirts with drawstrings. The



zippered sweatshirts were sold in sizes XS through 3XL. The HAY style sweatshirts were sold in black, naw, light grey, charcoal grey and pink. The HKK style sweatshirts were sold in black, naw, light blue, light grey, pink, and red. The JMK sweatshirts are reversible microfiber with polar fleece lining and a

removable hood with elastic or retractable drawstrings. Style JMK was sold in black only. The sweatshirts have sewn-in neck tag that reads "Gogo Sports" and city names printed across the front of the garment. This product was sold at clothing retail stores in California, Colorado, Hawaii and New Mexico from January 2008 through December 2009 for between \$14 and \$27.

PROBLEM: The sweatshirts have a drawstring through the hood that can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstrings from the sweatshirts to eliminate the hazard. For additional information, contact Gogo Sports (877) 785-1915 or visit www.gogofleece.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: PBteen Ottoman Beds by PBteen a division of Williams-Sonoma Inc.



BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves mattresses sold as part of PBteen Ottoman Beds with registration number CA- 31586(TW). These are multifunctional ottomans that can be used to sit or sleep. The ottoman can be turned into a twinsized bed. They were sold with a cover in stone, navy, ivory or pink. The ottoman cover has a tag that

reads "PBteen" and a label with registration number CA-31586(TW). This product was sold at PBteen catalog and website from August 2008 through November 2009 for about \$300.

PROBLEM: The Ottoman Bed mattresses fail to meet the mandatory federal open flame standard for mattresses, posing a fire hazard to consumers.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately contact PBteen at (866) 472-3010 or visit www.pbteen.com to receive a free mattress cover that will bring the mattress into compliance with the flammability standard.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Baby swimsuits by Gap Inc. **BRAND/MODEL:** The baby swimsuits were sold in two



styles: number 706260 is blue and white and number 700452 is red and white. The style number can be found on the label located on the swimsuit. Both swimsuits were sold in infant sizes up to 24 month and are made of synthetic knit stretch fabric of polyester and spandex. The

straps are made of the same material as the body. This product was sold at the babyGap, GapKids, Gap, Gap Outlet stores nationwide and online at www.gap.com from February 2010 through April 2010 for between \$17 and \$20.

PROBLEM: The swimsuits have halter straps that were manufactured too short causing the plastic ring located at the neck of the swimsuit to press against the child's throat and obstruct the airway. This poses a strangulation hazard to the child.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled swimsuits away from children and return them to the place of purchase for a full refund. Contact Gap at (888) 747-3704 or visit www.gap.com to return the swimsuits by mail if purchased online.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Graco®-branded drop side cribs by LaJobi

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves LaJobimanufactured Graco® wood cribs. The full size cribs



were sold in cherry, expresso, natural and white finishes. The production date, item number. purchase order number and finish name is printed on a label affixated to the footboard or headboard. "LaJobi" and the crib

model name are printed on a product sticker located on the stabilizer bar of bottom rail of the crib. The following

cribs model numbers are involved in the recall: Ashleigh Drop Side model # 3280142, 3280154, 3280181; Hampton Drop Side model # 3080136; Jason Convertible Drop Side model # 3290235, 3290254, 3290281; Kendal Drop Side model # 3570170, 3570181; Lauren Drop Side model # 3250235, 3250242, 3250247, 3250254, 3250281, 3250282, 3150281, 3150282; Rachel Convertible Drop Side # 3300236, 3300281; Sarah Drop Side model # 300135, 3000136, 3000142, 3000147, 3000154, 300181; Shannon Drop Side model # 3090136, 3270136. This product was sold at children's product stores and other retailers nationwide from February 2007 to March 2010 for between \$140 and \$200.

PROBLEM: The drop side hardware can break or fail, allowing the drop side to detach from the crib. When the drop side detaches, a hazardous gap is created between the drop side and the crib mattress in which infants and toddlers can become wedged or entrapped, posing a risk of suffocation and strangulation. In addition, children can fall from the cribs when the drop side detaches or fails to lock.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled cribs and contact LaJobi at **(888) 842-2215** or visit <u>www.LaJobi.com</u> to receive a free hardware retrofit kit that will immobilize the drop side. Parents and caregivers are urged to find an alternative, safe sleeping environment for their baby.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Full-size cribs with tubular metal mattress-support frames by Simplicity Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: Due to the fact that Simplicity and its successor, SFCA Inc., are no longer in business, there is



nc., are no longer in business, there is limited information about the number of cribs sold. All Simplicity drop-side cribs have previously been recalled for a hazard involving the drop side. Simplicity drop side cribs could still be in use by parents or caregivers who are unaware of the recalls or by those who received a repair kit to

immobilize the drop-side from Simplicity when the firm was still in business. This recall involves ALL Simplicity cribs with tubular metal mattress-support frames regardless of model number. The name "Simplicity Inc." or "Simplicity for Children" appears on a label on the crib's mattress-support frame and/or the crib's end panels. The cribs were manufactured in China.

PROBLEM: The crib's tubular metal mattress-support frame can bend or detach and cause part of the mattress to collapse, creating a space into which an infant or toddler can roll and become wedged, entrapped or fall out of the crib.

REMEDY: Parents and caregivers are urged to stop using these cribs immediately and find an alternative, safe sleeping environment for their baby. **Do not attempt to fix these cribs.**

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Hooded Velour Sweatshirts with Drawstrings by JD Fine & Company

BRAND/MODEL:



EL: This recall involves hooded sweatshirts under the "Sweet Tart" brand name in three styles: G80072873C in navy with rhinestones in the shape of a star; G80072874M in pink with rhinestones in the shape of a peace sign; and G80072875F in gray with rhinestones in the shape of a heart. The sweatshirts were sold in children's sizes XS, S, M and L and the name "Sweet Tart" can be found

on the neck label. This product was sold at Saks Off 5th Avenue outlet stores from July 2009 to April 2010.

PROBLEM: The hooded sweatshirts have a drawstring at the neck which can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstring from the jackets to eliminate the hazard or return the product to the store where purchased for a refund. For additional information, contact JD Fine & Company collect at (925) 521-3300 or visit www.sweettartgirl.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Roberta Roller Rabbit Children's Kimono Robe, Lounge Sets and Slumber Shorts Sets by Roberta Freymann

BRAND/MODEL:



This recall involves long sleeved children's kimono robes, lounge sets and slumber short sets. The garments were sold in sizes 0 (12 months), 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10. A yellow label at the inside neck reads "Roberta Roller Rabbit." This product was sold at Roberta Roller Rabbit retail stores in New York,

N.Y. East Hampton, N.Y. and Santa Monica, California from January 2005 through February 2010 for \$50.00.

PROBLEM: The recalled sleepwear fails to meet the federal children's sleepwear flammability standard, poising a burn hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should stop using the recalled robes and lounge sets immediately and return them to a Roberta Roller Rabbit retail store for a store credit. For additional information, contact Roberta Roller Rabbit at (877) 449-0604 or visit www.RobertaRollerRabbit.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Girls' hooded sleeveless vests by MIM-PI USA LLC

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves girls' hooded sleeveless vests with drawstrings sold in sizes 2 though



10. The vests were sold in two colors: blue with pink flowers and black with white polka dots. Both styles have a fake fur trim around the hood and a black sweater-like knit trim at the armholes and waist. The vests have an interior zipper

covered by an exterior flap closure and a sewn-in neck tag that reads "mim-pi." This product was sold at children's clothing stores nationwide from January 2009 through December 2009 for about \$70.

PROBLEM: The garments have a drawstring through the hood which can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstrings from the recalled garments to eliminate the hazard. Consumers can also return the vests to the place of purchase for a store credit. For additional information, contact MIM-PI USA collect at (407) 492-8361 or visit www.mim-pi.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Denim Cargo Shorts by The Children's Place Services Company LLC **BRAND/MODEL:** This recall involves denim shorts sold



at The Children's Place with item numbers 567844 or 567967 only. The item number can be found on a sewn-in label located on the side of the shorts. The shorts were sold in sizes 0/3 months to 12 months. Shorts with other item numbers are not included in

this recall. This product was sold exclusively at The Children's Place Services online store from March 23, 2010 through April 8, 2010 for about \$12.

PROBLEM: The denim shorts' metal snaps could detach from the shorts, posing a choking hazard.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled shorts away from children. E-commerce customers will be mailed a postage-pre-paid envelope with instructions on how to return the shorts for a full refund. For additional information, contact The Children's Place Service at (877) 752-2387 or visit www.childrensplace.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's hooded sweatshirts with drawstrings by Junk Food Clothing Co.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves all children's pullover and zipped hooded sweat shirts with



drawstrings sold under the "Junk Food" brand name. These sweatshirts were sold in a variety of print designs and in children's sizes small, medium, large and extra-large. The "Junk Food" logo is sewn into the neck of the garment. This product was sold at department stores and retail outlets nationwide between June 2006 and August 2009

for about \$35.

PROBLEM: The hooded sweatshirts have a drawstring at the neck which can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstring from the sweatshirts to eliminate the hazard. Consumers can also return the product to the store where purchased for a refund. For additional information, contact Junk Food Clothing Co. at (877) 458-5865 or visit www.junkfoodclothing.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Giraffe Security Blankets by Rashti & Rashti

BRAND/MODEL: The recall involves the pink "I Love You" security blanket with a giraffe plush head. The

blanket measures about 14 inches wide by 14 inches in



length. "I Love You" is embroidered on the blanket. Style number Y22230H and "Just One Year a division of Carter's" are sewn into a label on the blanket. This product was sold exclusively at Target stores from January 2009 through August 2009 for about \$9.

PROBLEM: The balls on top of the giraffe's horn can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled blankets away from children and contact Rashi & Rashi at **(888) 594-3730** or visit www.rashtiandrashti.com for a full refund.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Children's Hooded Sweatshirts with Drawstrings by Chocolate Soup

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves "Happy Kids"



brand hooded sweatshirts sold as part of a set. The sweatshirt and pants sets were sold in pink, red, yellow and green, and in sizes

2T through 6X "Happy Kids" is printed on the neck tag inside the sweatshirts. This product was sold at Chocolate Soup stores in Georgia, Texas, Tennessee, Missouri and North Carolina from June 2009 to February 2010 for about \$45.

PROBLEM: The sweatshirts have a drawstring through the hood that can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstring from the sweatshirts to eliminate the hazard. Consumers can also return the product to the store where purchased for a full refund. For additional information, contact Chocolate Soup collect at (314)-576-1221.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Boys' Hooded Jackets by Hind Fashions

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves boys' hooded jackets with drawstrings that are blue suede on the



outside and have fur lining on the inside. "Hind Leather" is printed on the tag on the back of the neck. They were sold in sizes 6 through 12. This recall also involves a black quilted leather hooded jacket with drawstrings that

has fur surrounding the hood. "Lil Phat" is printed on the tag on the back of the neck. They were sold in sizes small, medium and large. This product was sold exclusively at Burlington Coat Factory stores nationwide January 2006 through September 2009 for between \$30 and \$90.

PROBLEM: The jackets have a drawstring through the hood which can pose a strangulation hazard to children.

REMEDY: Consumer should immediately remove the drawstring from the garment to eliminate the hazard or return the garment to Hind Fashions or Burlington Coat Factory for a full refund. For additional information, contact Hind Fashions at (888) 643-4463.

PRODUCT/FIRM: "Best Friends" Charm Bracelets Sets by Dae Yeon Industries Corp.



BRAND/MODEL: The "Best Friends" three bracelet sets are silver-colored chains with metal pendants containing one of the words "Best," "Friends" or "Forever" and heart lock and key charms with different colored stones. This product was sold exclusively at Claire's stores nationwide from February 2009 through January 2010 for about \$12.

PROBLEM: The heart lock charms attached to the bracelets contain high levels of cadmium. Cadmium is toxic if ingested by children and can cause adverse health effects.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately take the recalled bracelets away from children and return the heart lock charms or the entire bracelets to any Claire's for a full refund or replacement product. For additional information, contact Claire's at (866) 859-9281 or visit www.claires.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Rim Rocka Boys' Hooded Jackets and Pelle Pelle Girls' Hooded Jackets by Lollytogs Ltd.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves boys' Rim Rocka hooded sweatshirts that are black or naw blue with red and white trim or gray and white trim and have a large



number embroidered on the front of the sweatshirt. The drawstrings are attached at the hood. They have an emblem on the left shoulder that reads "RR". There is a tag at the back of the neck that reads "Rim Rocka" OFFICIAL

SPORTS APPAREL." This recall also involves girls' Pelle Pelle hooded jackets that have zipper front that zippers to the top of the hood. They come in either pink or white with pictures of bottles caps printed on the hood and sleeves. It reads "Soda Club pelle pelle" on the top right of the sweatshirt. The tag at the back of the neck of the sweatshirt reads "pelle pelle." The drawstrings are attached at the waist. The sweatshirts were sold in sizes 2T-14. This product was sold at Burlington Coat Factory stores and at various small retailers nationwide from February 2008 through September 02009 for about \$14.

PROBLEM: The jackets have a drawstring through the hood and vests have a drawstring through the waist which can pose strangulation and entanglement hazards to vouna children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the drawstrings from the garment to eliminate the hazard or return the garment to the place of purchase for a refund or credit. For additional information, contact Lollytags at (800) 637-9035 or visit www.ltapparel.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Girls' Coats by S. Rothschild & Company Inc.

BRAND/MODEL:

This recall involves S. Rothschild

girls' wool coats with a detachable cape. The coats

were sold in pink, red, blue and vanilla with a faux fur cape and in charcoal and vanilla with a faux fur trimmed Two faux pompoms are cape. attached to the end of strings that hang from the cape. The sewn-in neck tag read, "ROTHSCHILD SINCE 1981." The following style numbers are included in this recall: 36321.

37321, W37321, 38321M in sizes Infant to 4T; 56321, 56321F, 56321Y, 57321, 57321F, W57321, 58321M in sizes 4 to 6X, and 76321, 77321, 78321M in sizes 7 to 16. This product was sold at Burlington Coat Factory, Famous Barr, Filene's Basement, Parisian and other retail stores nationwide from September 2006 through September 2009 for between \$70 and \$100.

PROBLEM: Strings on the detachable cape can pose a strangulation hazard to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately remove the strings for the cape or remove the detachable cape to eliminate the hazard. Consumers can also contact S. 223-2664 Rothschild (800) visit at or www.srothschild.com for a free repair.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Sweatshirts by Tommy Hilfiger



BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves Tommy Hilfiger brand children's sweatshirts sold

in sizes 4 to 16. The sweatshirts have the letters "N.Y.C" and "Hilfiger College" printed on the front. Sweatshirts included in this recall were sold in three styles: # BJ52217867 in Orange and brown, hooded sweatshirt with zipper; # E552217832 in Orange, brown or black, hooded pullover sweatshirt; and # E552217830 in

a black zippered sweatshirt. This product was sold at Tommy Hilfiger retail stores nationwide, Macy's Herald Square (N.Y.) and at Tommy.com from August 2009 through January 2010 for between \$50 and \$70.

PROBLEM: The sweatshirts fail to meet federal flammability standards to wearing apparel, posing a risk of burn hazard to consumers.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled sweatshirts and contact Tommy Hilfiger at (800) 866-6922 or visit www.tommy.com to receive a full refund.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Ring Slings by Sprout Stuff



The Sprout Stuff infant ring sling is fabric/natural muslin and comes with or without a shoulder pad. The sling is worn by parents and caregivers to carry up to two years of age. "Sprout Stuff" is printed on the back side of the tail's hem. Sprout Stuff sold the

recalled infant slings, which were made in the United

States, directly to consumers between October 2006 and May 2007 for between \$35 and \$45. Sprout Stuff is directly contacting known purchasers of the recalled infant slings.

PROBLEM: The sling's fabric can press up against an infant's nose and mouth, blocking the baby's breathing and rapidly suffocating a baby within a minute or two. Additionally, where a sling keeps the infant in a curled position bending the chin toward the chest, the airways can be restricted, limiting the oxygen supply.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled slings and contact Sprout Stuff at **(877) 319-3103** to return the sling for a full refund.

PRODUCT/FIRM: "Pirates of the Caribbean" Twin Trundle Beds by Bayside Furnishings (a division of Whalen)

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves the Bayside youth bed: the Pirates of the Caribbean Twin Trundle Bed.



The preassembled headboard has a brown wood base with decorative carvings, three open storage compartments, a storage bin and a mast. The storage bin located in the headboard, measures approximately 39 inches

long, 6 ½ inches wide and 24 inches deep. The "Pirates of the Caribbean" trademark is embossed on a metal plate inside the headboard. The name and address of the manufacturer, model number, manufacture date and "Made in China" is printed on a label affixed to the inside of the mattress frame side rails. This product was exclusively sold at Costco stores nationwide from January 2006 through January 2010 for between \$700 and \$1,400.

PROBLEM: The headboard has a storage bin that poses an entrapment hazard to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the headboard storage bin and contact Bayside Furnishings at (877) 494-2536 or visit www.baysidefurnishings.com to receive a free repair kit that will permanently close the headboard storage bin. The repair kits will be mailed to consumers in approximately 4 to 6 weeks.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Infant bodysuits and rompers by Holtrop & Mcindoo LLC dba Kiwi Industries **BRAND/MODEL:** The infant bodysuits and rompers



The infant bodysuits and rompers were sold in eight colors and prints: eggplant with kiwi green binding, floral print with eggplant binding, kiwi green with eggplant binding, pacific blue with kiwi green binding, crisscross print and kiwi green with pacific blue binding. The infant bodysuits were sold in sizes 0 to 3

months up to 12 to 18 months. The rompers were sold in sizes 0 to 3 months up to 18 to 24 months. "Kiwi Industries" is printed on a tag sewn inside the garment's collar. This product was sold at children's specialty stores nationwide from March 2010 through May 2010 for between \$24 and \$28.

PROBLEM: Snaps on the infant bodysuits and rompers can detach from the garment, posing a choking hazard to young children.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the garments and contact Kiwi Industries at **(877) 509-4891** or visit <u>www.kiwiindustries.com</u> for an exchange. The firm will provide a postage free package for the return of the recalled garment.

PRODUCT/FIRM: CYBEX 2.Go Infant Carriers by Regal Lager Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves CYBEX 2.GO infant carriers. "CYBEX" is embroidered on the fabric



covering on the top of the head support. "2.Go" is printed on an orange tag near the head support. They were sold in the following colors:

chili, indigo, purple and slate. This product was sold at baby furniture and baby product stores nationwide, and on various website, from August 2009 through April 2010 for about \$100.

PROBLEM: A shoulder strap slider buckle can break, posing a fall hazard to babies.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled carriers and contact Regal Lager at **(866) 678-8940** or visit <u>www.regallager.com/recalls</u> to receive a free replacement carrier.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Boys' and Girls' belts by Target Corp. **BRAND/MODEL:** This recall involves two types of belts: The Cherokee boys' belts with heavy stitching in sizes



M-XL. The belts came in a pack of two with the numbers 202/08/0018, 202/08/0019 or 202/08/0020 embossed on the belt. The girls' Circo belts are pink and white with heart They were cold in a 2 pack with

buckles in sizes XS-L. They were sold in a 2-pack with the numbers 202/05/0071, 202/05/0072, 202/05/0073 or 202/05/0074 listed on the product label attached to the inside of the belt. This product was sold exclusively at Target stores and on Target.com nationwide from December 2008 through December 2009 for between \$7 and \$9.

PROBLEM: The belt buckle contains excessive levels of lead, violating the federal lead paint standard.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled belts and return them to any Target store to receive a full refund. For additional information, contact Target at **(800) 440-0680** or visit <u>www.target.com</u>.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Baby Walkers by Suntech Enterprise Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: The baby walkers have a plastic frame supported by four wheels and eight brake pads. The walkers were sold in blue, pink, and green with a white activity tray and patterned, vinyl seat. Item

number WK110 or WK112 is printed on the side of the



packaging. This product was sold at small juvenile product stores in California, Illinois, New York and Texas from January 2007 through December 2009 for between \$25 and \$30.

PROBLEM: The recalled walkers can fit through a standard doorway and fail to have sufficient stair-fall protection to prevent falls down

stairs. Babies using these walkers can be seriously injured or killed if they fall down stairs.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the walkers and return them to the store where purchased for a full refund. For additional information, contact Suntech Enterprises at (888) 268-8139.

PRODUCT/MODEL: "Crib 'N' Double Bed" full size stationary-side cribs with dowel by Child Craft



BRAND/MODEL: All Child Craft brand cribs with the foot top dowel including but limited to the Child Craft convertible cribs with model number F36101. The name "Child Craft" appears on a label on the crib's frame and identifies the place of manufacture as Salem, Indiana or New

Salisbury, Indiana. These cribs were manufactured by Child Craft Industries, Inc. which is no longer in business. This product was sold at Babies 'R Us and other stores nationwide between January 1998 and June 2009 for between \$600 and \$650.

PROBLEM: The cribs' stationary side can be assembled upside-down but still appear to be assembled correctly. If assembled upside-down, the crib side contains a hazardous five-inch gap at the top of the crib. Infants or toddlers can become entrapped in this gap, which can lead to entrapment, strangulation or other injuries.

REMEDY: Parents and caregivers are urged to examine the crib immediately to determine whether it has been assembled properly. The best way to do this is to measure the gap between the front and back side of the crib and the dowel that runs parallel to the sides. The gap should be no more than 2 3/8 inches. If the gap is greater than 2 3/8 inches, the side has been installed upside-down and needs to be reassembled. Another indicator that the side has been installed improperly is the appearance of the barrel nut. The barrel nut should be at the bottom of the side, not the top. If either of these conditions are present, the side of the cribs has been installed upside down and needs to be reassembled. Consumers with these cribs should contact Foundations Worldwide, Inc. at (866) 614-0557 or visit www.cribsafetvinfo.com to obtain instructions and decals to affix to the stationary sides of the crib to ensure proper assembly in the future.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Drop-side cribs by Child Craft Industries

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves drop-side Child Craft brand cribs. "Child Craft" appears on a label on the

crib's frame and identifies the place of manufacture as



Salem Indiana or New Salisbury, Indiana. The following model numbers are included in this recall: F10151, F10171, F10181, F10281, F13311, F13761, F16001, F16011, F16131, F16661, F17001, F17701, F17701, F17731, F17801, F17811, F20161, F20181, F20191, F21041,

F21081, F21091, F26131, F27301, F27771, F31061,

F31701, F32901, F33301, F33601, F33801, F33901, F34101, F35101. This product was sold at Babies "R" Us, Sears, Burlington Coat Factory, Target, and various specialty stores nationwide between January 2000 and Julv 2009.

PROBLEM: The drop-side hardware can fail, causing the drop-side to detach from the crib or fall to the dropped position. When the drop side detaches, even partially, it creates a space in which an infant or toddler can become entrapped and suffocate or strangled. Drop side incidents can also occur due to incorrect assembly and with age related wear and tear. Additionally, when drop-side hardware fails and/or disengages, an infant or toddler can be injured by falling out of the crib.

REMEDY: Parents and Caregivers are urged to stop using these cribs immediately and find an alternative, safe sleeping environment for their baby. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO FIX THESE CRIBS. Although Foundations Worldwide did not manufacture or sell any of the recalled cribs, it has agreed to provide Child Craft owners with a rebate towards the purchase of a new, fixed-side Child Craft brand crib manufactured by Foundations Worldwide. Inc. For additional information. contact Foundations Worldwide at (866) 614-0557 or visit www.cribsafetyinfo.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Drop-Side Cribs by Delta Enterprise

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves the Delta dropside cribs with three different types of drop-side hardware and Delta cribs with wooden stabilizer bars that support the mattress platform. Consumers should



visit www.cribrecallcenter.com for photographs and models of the affected hardware types and instructions on correct assembly of stabilizer bars. This product was sold at children's product retail stores nationwide and on-line from January 2000 through May 2009 for between \$100 and \$300. **PROBLEM:** The cribs' drop sides can

malfunction, detach, or otherwise fail, causing part of the drop side to fall out of position, creating a space into which an

infant or toddler can roll and become wedged or entrapped, which can lead to strangulation or suffocation. A child can also fall out of the crib. Dropside incidents can also occur due to incorrect assembly and with age-related wear and tear. In addition, the wooden stabilizer bars on some Delta drop-side and fixed-side cribs can be installed upside down, which puts extra stress on the crib and can cause the mattress platform to collapse, creating a gap in which an infant or

toddler can become entrapped and posing a risk of strangulation or suffocation.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled drop-side cribs and contact Delta Enterprise at (877) 342-3418 or visit www.cribrecallcenter.com to receive a free repair kit that will immobilize the drop side. In the meantime, find an alternate, safe sleeping environment for the child, such as a bassinet, play yard, or toddler bed depending on the age of the child. Consumers who have cribs with wooden stabilizer bars supporting the mattress should inspect the stabilizer bars to ensure they are correctly installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and inspect the joints of their crib for any damage. If the stabilizer bars are installed upside down, stop using the crib immediately and contact Delta Enterprises for information on how to correctly install the stabilizer bars or visit the firm's website at www.cribrecallcenter.com.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Jenny Lind Cribs by Evenflo Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: The following Evenflo crib models are included in this recall: Evenflo Jenny Lind Crib # 012614 in Maple, #0126141 in Maple, #012615 in White,



#012616 in Oak, #012617 in Natural; Evenflo Jenny Lind Convertible Crib #014614 in Maple, #014615 in White, #014616 in Oak, #014617 in Natural; Evenflo Jenny Lind Hidden Hardware Cribs #0151614 in Maple, #0151615 in

White, #0151616 in Oak, #0151617 in Natural, #0161614 in Maple, #0161615 in White, #0161617 in Natural. The model number is located on a label on the bottom beam of the headboard. This product was sold at children's product stores and various other retailers nationwide from January 2000 through November 2007 for about \$200.

PROBLEM: The cribs' drop sides can malfunction, detach or otherwise fail, causing part of the drop side to fall out of position, creating a space into which an infant or toddler can roll and become wedged or entrapped, which can lead to strangulation or suffocation. A child can also fall out of the crib. Drop-side incidents can also occur due to incorrect assembly and with age-related wear and tear.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled drop-side cribs and contact Evenflo at **(800) 356-2229** or visit <u>http://safety.evenflo.com</u> to receive a free repair kit that will immobilize the drop side. A repair kit for the mattress support system is also available for cribs with model numbers starting with 012 and 014 that were manufactured between 2000 and 2004. In the meantime, find an alternate, safe sleeping environment for the child, such as a bassinet, play yard or toddler bed depending on the child's age. The repair kits will be provided to consumers within the next several weeks.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Drop-side cribs by Jardine Enterprises Ltd.

BRAND/MODEL: All Jardine drop-side cribs have been recalled. The following model numbers and date codes can be found on labels attached to one of the end

panels: Model #0102D00 in Natural Olympia Single from 02/2007-11/2008; Model #0102P00 in Black Olympia



Single from 04/2006-01/2009; Model #0108C00WP in White Capri Single from 12/2007-12/2008; Model # 0108L00WP in Antique Walnut Capri Single from 12/2007-11/2008; Model #0115S00 Rubbed Black in Claremont Single from 12/2006-

06/2007; Model #BC-33 in Dark Pine 3-1 Convertible from 01/200-06/2004; Model #BC66 in White 3-1 Convertible from 09/2001-08/2003: Model #DA0930B in Walnut Single; Model #DA33BC Natural Madison Single from 01/2004-11/2004; Model #DA616BC in Dark Pine Siera 2 in 1 11/2001-04/2004; Model #DA616BN in Natural Siera 2 in 1; Model #DA618BC in Natural Hampton from 11/2002-06/2003; Model # DA833BC in Natural Madison Single from 05/2005- 08/2005; Model #DV601BC in Dark Pine Windsor from 03/2001-06/2009: Model #DV623BC in Cherry Windsor Single from 11/2001-08/2003; and Model #DV628BC in White Windsor Single 02/2003-09/2003. This product was sold at Babies "R" Us, Toys "R" Us, Geoffrey Stores and KidsWorld nationwide from January 2002 through June 2009 for between \$150 and \$480.

PROBLEM: The cribs' drop side can malfunction, detach or otherwise fail, causing part of the drop side to fall out of position, creating a space into which an infant or toddler can roll and become wedged or entrapped, which can lead to strangulation or suffocation. A child can also fall out of the crib. Drop-side incidents can also occur due to incorrect assembly and with age-related wear and tear.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled cribs and contact Jardine at **(800) 295-1980** or visit <u>www.jdservice.biz</u> to receive a free repair kit that will immobilize the drop side. In the meantime, find an alternate, safe sleep environment for the child, such as a bassinet, play yard or toddler bed depending on your child's age.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Bonavita, Babi Italia and ISSI Drop-Side Cribs by LaJobi Inc.

BRAND/MODEL: This recall involves all models of Bonavita, Baby Italia and SSI drop-side cribs manufactured by LaJobi. The cribs have drop-side



hardware that contains metal or plastic pegs that are recessed into either the drop side or the headboard and footboard of the crib. A label on the headboard of the crib identifies the manufacture as LaJobi. This product was sold at

children's product stores and various other retailers nationwide from May 1999 through May 2009 for between \$300 and \$430.

PROBLEM: The cribs' drop side can malfunction, detach or otherwise fail, causing part of the drop-side to fall out of position, creating a space into which an infant or toddler can roll and become wedged or entrapped, which can lead to strangulation or suffocation. A child can also fall out of the crib. Drop-side incidents can also occur due to incorrect assembly and with age-related wear and tear.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled cribs and contact LaJobi at **(888) 738-5676** any or visit <u>www.lajobi.com</u> for a free repair kit that will immobilize the drop-side. In the meantime, find an alternate, safe sleep environment for the child such as a bassinet, play yard or toddler bed depending on the child's age.

PRODUCT/FIRM: Drop-Side Cribs by Simmons Juvenile Products

BRAND/MODEL: This recall includes Simmons Easy Drop-side cribs. Specific model and style numbers included in the recall are listed on the firm's website at



www.cribrecallcenter.com. Style numbers are printed on a label permanent on the headboard. The following model numbers are included in this recall: 011641; 011671; 011941; 015341; 016061; 016771; 016821: 016831: 017201

017211; 017351; 018500; 018501; 018502; 018510 018511; 018512; 026261; 028061; 028081; 028180; 029061; 29062; 029071; 029180; 029561; 029562; 029571; 034060; 034560; 039180; 044091; 053091; 065071; 068261; 068271; 068561; 201060; 202060; 202080; 202180; 202181; 203060; 204060; 204180; 205060; 206060; 207060; 209560; 211060; 211080; 212060; 214060; 214080; 215060; 216060; 216070; 216080; 216180; 216180; 216570; 218060; 219560; 220180; 220181; 221060; 221070; 221070; 221077; 222060; 222070; 224060; 225060; 225070; 225080; 227560; 228060; 229060; 230060; 231070; 236180; 236187; 236188; 236189; 238060; 238069; 239180; 239187; 239189; 240060; 248069; 251060; 251069; 257060; 261060; 053091A; and 251060M. This product was sold at children's product stores and other retailers nationwide and on-line from January 2002 through February 2007 for between \$100 and \$500.

PROBLEM: The cribs' drop side can malfunction, detach or otherwise fail, causing part of the drop-side to fall out of position, creating a space into which an infant or toddler can roll and become wedged or entrapped, which can lead to strangulation or suffocation. A child can also fall out of the crib. Drop-side incidents can also occur due to incorrect assembly and with age-related wear and tear.

REMEDY: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled cribs and contact Simmons at **(877) 342-3439** or visit <u>www.cribrecallcenter.com</u> to request a free repair kit that will immobilize the drop side.

QUESTIONS?

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To join the Safety Box Mailing List, contact the Department of Social Services (DSS) at (225) 342-9905.

Note: The daycare facility must be registered with DSS to join the Safety Box Mailing List.

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