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# CPSC RECALL SNAPSHOT

A MONTHLY REVIEW OF CONSUMER PRODUCT RECALLS  
AND CIVIL PENALTIES ANNOUNCED BY THE CPSC



July 2019

Welcome to the July edition of the Alston & Bird *CPSC Recall Snapshot*.

The CPSC's mandatory federal high chair safety standard took effect in June. The rule was unanimously approved by the CPSC in 2018 and became effective on June 19, 2019, 12 months after publication in the *Federal Register*.

The standard incorporates the most recent voluntary standard developed by ASTM International (ASTM F404-18, Standard Consumer Safety Specification for High Chairs), with no modifications. The rule also amends the regulations for third-party conformity assessment bodies (i.e., testing laboratories) to include the safety standard for high chairs in the list of notices of requirements. The rule is codified in 16 C.F.R. § 1112 and § 1231.

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### Voluntary Recalls Announced by the CPSC in June 2019

#### NUMBER OF RECALLS BY PRODUCT CATEGORY

Apparel – 1      Appliances – 2      Child/Infant – 2      Electronics – 2      Furniture – 3  
Housewares – 4      Miscellaneous – 6      Sporting Goods – 3      Tools/Hardware – 1      Vehicles – 4

PRODUCT	PRODUCT CATEGORY	ALLEGED HAZARD	REPORTED INJURIES	NUMBER OF PRODUCTS
Women's Beach Cover-Up <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Apparel	Burn Hazard	0	55
Electric Garage Heaters <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Appliances	Fire Hazard	0	8,500
Space Heater <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Appliances	Fire/Burn Hazard	0	377,000 U.S. 18,000 Can. 3,765 Mex.
Inclined Sleeper Accessory <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Child/Infant	Fatality Hazard	0	71,000
Toddler Rain Boots <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Child/Infant	Choking Hazard	0	29,000
Laptop <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Electronics	Fire Hazard	6	432,000 U.S. 26,000 Can.
Three-Prong Wall Plug Adapter <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Electronics	Electric Shock Hazard	6	814,000 U.S. 81,000 Can.
Curio Cabinet <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Furniture	Tip-Over/ Entrapment Hazard	1	520

PRODUCT	PRODUCT CATEGORY	ALLEGED HAZARD	REPORTED INJURIES	NUMBER OF PRODUCTS
Folding Deck Chair <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Furniture	Fall/Injury Hazard	0	11,600
Folding Mattress <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Furniture	Fire Hazard	0	2,300
Ceiling Fan <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Housewares	Electric Shock Hazard	0	7,800
Chandelier <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Housewares	Impact/Laceration Hazard	0	260
Light Fixture <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Housewares	Injury Hazard	1	1,200 U.S. 30 Can.
Smoke Sensor <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Housewares	Malfunction Hazard	0	22,000
Disposable Razor <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Miscellaneous	Laceration/Injury Hazard	1	87,000 U.S. 2,700 Can.
Fireworks <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Miscellaneous	Explosion/Burn Hazard	2	25,000
Fireworks <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Miscellaneous	Explosion/Burn Hazard	0	260
Fireworks <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Miscellaneous	Explosion/Burn Hazard	0	11,000
Fireworks <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Miscellaneous	Explosion/Burn Hazard	0	1,660
Pool Heater Vent Kit <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Miscellaneous	Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Hazard	0	280 U.S. 7 Can. 13 Mex.
Buoyancy Compensation Vest <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Sporting Goods	Drowning Hazard	0	600
Climbing Sticks <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Sporting Goods	Fall/Injury Hazard	2	1,165
Cooler <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Sporting Goods	Entrapment/ Suffocation Hazard	0	2,500

PRODUCT	PRODUCT CATEGORY	ALLEGED HAZARD	REPORTED INJURIES	NUMBER OF PRODUCTS
LED Replacement Bulb <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Tools/Hardware	Fire Hazard	0	5,600
ATV and ROV <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Vehicles	Defective Manual	0	1,500
ROV <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Vehicles	Crash/Injury Hazard	2	82,000
ROV <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Vehicles	Crash Hazard	2	3,900
ROV <a href="#">Press Release</a>	Vehicles	Crash/Injury Hazard	0	Not Listed

## The CPSC did not announce any civil penalties in June.

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