

**TEXTILE PRODUCTS LABELLING (AMENDMENT)
ACT.**

New South Wales



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Act No. 17, 1970.

An Act to make further provisions with respect to the labelling of textile products; for this purpose to amend the Textile Products Labelling Act, 1954; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 26th March, 1970.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title. **1.** This Act may be cited as the "Textile Products Labelling (Amendment) Act, 1970".

2.

Textile Products Labelling (Amendment).

2. The Textile Products Labelling Act, 1954, is No. 17, 1970 amended—

Amendment
of Act No.
26, 1954.

- (a) by omitting from paragraph (d) of subsection two of section four the word “state” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “include a statement specifying”;

Sec. 4.
(Textile
products
not to be
sold unless
labelled
with
particulars
of composi-
tion, etc.)

- (b) by inserting next after section four the following new section :—

New sec.
4A.

4A. (1) In this section, “the appointed day” means such day as the Minister may, by order published in the Gazette, declare to be the appointed day for the purposes of this section.

Description
of artificial
fibres.

(2) Where, pursuant to section four of this Act, a trade description for any textile products is to include a statement specifying a fibre and that fibre is an artificial fibre which—

- (a) is of a class or type the name of which is set out in the Schedule to this Act—the specification of that fibre—

(i) where the textile products are sold or offered for sale before the appointed day—may; or

(ii) where the textile products are sold or offered for sale on or after the appointed day—shall,

consist of or include the name of that class or type as so set out or, where alternative names are so set out in respect of that class or type, one of those names; or

(b)

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(b) is not of a class or type the name of which is set out in the Schedule to this Act—the specification of that fibre—

(i) where the textile products are sold or offered for sale before the appointed day—may; or

(ii) where the textile products are sold or offered for sale on or after the appointed day—shall,

consist of or include the words “artificial fibre” or the words “man-made fibre”.

(3) The regulations made under this Act may amend the Schedule to this Act by inserting, altering or omitting the name of a class or type of artificial fibres, and the Schedule as from time to time so amended shall be the Schedule to this Act.

(4) A regulation made in pursuance of this section shall specify the day (being a day later than the day on which the regulation is published in the Gazette) on which the amendment made by the regulation shall take effect.

(5) As on and from the day on which a regulation made in pursuance of this section is published in the Gazette and until the day on which the amendment made by the regulation takes effect, it shall be lawful for the specification of an artificial fibre to be made as if the amendment had taken effect on the day on which the regulation was published in the Gazette.

(6) Where, by virtue of the operation of the foregoing provisions of this section, two or more artificial fibres would, but for this subsection, be separately described in a statement referred to

in

Textile Products Labelling (Amendment).

in subsection two of this section by the same word No. 17, 1970
or words, the fibres shall, for the purposes of this —
Act, be deemed to be the one fibre.

- (c) by inserting next after section ten the following New
new Schedule :— Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE.

Sec. 4A.

Acetate.
Acrylic.
Chlorofibre.
Elastomeric.
Glass.
Metallic yarn.
Paper yarn.
Polyamide or nylon.
Polyester.
Polyolefin.
Polyvinyl alcohol.
Rayon.

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