



New South Wales

# Fair Trading Amendment (Magnetic Toys) Regulation 2009

under the

Fair Trading Act 1987

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Fair Trading Act 1987*.

VIRGINIA JUDGE, MP  
Minister for Fair Trading

## Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Fair Trading Regulation 2007* to prescribe a product safety standard for magnetic toys. Magnets that are intended to be used in playing with magnetic toys perform various functions such as joining carriages of a toy train, holding letters, figures and objects to a metal board or playscene and attaching magnetic darts to dartboards.

The product safety standard for magnetic toys is that they must comply with the relevant provision in the Australian/New Zealand Standard entitled AS/NZS ISO 8124.1:2002, *Safety of toys, Part 1: Safety aspects related to mechanical and physical properties* (ISO 8124-1:2000, MOD).

This Regulation is made under the *Fair Trading Act 1987*, including sections 26 and 92 (the general regulation-making power).

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### **1 Name of Regulation**

This Regulation is the *Fair Trading Amendment (Magnetic Toys) Regulation 2009*.

### **2 Commencement**

This Regulation commences on 1 March 2010 and is required to be published on the NSW legislation website.

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## Schedule 1      Amendment of Fair Trading Regulation 2007

### Part 2, Division 14A

Insert after Division 14 of Part 2:

### Division 14A    Magnetic toys

#### 50A Definitions

In this Division:

*AS/NZS ISO 8124* means the Australian/New Zealand Standard entitled AS/NZS ISO 8124.1:2002, *Safety of toys, Part 1: Safety aspects related to mechanical and physical properties* (ISO 8124-1:2000, MOD) as published jointly by Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand and as in force on 20 February 2009.

*hazardous magnet* has the same meaning as in AS/NZS ISO 8124.

*magnetic toy* means a toy, being an object or group of objects manufactured, designed, labelled or marketed as a plaything for a child or children under the age of 14 years, that contains one or more hazardous magnets that are intended to be used in playing with the toy.

#### 50B Safety standard

The product safety standard prescribed for magnetic toys is that they must comply with the requirements of clause 4.28 of AS/NZS ISO 8124.

**Note.** For guidance on how to meet the requirements of clause 4.28, see also clauses 3.55 (including Figure 6 (A)), 3.56, 5.24, 5.25 (including Figure 22) and C.2.19 of AS/NZS ISO 8124.