

**Reprint
as at 18 August 2005**



**Product Safety Standards (Baby
Walkers) Regulations 2001**

(SR 2001/348)

Silvia Cartwright, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 26th day of November 2001

Present:

Her Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to section 29 of the Fair Trading Act 1986, Her Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, and on the recommendation of the Minister of Consumer Affairs, makes the following regulations.

Note

Changes authorised by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 have been made in this reprint.

A general outline of these changes is set out in the notes at the end of this reprint, together with other explanatory material about this reprint.

These regulations are administered by the Ministry of Consumer Affairs.

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Regulations

- 1 Title**

These regulations are the Product Safety Standards (Baby Walkers) Regulations 2001.
- 2 Commencement**

These regulations come into force on 1 January 2002.
- 3 Interpretation**

In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,—

Act means the Fair Trading Act 1986

baby walker means a device that—

 - (a) consists of a frame on wheels designed to support, inside the frame and with the child's feet touching the ground, a child who has not learned to walk; and
 - (b) is propelled by the movement of the child.
- 4 Application**

These regulations apply to—

 - (a) baby walkers for wholesale supply on or after 1 January 2002; and
 - (b) baby walkers imported on and after 1 January 2002; and
 - (c) all baby walkers on and after 1 March 2002.

5 Product safety standard for baby walkers

The subclauses of the American Safety Standard—Standard Consumer Safety Specification for Infant Walkers (ASTM F977–03) specified in column 2 of the Schedule are a product safety standard for baby walkers for the purposes of section 29 of the Act.

Regulation 5: amended, on 18 August 2005, by regulation 3(1) of the Product Safety Standards (Baby Walkers) Amendment Regulations 2005 (SR 2005/211).

Schedule
Subclauses of American Safety
Standard—Standard Consumer Safety
Specification for Infant Walkers
(ASTM F977–03)

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Schedule: substituted, on 18 August 2005, by regulation 3(2) of the Product Safety Standards (Baby Walkers) Amendment Regulations 2005 (SR 2005/211).

Clause	Subclauses
3	3.1.1, 3.1.3, 3.1.5
4	4.1 to 4.6.8
5	5.3 to 5.6, 5.8
6	6.1 to 6.3
7	7.1 to 7.3.4.4, 7.6 to 7.6.5.5
8	8.3 to 8.3.4.2

Marie Shroff,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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Notes**1 General**

This is a reprint of the Product Safety Standards (Baby Walkers) Regulations 2001. The reprint incorporates all the amendments to the regulations as at 18 August 2005, as specified in the list of amendments at the end of these notes.

Relevant provisions of any amending enactments that have yet to come into force or that contain relevant transitional or savings provisions are also included, after the principal enactment, in chronological order.

2 Status of reprints

Under section 16D of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989, reprints are presumed to correctly state, as at the date of the reprint, the law enacted by the principal enactment and by the amendments to that enactment. This presumption applies even though editorial changes authorised by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 have been made in the reprint.

This presumption may be rebutted by producing the official volumes of statutes or statutory regulations in which the principal enactment and its amendments are contained.

3 How reprints are prepared

A number of editorial conventions are followed in the preparation of reprints. For example, the enacting words are not included in Acts, and provisions that are repealed or revoked are omitted. For a detailed list of the editorial conventions,

see <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/editorial-conventions/>
or Part 8 of the *Tables of New Zealand Acts and Ordinances
and Statutory Regulations and Deemed Regulations in Force*.

4 Changes made under section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989

Section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 authorises the making of editorial changes in a reprint as set out in sections 17D and 17E of that Act so that, to the extent permitted, the format and style of the reprinted enactment is consistent with current legislative drafting practice. Changes that would alter the effect of the legislation are not permitted. A new format of legislation was introduced on 1 January 2000. Changes to legislative drafting style have also been made since 1997, and are ongoing. To the extent permitted by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989, all legislation reprinted after 1 January 2000 is in the new format for legislation and reflects current drafting practice at the time of the reprint.

In outline, the editorial changes made in reprints under the authority of section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 are set out below, and they have been applied, where relevant, in the preparation of this reprint:

- omission of unnecessary referential words (such as “of this section” and “of this Act”)
- typeface and type size (Times Roman, generally in 11.5 point)
- layout of provisions, including:
 - indentation
 - position of section headings (eg, the number and heading now appear above the section)
- format of definitions (eg, the defined term now appears in bold type, without quotation marks)
- format of dates (eg, a date formerly expressed as “the 1st day of January 1999” is now expressed as “1 January 1999”)
- position of the date of assent (it now appears on the front page of each Act)

- punctuation (eg, colons are not used after definitions)
- Parts numbered with roman numerals are replaced with arabic numerals, and all cross-references are changed accordingly
- case and appearance of letters and words, including:
 - format of headings (eg, headings where each word formerly appeared with an initial capital letter followed by small capital letters are amended so that the heading appears in bold, with only the first word (and any proper nouns) appearing with an initial capital letter)
 - small capital letters in section and subsection references are now capital letters
- schedules are renumbered (eg, Schedule 1 replaces First Schedule), and all cross-references are changed accordingly
- running heads (the information that appears at the top of each page)
- format of two-column schedules of consequential amendments, and schedules of repeals (eg, they are rearranged into alphabetical order, rather than chronological).

5 *List of amendments incorporated in this reprint
(most recent first)*

Product Safety Standards (Baby Walkers) Amendment Regulations 2005
(SR 2005/211)
