



# THE SAFETY BOX

*A newsletter dedicated to keeping our children safe*

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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 [www.AGJeffLandry.com](http://www.AGJeffLandry.com) 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 [www.cpsc.gov](http://www.cpsc.gov) for product recall information and product safety information. The recall information included in this newsletter is for July 2016 through September 2016.

## PRODUCT RECALLS



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Little Lotus Baby Swaddles and Sleeping Bags by Embrace Technologies

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves the Little Lotus baby swaddles with model number 901-01 and sleeping bags with

model numbers 830-03, 830-05 and 830-07. The 100% cotton, sack-shaped baby swaddles and sleeping bags were sold in small, medium and large sizes and in cream with multicolored hand prints, mint and pastel colors/prints. They have a snap button on each shoulder. The Little Lotus logo and model number are stamped in white at the bottom in the interior of the swaddle and sleeping bag. **REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled baby swaddles and sleeping bags and contact Little Lotus for instructions on how to receive a full refund or a store credit for a full refund, plus a \$25 credit towards a new purchase. Embrace Technologies is contacting consumers directly. Little Lotus at 800-280-9557 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, by email at [recall@littlotusbaby.com](mailto:recall@littlotusbaby.com) or online at [www.littlotusbaby.com](http://www.littlotusbaby.com) and click on Important Safety Information at the bottom left-hand corner of the homepage for more information.



**BRAND/MODEL:** Pacific Cycle Swivel Wheel Jogging Strollers

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves single and double occupant swivel wheel jogging strollers that have a quick release mechanism for removing and re-attaching the front wheel. Instep Safari, Instep Grand

Safari, Instep Flight, Schwinn Turismo and Schwinn

Discover models are affected. These models come in a variety of colors. The model number is located on the inside of the metal frame above the rear right wheel.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled jogging strollers and contact Pacific Cycle to obtain a repair kit to secure the front wheel. The repair kit includes a replacement mechanism for securing the front wheel that uses a traditional screw on/off method of attachment instead of the quick release lever method of attachment shipped with the product, as well as new warning labels. Consumers should not return the jogging strollers to retailers where purchased. A repair video is available at [www.pacific-cycle.com/safety-notice-recalls/](http://www.pacific-cycle.com/safety-notice-recalls/). Pacific Cycle toll-free at 877-564-2261 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, online at [www.pacific-cycle.com](http://www.pacific-cycle.com), [www.instep.net](http://www.instep.net) or [www.schwinnbikes.com](http://www.schwinnbikes.com) and click on "Safety Notices & Recalls" or email [customerservice@pacific-cycle.com](mailto:customerservice@pacific-cycle.com) for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** IKEA Safety Gates and Safety Gate Extensions

**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves IKEA PATRULL, PATRULL FAST and PATRULL KLÄMMA safety gates and safety gate extensions. The gates and gate extensions are white, made of beech wood or steel and plastic. The pressure-mounted gates

open both inward and outward. They measure about 28 ¾ inches high with an adjustable width from about 28 ¾ inches to 34 ¼ inches. The gate extensions measure about 28 ¾ inches high with an adjustable width from about 2 ½ inches to 5 inches. A permanent label is attached to the metal bar at the bottom of the safety gate containing "IKEA" and the article number.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the safety gates and safety gate extensions and return them to any IKEA store for a full refund. IKEA toll-free at 888-966-4532 anytime or online at [www.ikea-usa.com](http://www.ikea-usa.com) and click on the recall link on the top or bottom of the page for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** GSI Outdoors Children's Water Bottles sold exclusively at L.L. Bean  
**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves five styles of kids' insulated water bottles with printed graphics. The bottles are 13.5 ounces capacity with the following color prints: Dino Bones, Flower Power, Orange Grid camo, Purple Tie Dye Butterfly and Robo Shark. The item identification number

297684 is printed on a sticker on the bottom of the bottle. Also printed on the sticker are "PO#844" and "BB2D2-LLB-R45-0413." **REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled water bottles and contact L.L.Bean for a full refund. L.L.Bean at 800-555-9717 from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. ET daily or online at [www.llbean.com](http://www.llbean.com) and click on "Recall & Safety Info" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Lorex Video Baby Monitors  
**DESCRIPTION:** The video monitor's batteries can overheat, swell and expand and cause the battery cover to open or come off. This can expose hot batteries,

posing a burn hazard to consumers

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled monitors and contact Lorex to receive a full refund. Lorex toll-free at 844-265-7388 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or online at [www.lorextechnology.com](http://www.lorextechnology.com) and click on "Product Recalls" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Smocked Threads by Cecil & Lou  
**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves girl's Smocked Threads by Cecil & Lou 100% cotton tunic nightgowns. They were sold in a pink and white checkered pattern with white piping trim in sizes 12 months to 8. The nightgowns have buttons on the center front and on each cuff at the wrist and a pocket

on the left side of the chest. "C&L Smocked Threads by Cecil and Lou" is printed on a neck label. **REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled nightgowns away from children and return them to the firm for a full refund, including shipping, or a merchandise credit of \$23. Cecil & Lou is contacting all known purchasers directly. Smocked Threads by Cecil & Lou collect at 903-372-4414 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, email at [cecilandlou@yahoo.com](mailto:cecilandlou@yahoo.com) or online at [www.cecilandlou.com](http://www.cecilandlou.com) and click on the "Product Recall" link at the bottom of the page for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Starbucks  
 Stainless Steel Beverage Straws  
**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves reusable stainless steel Cold-to-Go food grade drinking straws in

two sizes. The straws were packaged and sold in sets of three and were also sold as a component of two sizes of stainless steel beverage cups: Grande 16-ounce cups and Venti 24-ounce cups. The straws feature a ridge at the bottom that keeps the straw attached to the lid. The Grande straws measure approximately 9.5 inches and the Venti straws measure approximately 10.4 inches. **REMEDY:** Consumers should not allow children to handle or use the stainless steel straws. Starbucks at 800-782-7282 from 3 a.m. to Midnight PT daily or online at <https://news.starbucks.com> and click on "stainless steel straw warnings" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** ALEX Jr. Baby Builder, First Pops and First Snaps  
**DESCRIPTION:** Small parts of the plastic toy building sets can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children. **REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled building sets away from

children and contact ALEX for a prepaid shipping envelope to return the product(s). ALEX will send consumers a full refund upon receipt of returned sets. ALEX toll-free at 844-310-6691 anytime or online at [www.alexbrands.com](http://www.alexbrands.com) and click on the "Recall Information" link beneath the carousel for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** McDonald's "Step-iT" Activity Wristbands  
**DESCRIPTION:** The recalled wristbands can cause skin irritation or burns to children.  
**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled wristbands from children and return them to any McDonald's for a free replacement toy and

either a yogurt tube or bag of apple slices. McDonald's at 800-244-6227 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT daily, or online at [www.mcdonalds.com](http://www.mcdonalds.com) and click on "Safety Recall" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Dorel Juvenile Safety 1st Step and Go Travel Systems  
**DESCRIPTION:** The stroller tray folding mechanism can partially disengage on one side when used with an infant car seat attached to the stroller, posing a fall hazard.

**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled strollers with the infant car seat and contact Safety 1st for a free repair kit. Safety 1st toll-free at 866-762-3036 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at [stepandgo@djgusa.com](mailto:stepandgo@djgusa.com) or online at [www.safety1st.com](http://www.safety1st.com) and click on "Safety Notices" for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Dazzling Toys Chicken Toys  
**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves the Bump and Go Action Egg Laying Chickens with lights, music and bump and go action. The battery-powered plastic toy was sold in two styles – a yellow chicken with an orange head and wings

and a multi-colored (yellow, green and orange) chicken. The chicken toy includes three white plastic eggs that are placed into the back of the chicken, and then released from the bottom. The yellow-colored chicken measures 7 inches wide by 6 inches tall by 7 inches deep. The multi-colored chicken measures 7 inches wide by 5 inches tall by 4 inches deep. The eggs for both toys are one inch wide by one inch tall by one inch deep.  
**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled toys and contact the firm for a full refund. Dazzling Toys is contacting consumers who purchased

the recalled toys. Dazzling Toys toll-free at 844-222-2812 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday ET, email [recall.dazzlingtoys@gmail.com](mailto:recall.dazzlingtoys@gmail.com) or online on Dazzling Toys homepage at [www.dazzlingtoys.com](http://www.dazzlingtoys.com) for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Babies 'R' Us Pacifier Clips  
**DESCRIPTION:** This recall involves Babies 'R' Us pacifier clips sold in an assortment of six colors and character designs, including a red

monster, blue monster, monkey, giraffe, owl with one eye closed, and an owl with both eyes open. The pacifier clips have a circular plastic cover affixed to a metal spring clip and a fabric strip with snaps at the other end. The recalled pacifier clip assortment has model number 5F6237F and "©2014 Geoffrey, LLC" engraved on the back to the plastic cover.  
**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately take the recalled pacifier clips from babies and return the product to Babies 'R' Us or Toys 'R' Us for a refund. Toys 'R' Us at 800-869-7787 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or online at [www.toysrus.com](http://www.toysrus.com) and click on Product Recalls for more information.



**PRODUCT/FIRM:** Buckle Onbu Infant Carriers manufactured by Lenny Lamb  
**DESCRIPTION:** The internal stitching on the infant carrier is missing, posing a fall hazard to children.  
**REMEDY:** Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled carrier and contact Lenny Lamb to receive a full refund or a free replacement carrier. Lenny Lamb toll-free at 877-487-1416 from 2 a.m. to 10 a.m. ET

Monday through Friday; via email [service@lennylamb.com](mailto:service@lennylamb.com) or online at <https://us.lennylamb.com/> and click on Recalls for more information.

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