

Proposal for Amendment to Legal Inspection of Bicycles for Young Children
By the Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI), Ministry of Economic Affairs

Background:

Bicycles for young children have been subject to mandatory inspection under the Commodity Inspection Act by the Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI) since 1 October 2011. Concerning the inspection standard on phthalates, the BSMI intends to use CNS 15503 in place of the current CNS 4797, where the restriction of 6 kinds of phthalates is expanded to cover DMP and DEP. It is proposed that the total amount of 8 kinds of phthalates (DMP, DEP, DEHP, DBP, BBP, DINP, DIDP and DNOP) to be not exceeding 0.1%. The changes also include revision to the description of the product.

Proposed date of implementation: 1 January 2017

Products (HS/CCCN codes) covered and applicable inspection standards:

Updated			Superseded		
Description of Goods	Inspection Standards	Reference C.C.C. Code (the first 6 digits are the same as HS Code)	Description of Goods	Inspection Standards	C.C.C. Code (the first 6 digits are the same as HS Code)
<u>Bicycles for young children (Inspection scope: bicycles for young children that have a maximum saddle height between 435 mm and 635 mm, and are driven by rear wheel)</u>	CNS 14976 (promulgated on 24 February 2006)	8712.00.10.10.9 8712.00.10.20.7 8712.00.10.90.2	Folding bicycles (Inspection scope: bicycles for young children that have a maximum saddle height between 435 mm and 635 mm, and are driven by rear wheel)	CNS 14976 (promulgated on 24 February 2006)	8712.00.10.10.9
	CNS 15503 Section 4.5.1 Phthalate plasticizers (promulgated on 29 November 2011)		Other bicycles (Inspection scope: bicycles for young children that have a maximum saddle height between 435	CNS 4797 (promulgated on 24 October 2007)	
	CNS 15138-1 (promulgated on 14 June 2012)				

			mm and 635 mm, and are driven by rear wheel)		
			Bicycles for young children , height of saddles under 635 mm		8712.00.10.20.7

Other:

Other requirements not mentioned herein shall be handled pursuant to “Directions Governing the Inspection of Bicycles for Young Children Commodity”