

# Rule Adoption Notice

Waste 2 Resources

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## Children's Safe Products – Reporting Rule, Chapter 173-334 WAC

The Department of Ecology is adopting amendments to the Children's Safe Products - Reporting Rule, Chapter 173-334 WAC.

### What is Chapter 173-334 WAC?

Under this chapter, manufacturers of children's products must report on the presence of certain chemicals in children's products.

### Summary of the rule changes adopted on October 22, 2013

This rule making amends Chapter 173-334 WAC to:

- Remove n-butanol (CAS # 71-36-3) from the reporting list of chemicals
- Add tris(1,3-dichloro-2-propyl)phosphate (TDCPP) (CAS # 13674-87-8) to the reporting list of chemicals. The Washington Department of Health has also confirmed that TDCPP meets the toxicity and exposure criteria to be included on the CHCC list. For more information visit:  
<http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/cspa/pdf/TDCPP.pdf>

This rule making was in response to new information associated with petitions to the agency.

### Response to Comments

Ecology's response to comments received during the public comment period is now available. Download a copy at <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/rules/ruleChildSafe.html>

### Whom does this rule affect?

The rule applies to companies that make children's products such as toys, cosmetics, jewelry, and baby products. Manufacturers are no longer required to report on the presence of n-butanol in their children's products. Manufacturers are now required to report on the presence of TDCPP in their children's products. The presence of TDCPP must be reported in all notices required to be filed after August 31, 2014, according to the phase-in schedule in WAC 173-334-110(2). The first reports for TDCPP will be due in February 2015.

#### MORE INFORMATION

##### On the web:

<http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/cspa/>

##### Important dates:

**October 22, 2013:**  
Adoption date

**February 28, 2015:**  
Projected due date for first reports under the revised rule.

**November 22, 2013:**  
Effective Date

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