

HB 410 -- Sale of Toys with Toxins

Sponsor: Low

Beginning January 1, 2010, this bill prohibits any person or entity from manufacturing, selling, or distributing any toy or child care item for use by a child younger than three years of age that can be placed in the child's mouth and contains more than .1% diisononyl phthalate (DINP), diisodecyl phthalate (DIDP), or di-n-octyl phthalate (DnOP). Manufacturers cannot replace phthalates with carcinogens rated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency as an A, B, or C carcinogen; with substances listed as, known to be, or suggestive of carcinogens as described in the List of Chemicals Evaluated for Carcinogenic Potential or known to the state to cause cancer; or with a reproductive toxicant.

Anyone violating the provisions of the bill will be guilty of a class D felony.