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THE WILD GOOSE COMPANY 4321 PIEDMONT PARKWAY **GREENSBORO** NC 27410 U.S.

(*)Sample Description:

WIRED!

Vendor:

P3 INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

Sample Size:

Manufacturer:

N/A

Style No(s).:

WG1105

Buyer:

N/A

PO No.:

N/A

Labeled Age Grade: Appropriate Age Grade:

AGES 8 AND UP NOT REQUESTED Client Item/Part No.: Assortment No.:

N/A N/A

Country of Origin:

CHINA

UPC Code:

788555011053

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The sample(s) MEETS the following requirement(s):

- The lead content requirements of 16 CFR 1303, "Ban of lead-containing paint and certain consumer products bearing lead-containing paint" (CPSC and CPSA regulations).
- The soluble heavy metals content requirements of ASTM F963-96a, "Standard consumer safety specification on toy safety Section 4.3.5.2"
- The mechanical hazard requirements for use by children eight years of age and over of ASTM F963-96a, "Standard consumer safety specification on toy safety".
- The flammability requirements of 16 CFR 1500.3(c)(6)(vi), "Flammable solid" (FHSA regulations).

The received sample(s) contained scrapable surface coating material(s) of less than 10 milligrams by weight on one single sample, therefore such coating material(s) was not subject to the soluble heavy metals analysis of ASTM F963-96a, "Standard consumer safety specification on toy safety", section 4.3.5.2, as specified in section 8.3.3.1(2).

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Labeled Age Grade

AGES 8 AND UP

Appropriate Age Grade

NOT REQUESTED

Client Specified Age Grade

AGES 8 AND UP

The Appropriately Age Grade is recommended according to the age grading guidelines of the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC); and the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) Standard, Designation: F963-96a, "Standard Consumer Safety Specification on Toy Safety".

PHYSICAL AND MECHANICAL HAZARDS (ASTM F963-96a)

Section	Requirement	Result			
4.1	Material Quality	N/A			
4.3.4	Cosmetics	N/A			
4.3.7	Stuffing Materials – Visual Inspection	N/A			
4.5	Impulsive Noise	N/A			
4.6	Small Objects	N/A			
4.7	Accessible Edges	N/A			
4.8	Accessible Points	N/A			
4.9	Projections	N/A			
4.10	Nails and Fasteners	N/A			
4.11	Wires or Rods	N/A			
4.12	Packaging Film	N/A			
4.13	Cords and Elastics	N/A			
4.14	Wheels, Tires, and Axles	N/A			
4.15	Folding Mechanisms and Hinges	N/A			
4.16	Holes Clearances, and Accessibility of Mechanisms	N/A			
4.17	Stability and Over-Load Requirements	N/A			
4.18	Confined Spaces	N/A			
4.19	Simulated Protective Devices	N/A			
4.20	Projectile Toys	N/A			
4.21	Rattles	N/A			
4.22	Pacifiers	N/A			
4.23	Squeeze Toys	N/A			
4.24	Teethers and Teething Toys	N/A			
4.25	Toys Intended to be Attached to a Crib or Playpen	N/A			
4.26	Toy Chest	N/A			
4.27	Battery-Operated Toys	N/A			





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Section	Requirement	Result						
4.28	Flotation Toys	N/A						
4.29	Stroller and Carriage Toys	N/A						
4.31	Art Materials	N/A						
4.32	Toy Gun Marking	N/A						
4.35	Balls	N/A						
4.36	Preschool Play Figures	N/A						
4.37	Pompoms	N/A						
	Safety Labelling Requirements							
5.1	Federal Government Requirements	N/A						
5.2	Label Definition and Location	N/A						
5.3	Flotation Toys	N/A						
5.4	Crib and Playpens Toys	N/A						
5.5	Toy Chests	N/A						
5.6	Age Grading	MEET						
5.7	Promotional Materials	MEET						
5.8	Toys in Contact with Foods	N/A						
5.9	Toys Intended to be Assembled by an Adult	N/A						
5.10	Small Objects, Small Balls, Marbles and Balloons (16 CFR 1500.19)	N/A						
5.11	Mobiles	N/A						
5.12	Stroller and Carriage Toys	N/A						
5.13	Simulated Protective Devices	N/A						
5.14	Toys with Functional Sharp Edges and Sharp Points	N/A						
5.15	Toy Caps (16 CFR 1500.86(a)(6))	N/A						
5.16	Art Materials (16 CFR 1500.14(b)(B))	N/A						
	Instructional Literature							
6.1	Definition and Description	MEET						
5.2	Toy Chests	N/A						
5.3	Crib and Playpen Toys	N/A						
6.4	Mobiles	N/A						
3.5	Toys Intended to be Assembled by an Adult	N/A						
6.6	Battery-Operated Toys	N/A						
7	Producer's Markings	MEET						
V/A = Not App								





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FLAMMABILITY (16 CFR SECTION 1500.3(c)6)(vi))

Requirement	Test Method Reference	Findings					
Burn rate no greater than 0.1 of an inch per second	16 CFR 1500.44	The burn rate of the black foam was determined to be 0.17 of an inch per second, banned hazardous substances evaluation was conducted.					

Banned Hazardous Substances Evaluation

Although the burn rate exceeds the limit of Section 1500.3(c)(6)(vi), it is the opinion of ACTS Testing Labs (HK) Ltd. that the samples would not be classified as banned hazardous substances for the following reasons and the samples were judged not to present a substantial risk of personal injury or illness because of their flammability.

- The CPSC does not contain a statutory definition of the term flammable as applied to solid substances such as toys. Additionally, the test method described in Section 1500.44 of the CPSC may not be suitable for testing certain toys. Some toys, therefore, may not be amenable to testing under the test method and the results may not reflect the actual burn rate.
- 2. The normal play pattern or reasonable foreseeable use of the sample was judged not to bring it into direct contact with a flammable liquid, heat source or electrical current which could initiate ignition.
- There are no recorded incidents of burns or other flammability-related injuries associated with the sample or similar products.

TOTAL LEAD CONTENT (16 CFR 1303, "Ban of Lead-containing paint and certain consumer products bearing Lead-containing paint")

Element:					
Requirement: Maximum allowable limit (0.06% by weight)				600 mg/kg	
Sample Description					Conclusion
	Color / Component	Location	Style	(mg/kg)	
(A)	Surface Coating blue	paper card		24	Pass

LT = Less than

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram (ppm = parts per million)

* = Average of duplicate analyses





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SOLUBLE HEAVY METALS CONTENT (ASTM F963-96a, Section 4.3.5.2)

	Color / Component	Location	Style	
	Surface Coating			
(A)	blue	paper card		

Element	Arsenic	Barium	Cadmium	Chromium	Mercury	Lead	Antimony	Selenium	
Maximum Limit (mg/kg)	25	1000	75	60	60	90	60	500	E.
Analytical Correction	60%	30%	30%	30%	50%	30%	60%	60%	
Sample		Result (mg/kg)					Conclusion		
A.	LT 2	LT 40	LT 2	LT 2	LT 2	LT 6	LT 2	LT 2	Pass

LT = Less Than

CR = Adjusted analytical result

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram (ppm = parts per million)
* = Average of duplicate analyses

