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Preparing for the new European Toy Safety Directive



An indispensable course to help businesses prepare for the new Directive

A one day course aimed at Publishers, Directors, Managers or those responsible for Safety & Compliance issues

Delivered by Diane Greaves

This new course has been developed specifically to help you prepare for the new European Toy Safety Directive which is set to have huge impact on the way producers of children's products must demonstrate compliance. We will take you through the main changes and help you understand the implications and responsibilities which will face your business and supply chain. The course will include practical advice on how to meet the new requirements and will show the importance of integrating robust safety processes within your workflow.

Central to the new Directive is the requirement to perform documented Safety / Risk Assessments each time you produce a child's toy and part of the day will be devoted to showing you the methodology and rationale for assessing hazards and measuring risk. Illustrated throughout with practical examples, this course will equip you with the necessary skills to perform your own assessments.

Our course tutor, Diane Greaves, has worked in the area of children's product safety for over twenty years as a test laboratory manager, hazard and risk assessor and latterly as an independent consultant to the retail and the publishing sector. Diane sits as an independent expert on several of the Standards Committees. Her technical knowledge and common sense approach enable her to deliver this often complex subject in a lively and approachable way.

- ***The reason for change*** – the outgoing directive • changes in manufacturing / complexity of toys
- ***The key changes*** – chemical requirements • CMRs • allergenic fragrances • Essential Safety Criteria • exemptions • toys within foods • textile toys • warnings and CE marking • alignment with REACH
- ***Definitions and obligations of each economic operator*** – manufacturers • importers • distributors • authorised representatives
- ***Timeline for compliance***
- ***The Technical File*** – Safety / Risk assessments • EC Declarations of Conformity • production control
- ***Enforcement*** – increased powers of enforcement

Time: 9.30am - 5pm

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