



NY Governor Approved Decorative Lighting Products Warning Label Bill

On November 30, New York State Governor Kathy Hochul signed AB 4522 *Seasonal and Decorative Lighting Products Warning Label* bill. The bill becomes effective 90 days after signed into law.

This Act provides that on each seasonal and decorative lighting product manufactured, sold or delivered by a manufacturer or distributed within the state of New York that contains an electrical cord casing with more than 100ppm lead, shall have a warning label attached or printed on the product.

- Seasonal and decorative lighting product shall mean portable, plug-connected, temporary-use lighting products and accessories that have a nominal 120-volt input voltage rating.
- Lighting products within the scope are factory-assembled with push-in, midget or miniature screw base lamp holders connected in series or parallel, directly across the 120-volt input.
- Such lighting products include, but are not limited to lighted decorative outfits such as wired holiday string lights, pre-lit artificial Christmas trees, plants, flowers or wreaths, stockings, stars, candles and light sculptures.
- The warning label shall contain the following statement:
"WARNING: HANDLING THE COATED ELECTRICAL WIRE OF THIS PRODUCT MAY EXPOSE YOU TO LEAD. WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY AFTER USE."

Link to the bill:

https://assembly.state.ny.us/leg/?default_fld=&leg_video=&bn=A04522&term=&Summary=Y&Actions=Y&Text=Y

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