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STATUTORY RULES 1992, No. 61  
SALE OF HAZARDOUS GOODS (RING CAPS) ORDER 1992

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*Order under the Sale of Hazardous Goods Act 1977*

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 8 of the *Sale of Hazardous Goods Act 1977*, the Products Safety Committee makes the following order.

Dated 26 May 1992.

For and on behalf of the Products Safety Committee,

MICHELE MASON, Chairman.

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**Short title**

1—This order may be cited as the *Sale of Hazardous Goods (Ring Caps) Order 1992*.

**Commencement**

2—This order takes effect on the day on which its making is notified in the *Gazette*.

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**Sale of ring caps prohibited**

3—A person must not sell or offer for sale cup type caps for cap guns, commonly known as ring caps, unless such caps—

- (a) comply with the requirements for Category 1A Fireworks as set down in—
  - (i) British Standard—Fireworks, BS 7114: Part 1: 1988; and
  - (ii) British Standard—Fireworks, BS 7114: Part 2: 1988, except clauses 4.1 to 4.11 inclusive; and
  - (iii) British Standard—Fireworks, BS 7114: Part 3: 1988; and
- (b) are packaged so that it is possible to remove one ring at a time from the packaging; and
- (c) are packaged in packaging labelled in a sans-serif typeface not less than 2 millimetres high in a colour contrasting to the body of the packing and not obscured by the contents, with warnings in similar terms to the following:—
  - (i) to avoid risk of burns, do not carry or store caps loose in pockets;
  - (ii) caps are to be taken from the packaging only at the moment of use;
  - (iii) caps must not be fired less than 30 centimetres from the head;
  - (iv) not for use indoors;
  - (v) not recommended for children under 8 years of age;
  - (vi) may be hazardous if misused; and
- (d) are labelled with the net explosive quantity of each cap.

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I certify that the foregoing order is in accordance with the law.

RONALD CORNISH, Attorney-General.

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Printed and numbered in accordance with the *Rules Publication Act 1953*.

Notified in the *Gazette* on 3 June 1992.

This order is administered in the Department of Justice (Office of Consumer Affairs).

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the order)*

This order prohibits the sale of ring caps unless they comply with certain provisions of British Standard—Fireworks, BS 7114: 1988 and are labelled as specified.