

Commission Decision of 6 January 2010 on the safety requirements to be met by European standards for bath rings, bathing aids and bath tubs and stands for infants and young children pursuant to Directive 2001/95/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (notified under document C(2009) 10290) (Text with EEA relevance) (2010/9/EU)

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 - Chemical requirements
 - Fire and thermal properties
 - Physical and mechanical properties
 - Entrapment hazards from gaps and openings
 - Strangulation
 - Falling hazards
 - Choking hazards
 - Suffocation hazards

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3. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

- (1) General safety requirements
- (2) Specific safety requirements
 - Chemical requirements
 - Fire and thermal properties
 - Physical and mechanical properties
 - Entrapment hazards from gaps and openings
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 - Suffocation hazards
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- (1) [OJ L 11, 15.1.2002, p. 4.](#)
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- (5) [OJ L 204, 21.7.1998, p. 37.](#)

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