

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS



INDUSTRY ADVISORY

San Francisco Ordinance on Furniture Containing Flame Retardant Chemicals

Ordinance # 211-17 was passed by the City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors on October 24, 2017 and was approved by the Mayor on November 3, 2017. This ordinance utilizes the label required by California Business and Professions Code Section 19094 as the means to identify whether a product is considered a “covered product” as defined in section 2802 of the ordinance. While this ordinance references a provision of the Business and Professions Code that falls under the jurisdictional authority of the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA), Bureau of Electronic & Appliance Repair, Home Furnishings and Thermal Insulation, the enforcement of the ordinance itself is not a matter that falls under the jurisdictional authority of the State, DCA, or the Bureau. Accordingly, compliance and enforcement of this ordinance is vested with the City and County of San Francisco. For more information about this new city ordinance, visit SFEnvironment.org at (415) 355-3700

For more information about labeling and other furniture requirements from the State of California, please see <http://www.bearhfti.ca.gov/licensee/index.shtml>.