Agreement within fifteen (15) calendar days, the Agreement shall be deemed finally accepted on the sixteenth (16th) calendar day after the date it is published in the **Federal Register**.

20. Upon the Commission's final acceptance of the Agreement and issuance of the final Order, DDI knowingly, voluntarily, and completely waives any rights it may have in this matter to the following: (1) An administrative or judicial hearing; (2) judicial review or other challenge or contest of the validity of the Order or of the Commission's actions; (3) a determination by the Commission of whether DDI failed to comply with the CPSA and its underlying regulations; (4) a statement of findings of fact and conclusions of law; and (5) any claims under the Equal Access to Justice Act.

21. The Commission may publicize the terms of the Agreement and the Order.

22. The Agreement and the Order shall apply to, and be binding upon, DDI and each of its successors and assigns.

23. The Commission issues the Order under the provisions of the CPSA, and violation of the Order may subject DDI to appropriate legal action.

24. The Agreement may be used in interpreting the Order. Understandings, agreements, representations, or interpretations apart from those contained in the Agreement and the Order may not be used to vary or contradict their terms. The Agreement shall not be waived, amended, modified, or otherwise altered without written agreement thereto executed by the party against whom such waiver, amendment, modification, or alteration is sought to be enforced.

25. If any provision of the Agreement and the Order is held to be illegal, invalid, or unenforceable under present or future laws effective during the terms of the Agreement and the Order, such provision shall be fully severable. The balance of the Agreement and the Order shall remain in full force and effect, unless the Commission and DDI agree that severing the provision materially affects the purpose of the Agreement and the Order.

26. Pursuant to section 6(d) of the Interim Delegation of Authority ordered by the Commission on February 1, 2008, the Commission delegated to the Assistant Executive Director for Compliance and Field Operations the authority to act, with the concurrence of the General Counsel, for the Commission under 16 CFR 1118.20 with respect to Staff allegations that any person or firm violated 15 U.S.C. 2068,

where the total amount of the settlement involves no more than \$100,000.

DollarDays International, LLC Dated: 3/19/08.

By: Marc Joseph,

President, DollarDays International, LLC 7575 E. Redfield Rd., Suite 201, Scottsdale, AZ 85260

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission Staff

J. Gibson Mullan,

Assistant Executive Director, Office of Compliance and Field Operations

Ronald G. Yelenik,

Acting Director, Legal Division, Office of Compliance and Field Operations

Dated: 4-16-08.

By: Seth B. Popkin,

*Trial Attorney*, Legal Division, Office of Compliance and Field Operations

#### In the Matter of DollarDays International, LLC; CPSC Docket No. 08–C0010

#### Order

Upon consideration of the Settlement Agreement entered into between DollarDays International, LLC ("DDI") and the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission ("Commission") staff, and the Commission having jurisdiction over the subject matter and over DDI, and pursuant to the authority delegated in section 6(d) of the Interim Delegation of Authority ordered by the Commission on February 1, 2008, and it appearing that the Settlement Agreement and the Order are in the public interest, it is Ordered, that the Settlement Agreement be, and hereby is, accepted; and it is Further ordered, that DDI shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of twentyfive thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) in three (3) installments as follows: \$5,000.00 shall be paid within twenty (20) calendar days of service of the Commission's final Order accepting the Agreement; \$10,000.00 shall be paid on or before May 1, 2008; and \$10,000.00 shall be paid on or before August 1, 2008. The payment shall be made by check payable to the order of the United States Treasury. Upon the failure of DDI to make any of the foregoing payments when due, interest on the unpaid amount shall accrue and be paid by DDI at the federal legal rate of interest set forth at 28 U.S.C. 1961(a) and (b).

Provisionally accepted and provisional Order issued on the 22nd day of April, 2008.

By Order of the Commission:

### Todd A. Stevenson,

Secretary, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

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# CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[CPSC Docket No. 08-COO12]

## Gildan Activewear SRL, a corporation, Provisional Acceptance of a Settlement Agreement and Order

**AGENCY:** Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: It is the policy of the Commission to publish settlements which it provisionally accepts under the Consumer Product Safety Act in the Federal Register in accordance with the terms of 16 CFR 1118.20(e). Published below is a provisionally-accepted Settlement Agreement with Gildan Activewear SRL, containing a civil penalty of \$35,000.00.

**DATES:** Any interested person may ask the Commission not to accept this agreement or otherwise comment on its contents by filing a written request with the Office of the Secretary by May 14, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this Settlement Agreement should send written comments to the Comment 08-COO12, Office of the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East West Highway, Room 502, Bethesda, Maryland 20814–4408.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dennis C. Kacoyanis, Trial Attorney, Legal Division, Office of Compliance and Field Operations, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland 20814–4408; telephone (301) 504–7587.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The text of the Agreement and Order appears below.

Dated: April 23, 2008.

Todd A. Stevenson,

Secretary.

#### In the Matter of Gildan Activewear SRL, a Corporation.; CPSC DOCKET NO. 08-C0012

#### **Settlement Agreement**

1. In accordance with 16 CFR 1118.20, Gildan Activewear SRL ("Gildan") and the staff ("Staff") of the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission ("Commission") enter into this Settlement Agreement ("Agreement"). The Agreement and the incorporated attached Order ("Order") settle the Staff's allegations set forth below.

#### **Parties**

2. The Commission is an independent federal regulatory agency established

pursuant to, and responsible for the enforcement of, the Consumer Product Safety Act, 15 U.S.C. 2051–2084 ("CPSA").

3. Gildan is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Barbados, with its principal offices located in St. Michael, Barbados. At all times relevant hereto, Gildan sold apparel and accessories.

# **Staff Allegations**

- 4. Between January 2006 and September 2006, Gildan manufactured 146,466 youth hooded sweatshirts with drawstrings through the hoods for sale in the United States ("Drawstring Sweatshirts").
- 5. Wholesale distributors sold the Drawstring Sweatshirts to consumers.
- 6. The Drawstring Sweatshirts are "consumer product[s]," and, at all times relevant hereto, Gildan was a "manufacturer" of those consumer products, which were "distributed in commerce," as those terms are defined in CPSA sections 3(a)(1), (4), (11), and (12), 15 U.S.C. 2052(a)(1), (4), (11), and (12).
- 7. In February 1996, the Staff issued the Guidelines for Drawstrings on Children's Upper Outerwear ("Guidelines") to help prevent children from strangling or entangling on neck and waist drawstrings. The Guidelines state that drawstrings can cause, and have caused, injuries and deaths when they catch on items such as playground equipment, bus doors, or cribs. In the Guidelines, the Staff recommends that there be no hood and neck drawstrings in children's upper outerwear sized 2T to 12
- 8. In June 1997, ASTM adopted a voluntary standard, ASTM F1816–97, that incorporated the Guidelines. The Guidelines state that firms should be aware of the hazards and should be sure garments they sell conform to the voluntary standard.
- 9. On May 19, 2006, the Commission posted on its Web site a letter from the Commission's Director of the Office of Compliance to manufacturers, importers, and retailers of children's upper outerwear. The letter urges them to make certain that all children's upper outerwear sold in the United States complies with ASTM F1816-97. The letter states that the Staff considers children's upper outerwear with drawstrings at the hood or neck area to be defective and to present a substantial risk of injury to young children under Federal Hazardous Substances Act ("FHSA") section 15(c), 15 U.S.C. 1274(c). The letter also notes the CPSA's section 15(b) reporting requirements.

- 10. Gildan reported to the Commission that there had been no incidents or injuries from the Drawstring Sweatshirts.
- 11. Gildan's manufacture and distribution in commerce of the Drawstring Sweatshirts did not meet the Guidelines or ASTM F1816–97, failed to comport with the Staff's May 2006 defect notice, and posed a strangulation hazard to children.
- 12. On September 20, 2006, the Commission, in cooperation with Gildan, announced a recall of Drawstring Sweatshirts, informing consumers that they should immediately remove the drawstrings to eliminate the hazard.
- 13. Gildan had presumed and actual knowledge that the Drawstring Sweatshirts distributed in commerce posed a strangulation hazard and presented a substantial risk of injury to children under FHSA section 15(c)(1), 15 U.S.C. 1274(c)(1). Gildan had obtained information that reasonably supported the conclusion that the Drawstring Sweatshirts contained a defect that could create a substantial product hazard or that they created an unreasonable risk of serious injury or death. CPSA sections 15(b)(2) and (3), 15 U.S.C. 2064(b)(2) and (3), required Gildan to immediately inform the Commission of the defect and risk.
- 14. Gildan knowingly failed to inform the Commission about the Drawstring Sweatshirts immediately as required by CPSA sections 15(b)(2) and (3), 15 U.S.C. 2064(b)(2) and (3), and as the term "knowingly" is defined in CPSA section 20(d), 15 U.S.C. 2069(d). This failure violated CPSA section 19(a)(4), 15 U.S.C. 2068(a)(4). Pursuant to CPSA section 20, 15 U.S.C. 2069, this failure subjected Gildan to civil penalties.

#### Gildan's Response

- 15. Gildan denies the Staff's allegations; specifically, as follows:
- (a) Gildan did not knowingly violate the CPSA;
- (b) Gildan sold the Drawstring Sweatshirts to wholesale distributors, who then, directly or indirectly, sold less than 70,000 to consumers;
- (c) Gildan, in cooperation with the Commission, announced the recall of Drawstring Sweatshirts and recovered all Drawstring Sweatshirts still in the possession of wholesale distributors;
- (d) Gildan had access to information that could support the conclusion that the Drawstring Sweatshirts were a potential hazard;
- (e) Gildan reported the existence of the potential hazard to the Commission immediately upon having actual knowledge of the potential hazard; and

(f) Gildan has reported to the Commission that it had received no reports of any injuries from the Drawstring Sweatshirts.

### **Agreement of the Parties**

- 16. Under the CPSA, the Commission has jurisdiction over this matter and over Gildan.
- 17. The parties enter into the Agreement for settlement purposes only. The Agreement does not constitute an admission by Gildan, or a determination by the Commission, that Gildan knowingly violated the CPSA.
- 18. In settlement of the Staff's allegations, Gildan shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) within twenty (20) calendar days of service of the Commission's final Order accepting the Agreement. This payment shall be by check payable to the order of the United States Treasury.
- 19. Upon provisional acceptance of the Agreement, the Agreement shall be placed on the public record and published in the Federal Register in accordance with the procedures set forth in 16 CFR 1118.20(e). In accordance with 16 CFR 1118.20(f), if the Commission does not receive any written request not to accept the Agreement within fifteen (15) calendar days, the Agreement shall be deemed finally accepted on the sixteenth (16th) calendar day after the date it is published in the Federal Register.
- 20. Upon the Commission's final acceptance of the Agreement and issuance of the final Order, Gildan knowingly, voluntarily, and completely waives any rights it may have in this matter to the following: (1) An administrative or judicial hearing; (2) judicial review or other challenge or contest of the validity of the Order or of the Commission's actions; (3) a determination by the Commission of whether Gildan failed to comply with the CPSA and its underlying regulations; (4) a statement of findings of fact and conclusions of law; and (5) any claims under the Equal Access to Justice Act. Upon issuance of, and Gildan's compliance with, the final Order, the Commission agrees not to bring a civil penalty action against Gildan and each of its successors and assigns based upon the Staff's allegations contained herein regarding the Drawstring Sweatshirts.
- 21. The Commission may publicize the terms of the Agreement and the Order.
- 22. The Agreement and Order shall apply to, and be binding upon, Gildan and each of its successors and assigns.

23. The Commission issues the Order under the provisions of the CPSA, and violation of the Order subjects Gildan to appropriate legal action in any United States District Court. For purposes of any such action, counsel of record agrees to accept service of process.

24. This Agreement may be used in interpreting the Order.

Understandings, agreements, representations, or interpretations apart from those contained in the Agreement and the Order may not be used to vary or contradict their terms. The Agreement shall not be waived, amended, modified, or otherwise altered without written agreement thereto executed by the party against whom such waiver, amendment, modification, or alteration is sought to be enforced.

25. If any provision of the Agreement and the Order is held to be illegal, invalid, or unenforceable under present or future laws effective during the terms of the Agreement and the Order, such provision shall be fully severable. The balance of the Agreement and the Order shall remain in full force and effect, unless the Commission and Gildan agree that severing the provision materially affects the purpose of the Agreement and the Order.

26. Pursuant to section 6(d) of the Interim Delegation of Authority ordered by the Commission on February 1, 2008, the Commission delegated to the Assistant Executive Director for Compliance and Field Operations the authority to act, with the concurrence of the General Counsel, for the Commission under 16 CFR 1118.20 with respect to Staff allegations that any person or firm violated 15 U.S.C. 2068, where the total amount of the settlement involves no more than \$100,000.

Gildan Activewear SRL.
Dated: 04/08/08.
By: Michael R. Hoffman,
President, Gildan Activewear SRL, 34
Warrens Street,St. Michael, Barbados.
Dated: 04/08/08.
By: Thomas D. Myriek, Esquire,

Moore & Van Allen, PLLC, Counsel for Gildan Activewear SRL, 100 North Tryon Street, Suite 4700, Charlotte, NC 28202–4003.

U.S. Consumer Product
Safety Commission Staff.
J. Gibson Mullen,
Assistant Executive Director, Office of
Compliance and Field Operations.
Ronald G. Yelenik,
Acting Director, Legal Division,
Office of Compliance and Field Operations.
Dated: 04/11/08.

By: Dennis C. Kacoyanis, *Trial Attorney*, Legal Division, Office of Compliance and Field Operations. In the Matter of Gildan Activewear SRL, a corporation.; CPSC DOCKET NO. 08–C0012

#### Order

Upon consideration of the Settlement Agreement entered into between Gildan Activewear SRL ("Gildan") and the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission ("Commission") staff, and the Commission having jurisdiction over the subject matter and over Gildan, and pursuant to the authority delegated in section 6(d) of the Interim Delegation of Authority ordered by the Commission on February 1, 2008, and it appearing that the Settlement Agreement and the Order are in the public interest, it is Ordered, that the Settlement Agreement be, and hereby is, accepted; and it is Further Ordered, that Gildan shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of thirtyfive thousand dollars (\$35,000.00). This payment shall be made by check payable to the order of the United States Treasury within (20) calendar days of service of the Commission's Final Order accepting the Agreement. Upon the failure of Gildan to make the foregoing payment when due, interest on the unpaid amount shall accrue and be paid by Gildan at the federal rate of interest set forth at 28 U.S.C. 1961(a) and (b).

Provisionally accepted and provisional Order issued on the 22nd day of April, 2008.

By Order of the Commission. Todd A. Stevenson, Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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# CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[CPSC Docket No. 08-COO11]

# Life is Good, Inc., Provisional Acceptance of a Settlement Agreement and Order

**AGENCY:** Consumer Product Safety Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: It is the policy of the Commission to publish settlements which it provisionally accepts under the Consumer Product Safety Act in the Federal Register in accordance with the terms of 16 CFR 1118.20(e). Published below is a provisionally accepted Settlement Agreement with Life is Good, Inc., containing a civil penalty of \$50.000.00.

**DATES:** Any interested person may ask the Commission not to accept this agreement or otherwise comment on its

contents by filing a written request with the Office of the Secretary by May 14, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this Settlement Agreement should send written comments to the Comment 08–COO11, Office of the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East West Highway, Room 502, Bethesda, Maryland 20814–4408.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Seth B. Popkin, Trial Attorney, Legal Division, Office of Compliance and Field Operations, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland 20814–4408; telephone (301) 504–7612.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The text of the Agreement and Order appears below.

Dated: April 23, 2008. **Todd A. Stevenson**, *Secretary*.

# In the Matter of Life is Good, Inc.; CPSC Docket No. 08–C0011

#### **Settlement Agreement**

1. In accordance with 16 CFR 1118.20, Life is Good, Inc. ("LIG") and the staff ("Staff") of the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission ("Commission") enter into this Settlement Agreement ("Agreement"). The Agreement and the incorporated attached Order ("Order") settle the Staff's allegations set forth below.

### **Parties**

- 2. The Commission is an independent federal regulatory agency established pursuant to, and responsible for the enforcement of, the Consumer Product Safety Act, 15 U.S.C. 2051–2084 ("CPSA").
- 3. LIG is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Massachusetts, with its principal offices located in Boston, Massachusetts. At all times relevant hereto, LIG sold apparel and accessories.

# **Staff Allegations**

- 4. Beginning in or about March 2006, LIG distributed 2,493 children's hooded sweatshirts with drawstrings through the hoods, and, beginning in or about July 2007, LIG sold and/or held for sale or distribution after introduction into commerce, 7,793 Zippity Hoodie and Sherpa Full Zip children's hooded sweatshirts with drawstrings through the hood (collectively "Drawstring Sweatshirts").
- 5. Retailers sold Drawstring Sweatshirts to consumers.
- 6. The Drawstring Sweatshirts are "consumer product[s]," and, at all times