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ISPA Statement on Mattress Flammability and Consumer Safety

(Alexandria, VA) - The International Sleep Products Association (ISPA), the voice of the mattress industry[™], stands with our member companies in raising concern about unsafe, noncompliant mattresses entering the U.S. market. Recent testing by Leggett & Platt underscores that too many imported mattresses sold online fail to meet the Consumer Product Safety Commission's (CPSC) flammability standards, putting American consumers at risk.

ISPA believes every mattress sold in the United States must provide consumers with a safe and comfortable sleep environment. Compliance with the CPSC's rigorous standards is non-negotiable. Mattresses that burn rapidly or fail flammability testing have no place in American homes. As the industry's trade association, ISPA calls on regulators to take stronger action to ensure compliance and protect consumers. We are committed to working with our members, government officials, and retail partners to:

- Strengthen enforcement against unsafe, unscrupulous importers and sellers.
- Increase safeguards for online mattress sales.
- Ensure that all mattresses sold in the U.S. meet or exceed federal safety standards.

Together, we can make mattresses safer, prevent dangerous products from entering the market, and uphold the trust consumers place in our industry.

ISPA encourages all members to become more involved in our efforts to strengthen compliance, protect consumers, and advance the integrity of the marketplace. Please contact us with questions, to share your expertise, or to learn how you can contribute to these critical initiatives.

If you are not yet a member, now is the time to join. ISPA provides unmatched value as the collective voice of the mattress industry - working every day to advance our mission while promoting consumer safety, industry growth, and responsible innovation. By uniting, we amplify



the voice of the industry and can more effectively influence regulators, shape public policy, and ensure that every consumer enjoys a safe and comfortable mattress.

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Established in 1915, the International Sleep Products Association (ISPA) is dedicated to leading and advancing the interests of the sleep products industry. As the industry's trade organization, ISPA represents the sleep products industry and members in countries around the world and serves as the Voice of the Mattress Industry *.

ISPA provides a wide range of services that benefit its membership. These include exclusive industry surveys and statistics, government advocacy, educational and networking events including its ISPA EXPO and sustainability conference, safety and consumer research through its Sleep Products Safety Council and Better Sleep Council, and industry information through BedTimes and Sleep Savvy magazines.

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