

Sec. 1. 9 V.S.A. chapter 63, subchapter 12a is amended to read:

Subchapter 12a. PFAS in Consumer Products

§ 2494e. DEFINITIONS

As used in this subchapter:

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(7) “Intentionally added” means the addition of a chemical ~~in a product~~ that serves an intended function in the ~~product component~~. manufacturing of a product or the final product. The addition of PFAS must be known or reasonably ascertainable by the manufacturer.

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(20) “Cleaning product” means a compound intended for routine cleaning, including general purpose cleaners, bathroom cleaners, glass cleaners, carpet cleaners, floor care products, and hand soaps. “Cleaning product” does not mean an antimicrobial pesticide.

(21) “Dental floss” means a string-like device made of cotton or other fibers intended to remove plaque and food particles from between the teeth to reduce tooth decay. The fibers of the device may be coated with wax for easier use.

(22) “Fluorine treated containers” means a fluorinated treated plastic container or another fluorinated container listed by the Secretary by rule.

(23) “Known or reasonably ascertainable” means all information in a person’s possession or control, plus all information that a reasonable person similarly situated might be expected to possess, control, or know.

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§ 2494p. CLEANING PRODUCTS

(a) A manufacturer shall not manufacture, sell, offer for sale, distribute for sale, or distribute for use in this State a cleaning product to which PFAS have been intentionally added in any amount.

(b) This section shall not apply to the sale or resale of used products.

§ 2494q. DENTAL FLOSS

(a) A manufacturer shall not manufacture, sell, offer for sale, distribute for sale, or distribute for use in this State dental floss to which PFAS have been intentionally added in any amount.

(b) This section shall not apply to the sale or resale of used products.

§ 2494r. FLUORINATED CONTAINERS

(a) A manufacturer shall not manufacture, sell, offer for sale, distribute for sale, or distribute for use in this State a fluorinated container to which PFAS have been intentionally added in any amount.

(b) This section shall not apply to the sale or resale of used products.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Act shall take effect July 1, 2027.