
GOVERNMENT NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

No. 801

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HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES ACT, 1973 (ACT 15 OF 1973)

DECLARATION OF LEADED PAINT AS GROUP 1 HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE

The Minister of Health has, in terms of section 2(1) of the Hazardous Substances Act, 1973 (Act No. 15 of 1973), declared the substance mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be Group 1 hazardous substance.

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. For the purposes of this Notice "the Act" means the Hazardous Substances Act, 1973 (Act No. 15 of 1973) and any word or expression to which a meaning has been assigned in that Act, shall have that meaning and, unless the context indicates otherwise:

"leaded paint" means paint containing lead or lead compound used for decorating with a total content 0.06% (600 ppm) and above, based on total non-volatile content .

Hazardous substance

2. Leaded paint is hereby declared to be a group 1 category A hazardous substance in terms of the Act.