

## **Laser Pointers (Safety) Regulations 2007**

**GN No. 22 of 2007**

### **THE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT**

#### **Regulations made by the Minister under section 4 of the Consumer Protection Act**

1. These regulations may be cited as the **Laser Pointers (Safety) Regulations 2007**.

2. In these regulations -

"Act" means the Consumer Protection Act;

"**laser pointer**" means a portable electric lamp which is battery operated and produces a beam of electromagnetic radiation of not more than 1MW (milliwatt).

3. Every **laser pointer** shall satisfy the essential safety requirements specified in the First Schedule.

4. (1) There shall be affixed on every **laser pointer** a label indicating the safety precaution for the use of the product.

(2) Where it is not possible to affix the label referred to in paragraph (1) on the **laser pointer**, the label shall be -

(a) affixed on the package in which the product is sold;

(b) included as a user information accompanying the product.

5. An authorised officer may, for the purpose of ensuring whether the requirements of these regulations are being complied with, take a sample of the **laser pointer** put up for sale, for testing.
  
6.
  - (1) Any person who supplies any **laser pointer** in respect of which the requirements specified in these regulations (3) have not been complied with shall commit an offence.
  
  - (2) Any importer who contravenes these regulations (3) shall commit an offence.
  
7. These regulations shall come into operation on 19 February 2007.

Made by the Minister on 19 February 2007.

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