

# Work Health and Safety (Minor or Routine Maintenance or Minor Works with asbestos or ACM) Declaration 2025 (No 1)

Notifiable instrument NI2025–653

made under the

***Work Health and Safety Regulation 2011*, section 419 (Work involving asbestos or ACM—prohibitions and exceptions)**

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## 1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Work Health and Safety (Minor or Routine Maintenance or Minor Works with asbestos or ACM) Declaration 2025 (No 1)*.

## 2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after notification.

## 3 Declaration—Regulation, s 419 (3A)

I declare the following to be minor or routine maintenance work, or minor work, for the purposes of section 419(3)(k) of the Regulation if carried out by a competent person:

- (a) removal and disposal of the recalled coloured sand products from a workplace
- (b) cleaning hard surfaces that may have been subject to small and confined contamination by recalled coloured sand products
- (c) cleaning soft surfaces that may have been subject to small and confined contamination by recalled coloured sand products.

## 4 Definition—recalled coloured sand products

For this instrument ***recalled coloured sand products*** means products that are subject to a product recall published by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission on:

- (a) 12 November 2025 for Educational Colours - Rainbow Sand (1.3kg), Creatistics - Coloured Sand (1kg) and Kadink - Coloured Decorative Sand (1.3kg)
- (b) 13 November 2025 for Kadink Decorative sand 10g 6 pack

- (c) 16 November 2025 for Active Sandtub 14 piece Sand Castle Building Set; Blue Magic Sand; Green Magic Sand; Pink Magic Sand - sold at Kmart and Target
- (d) 24 November 2025 for MIKI Sand Art Set
- (e) 25 November 2025 for Various coloured sand and sand art party packs Kidsplay Crafts
- (f) 28 November 2025 for Montessori Sand Tray Writing Activity Set
- (g) from 28 November 2025 to 31 March 2026—for coloured sand products if the product recall is because the sand may contain asbestos and the recall has a manufacturer country ID of China.

## **5 Definition—competent person**

For this instrument a *competent person* includes:

- (a) a person who has completed the training mentioned in section 445A of the Regulation; or
- (b) a licensed asbestos removalist; or
- (c) a person who has completed equivalent or higher training.

## **6 Expiry**

This instrument expires on 30 December 2026.

Michael Pettersson  
Minister for Skills, Training and Industrial Relations  
2 December 2025