

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of the Application for)	
Accreditation as a Firewalled Third)	
Party Conformity Assessment Body)	
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of)	CPSC Docket No. <u>23-F-0004</u>
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Laboratorio Analisi Chimico Tessili SRL)	
(ELLE.A.CI.TI))	
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Italy)	
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ORDER

Having considered the application of the Laboratorio Analisi Chimico Tessili SRL (ELLE.A.CI.TI) (the applicant) to be accredited by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission as a "third party conformity assessment body," as that term is defined in 15 U.S.C. § 2063(f)(2)(A) and (D), and having considered the analysis and recommendation of CPSC staff, the Commission, by order, finds that:

1. The applicant is owned, managed, or controlled by the manufacturer or private labeler of products that would be assessed by the applicant, if the applicant is accredited as a third party conformity assessment body by the Commission;
2. The applicant is accredited by an accreditation body that is a signatory to the International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation-Mutual Recognition Arrangement;
3. The applicant has established procedures to ensure that:
 - a. its test results are protected from undue influence by the manufacturer, private labeler, or other interested party;
 - b. the Consumer Product Safety Commission is notified immediately of any attempt by the manufacturer, private labeler, or other interested party to hide or exert undue influence over test results; and

c. allegations of undue influence may be reported confidentially to the Consumer Product Safety Commission;

and

4. In view of the findings numbered 2 and 3 above, the accreditation of the applicant will provide equal or greater consumer safety protection than the manufacturer's or private labeler's use of an independent third party conformity assessment body for the requirements and test method(s) for which accreditation is ordered.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the applicant is accredited as a third party conformity assessment body for testing children's products for:

- 16 CFR Part 1610, Standard for the Flammability of Clothing Textiles; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant will be placed on the list of entities on the CPSC's Internet website that have been accredited to assess conformity with children's product safety rules in accordance with the requirements in 16 CFR part 1112; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that if the applicant does not continue to meet the requirements of 16 CFR part 1112, the applicant would be subject to suspension or withdrawal in accordance with the procedures provided in 16 CFR part 1112.

Order issued on the 31st day of July, 2023.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



Alberta E. Mills, Secretary
U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission