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Washington, D.C. – Black Friday, the day after Thanksgiving, is one of the biggest shopping days of the

Congressman Jerry McNerney (CA-11) issued the following statement:

“I have heard from many constituents expressing concern about the safety of products. With the start of

“As toy imports from countries with lax safety standards have grown dramatically, under the Bush Admin

“Congress is working to increase oversight of the toy industry and to bolster the ability of the Consumer

“I encourage parents, and anyone else buying toys, particularly for small children, this holiday season to

Resources for Parents:

1. Consumer Product Safety <http://www.cpsc.gov> site for information about recent recalls and toy safety.
2. Parents can also check [resources offered by the CPSC](#) and [888-834-7611](#).
3. Toy Safety tips produced [by the U.S. Public Interest Toy Safety Group](#) [pdf](#)