

and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 38A - Fires and Investigations

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(a) The term "fireworks" as used in this subtitle means firecrackers, squibs, rockets, [sparklers,] Roman candles, torpedoes, bombs, grenades, fire balloons, signal lights, and any combustible or explosive composition, or any substance or combination of substances, or article prepared for the purpose of producing a visible or an audible effect by combustion, explosion, deflagration, or detonation. The term "fireworks" does not include toy pistols, toy canes, toy guns, or other devices in which paper caps containing twenty-five hundredths grains or less of explosive compound are used, provided they are so constructed that the hand cannot come in contact with the cap when in place for use; or toy pistol paper caps which contain less than twenty-hundredths grains of explosive mixture; OR SPARKLERS CONTAINING NO CHLORATES OR PERCHLORATES.

(c) "Class C fireworks" means common fireworks, designed primarily to produce visible effects by combustion. Some small devices designed to produce an audible effect are included, but only when containing less than two grains of pyrotechnic composition. Class C fireworks include the following:

(1) Roman candles, not exceeding ten balls, with total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding twenty grams in weight and inside tube diameter not exceeding 3/8 inch.

(2) Sky rockets with sticks, total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding twenty grams in weight, and inside tube diameter not exceeding 1/2 inch.

(3) Helicopter type rockets, total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding twenty grams in weight, and inside tube diameter not exceeding 1/2 inch.

(4) Cylindrical fountains with total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding seventy-five grams in weight; and inside tube diameter not exceeding 3/4 inch.

(5) Cone fountains with total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding fifty grams each in weight.

(6) Wheels, with total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding sixty grams for each driver unit or two hundred forty grams for each wheel, and with inside tube diameter of driver units not exceeding 1/2 inch.

(7) Illuminating torches and colored fire in any form with total pyrotechnic composition not exceeding one