



## **NOTICE REGARDING SHOPPING TOTE BAGS**

**Due to incoming CPSIA (Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act) for children's products and recent media coverage, closer attention has been paid to lead standards in consumer products.**

**Certain news channels recently questioned the lead content found in U.S. chain-store's reusable shopping bags. These bags were fabricated and decorated in China with inks that were believed to be lead based.**

**At K&R's production facility, we only use certified lead-free inks to decorate our products.**

**All K&R tote bag material meets, or exceeds, the strictest standards for lead and phthalate content.**

**Although tote bags are not considered a children's product under CPSIA and regulation is, therefore, not required, K&R has initiated a standards policy to ensure quality and safety for our customers.**

**All current K&R stock of non-woven material tote bags have been inspected and tested for lead safety.**

**Strict criteria and testing standards are in place at all of K&R's offshore facilities to ensure the highest levels of product safety are met in the manufacturing process.**

**Verification reports for all our tote bags are available upon request.**

**K&R is a socially responsible participant in our community and, as such, safety standards are an integral and important value to us.**

**Please do not hesitate to contact your CSR, if you have further questions.**

**With Thanks**  
*Team K&R*