

Fireworks that are exempt from the notification requirements
under the Fireworks Act 2004

1. An amorce, that is, a percussion cap designed for use in toys, which comprises a paper envelope containing a dot of impact-sensitive pyrotechnic composition and which forms part of a roll.
2. A cap, that is, a device (including, for the avoidance of doubt, an amorce) designed for use in toys which comprises a non-metallic envelope or cup containing a dot of impact-sensitive pyrotechnic composition, and which produces a report when it is hit.
3. A cracker snap, that is, a device which –
 - (a) comprises 2 overlapping strips of card or paper with a friction-sensitive explosive composition in sliding contact with an abrasive surface; and
 - (b) produces a report when pulled apart.
4. A novelty match, that is, a match with a dot of pyrotechnic composition which is designed to be held in the hand while functioning and whose functioning involves report or the production of visual effects, or both.
5. A party popper, that is, a device –
 - (a) which is designed to be held in the hand while functioning,
 - (b) which is operated by a pull string with an abrasive surface in sliding contact with a friction-sensitive pyrotechnic composition; and
 - (c) whose functioning involves a report with the ejection of streamers or confetti, or both.
6. A serpent, that is, a pre-formed shape of pyrotechnic composition, with or without support, whose functioning involves the generation of expanded residue.
7. A sparkler, that is, a rigid wire partially coated with slow-burning pyrotechnic composition, whose functioning involves the emission of sparks without report.
8. A throwdown, that is, a device comprising impact sensitive explosive composition and grains of inert material wrapped in paper or foil, which functions to produce a report when thrown onto the ground.