## **CITY OF WELLAND**

## **POLICY**

Policy Title: Purchasing of Fireworks for Use at City Sponsored Functions	
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## **Policy Statement:**

That Welland City Council support the efforts of such organizations as Free the Children in opposing companies or corporations that use child labour in the manufacturing of fireworks.

- 1) Proponents of fireworks used in City sponsored functions must state where they have been made.
- 2) Staff are directed not to purchase fireworks made in factories in third world countries where children are used as slave labour.
- 3) Preference will be given to any proponent who obtains fireworks from any country other than the aforementioned.
- 4) Notwithstanding the above, this criteria will not be used to disqualify any proponent.