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# **NOTIFICATION**

Ride Manufacturer: Eli Bridge Company Ride Names: All BIG ELI® Rides

Affected Production Dates: All Affected Serial Nos: All

<u>Abstract of Issue</u>: Since it has been several decades since some of our Manuals have been revised, Eli Bridge Company wants to keep all customers informed of any and all height requirements, especially if there has been a change due to children's average height being taller at a younger age.

Reason for Release: Due to children's increased height at a younger age without a parallel increase in mental development, some height requirements have been re-evaluated and changed to reflect the anthropomorphic changes in today's youth. These height requirements have been communicated at numerous Safety Seminars, in new Manuals, and in written and verbal form to many owners. We feel it prudent to notify all known Wheel and Scrambler® owners of the current height requirements and require that all Eli rides comply with them.

#### Action to be taken:

#### Eli Bridge Company Height Requirement for Scramblers and BIG ELI Wheels:

"All children 48" and under must be accompanied by a responsible adult. No children under 36" may ride unless seat belts have been installed.

#### "No Single Riders" Recommendation:

Eli Bridge Company recommends that where possible, single riders should be avoided. Eli realizes that asking patrons to ride with individuals unknown to them is not always appropriate or practical. In such cases, it is incumbent upon the operator to use extra care in watching the patrons to see that no misbehavior (such as moving around, attempting to get up out of the seated position, moving sideways in the seat or rocking the seat, etc.) is allowed. BIG ELI Scramblers and Wheels in which seat belts have been installed are exempted from the single rider recommendation."

## Eli Bridge Company Height Requirement for the Little Eli Wheel, Swing or Little Scrambler:

The minimum height requirement is 36" and the maximum height limit is 48".

## Eli Bridge Company Height Requirement for the Construction Zone:

The minimum height requirement for the Construction Zone is 36".

#### Eli Bridge Company Height Requirement for the SpiderMania:

The minimum height requirement for the SpiderMania is 36" the maximum limit is 68" and 200 pounds.

Eli Bridge Company has SEAT BELTS available for BIG ELI Wheels and Scramblers<sup>®</sup>. While at this time seat belts are not mandatory, Eli Bridge Company strongly recommends their use.

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