# PRETTIE LANES

SWITZERLAND

#### **WARNINGS & SECURITY INFORMATION**

### Flammability:

Cotton is a natural fiber and can catch fire easily. Keep the dress away from open flames, lit candles, or other high-heat sources. Cotton is not naturally flame-resistant unless specifically treated.

## Shrinkage:

Regular cotton fabrics can shrink if exposed to high heat during washing or drying. Always follow the care instructions to avoid unintentional size changes.

#### Color Bleeding:

Brightly colored or dark cotton dresses may bleed dye during washing, especially on the first few washes. Wash similar colors together and avoid mixing with light or delicate fabrics.

# Allergic Reactions:

Although uncommon, some individuals may experience sensitivity to the dyes or finishes used on cotton fabrics. Washing the garment before the first use can help remove potential irritants.

#### Sun Damage:

Prolonged exposure to direct sunlight can cause fading and weaken the fabric. Avoid leaving the

## Wrinkling:

Cotton is prone to wrinkling, which may require frequent ironing or steaming. Be cautious with heat settings to prevent scorching the fabric.

#### Moisture Retention:

Cotton absorbs moisture easily, which can make it feel heavy or uncomfortable in humid conditions. In damp environments, ensure the dress is thoroughly dried to avoid mildew or odor.

## **High Temperatures:**

Be cautious as metal zippers can heat up when directly exposed to high temperatures or sunlight for a long period of time. Additionally, zippers may rust if left damp for extended periods.

# **CARE & HANDLING TIPS**

# Washing:

Follow the care label instructions. Use cold or lukewarm water to minimize shrinkage and fading.

## Drying:

Air-drying is best for maintaining shape and fabric quality.

#### Ironing:

Use a medium heat setting and iron while the dress is slightly damp for best results.

#### Storage:

Store in a cool, dry place, preferably hanging or neatly folded to avoid wrinkles.

## Stains:

Treat stains promptly with mild detergents or spot cleaners suitable for cotton fabrics.

By keeping these points in mind, you can ensure your cotton dress remains in great condition while minimizing any potential risks.