## The Rapid Alert System for Non-Food Products (RAPEX)

## RAPEX - Weekly overview report of notifications

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Corrigendum: Notification A12/1758/15 in Report-2016-001 has been updated to include an additional brand name.

Alert number: A12/0203/16 Category: Chemical products

**Product**: Tattoo ink

Brand: Intenze

Name: Mario's Dragon Green Dark Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The product contains barium (measured value 11700 mg/kg). Soluble barium salts can be absorbed from the tattoo and have toxic effects. Barium toxicity can lead to cardiac arrhythmias, respiratory failure, gastrointestinal dysfunction, paralysis, muscle twitching, and elevated blood pressure. The Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008)1 on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, recommends that barium in tattoo inks does not exceed 50 mg/kg.

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Distributor)

**Description:** Tattoo ink, supplied in a colourless, plastic bottle with a self-adhesive label, mixing ball and black screw-top fitted with a dispensing nozzle and rotating cap. The opening at the tip is sealed with coated foil.

Batch number/Barcode: Batch #G80Y68W106O64B74, MHD 11/2018, Lot SS171 Country of origin: United States

Alert submitted by: Germany





Alert number: A12/0237/16 Category: Chemical products
Product: Insecticide spray Brand: Versele-Laga

Name: Colombine Spray

Type/number of model: Orange 250ml spray

can

Risk: Chemical

Risk level: Serious risk

The product lacks the required safety cap, while it can contain up to 30% by weight of dichloromethane (according to the safety data sheet). The absence of a child-resistant fastening could lead children to accidentally swallow some of the product. The product does not comply with the Regulation on the classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (CLP).

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By: Distributor)

Description: Insecticide spray for the prevention of ectoparasites present in pigeon houses and

means of transport used for pigeons.

Batch number/Barcode: 0063BJ EAN: 5410340656709

Country of origin: Belgium





Alert submitted by: France

Category: Chemical products

Risk level: Serious risk

Type/number of model: Unknown

**Brand:** LEIVA

**Alert number:** A12/0246/16

**Product:** Bicycle repair kit

Name: KIT REPARACION PINCHAZOS

('Puncture repair kit'), Red Sun (glue)

Risk: Chemical

The glue contains 1,2 dichloroethane (measured value: 49%). 1,2 dichloroethane is carcinogenic and toxic if inhaled or if they get in contact with the skin. The product does not comply with the

**REACH Regulation** 

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

**Description:** Bicycle repair kit in blister pack containing various items: different types of keys,

patches, two tubes of 'Red Sun' glue and a small storage box.

Batch number/Barcode: 8431487307818

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Spain



**Alert number:** A12/0218/16 Category: Childcare articles and children's

Product: Cradle

Name: Unknown

Risk: Injuries

equipment

Brand: Bebisnovi

Type/number of model: Nani

Risk level: Serious risk

The locking mechanism of the swing system may easily unlock. If this happens while the child is unsupervised, the child could stand up, making the cradle tip over on one side. This could cause the child to fall and suffer injuries. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 1130.

Measures taken by economic operators: Ban on the marketing of the product and any

accompanying measures (By: Manufacturer) **Description:** Swinging white cradle for babies.

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: Serbia Alert submitted by: Bulgaria



**Alert number:** A12/0239/16 Category: Childcare articles and children's

equipment

Product: Amber necklace

Name: Colliers d'ambre bébé Brand: NATURAL AMBER

Risk: Choking Type/number of model: 33 cm

Risk level: Serious risk

The cord of the necklace breaks easily, releasing the beads. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke.

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users (By: Distributor)

Description: Necklace for babies, made of amber beads, presented in a small transparent plastic

bag.

Batch number/Barcode: 3760160360747

Country of origin: Lithuania Alert submitted by: France





Alert number: A12/0211/16 Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Product: Children's sweatshirt Brand: CHILDHOOD

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: X-1432

Risk: Strangulation Risk level: Serious risk

The drawstring with free ends in the hood can become trapped during various activities of the child, leading to strangulation. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of the product from end users

**Description:** Children's sweatshirt with hood and zip-fastener in different colours. The hood includes a drawstring with free ends. The product is decorated with inscriptions. Size: 134-164

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Hungary







Alert number: A12/0212/16 Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Product: Children's waistcoat jacket Brand: DONG

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: A-03

Risk: Injuries, Strangulation Risk level: Serious risk

The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of a drawstring in the hood with toggles at the ends. The cord is made of rubber and, if pulled, the toggles may spring back into the child's eyes and face, causing injuries. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of

the product from end users

**Description:** Children's blue waistcoat jacket with hood and zip fastener. The hood includes an

elastic drawstring with plastic toggles. The product is decorated with embroidered inscriptions "B,

F, R, S" and "SPORTBOYS". Size: 10-12 **Batch number/Barcode:** Unknown

Country of origin: Unknown









Alert number: A12/0213/16 Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

**Product:** Children's trousers **Brand:** Nice Wear

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: GC1551

Risk: Injuries Risk level: Serious risk

The product poses a risk of injuries because of the presence of unattached drawstrings in the waist area, which may become trapped during various activities of a child. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of

the product from end users

Description: Grey leisure trousers for children decorated with denim. The waistband of the

trousers includes an unattached drawstring with free ends. Size: 134-164

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: Unknown







Alert submitted by: Hungary



Alert number: A12/0222/16 Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

**Product:** Leather belt **Brand:** Unknown

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: 10090-1

Risk: Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The amount of chromium (VI) found in the leather is too high (measured value 14.3 mg/kg).

Chromium (VI) is sensitising and may trigger allergic reactions. The product does not comply with

the REACH regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market, Withdrawal

of the product from the market (By: Distributor, Retailer)

Measures ordered by public authorities: Recall of the product from end users

**Description:** Black belt made of polyurethane and leather with metal buckle; length: 125 cm.

Batch number/Barcode: 4017826011000

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Germany





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Alert number: A12/0243/16 Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Product: Leather wallet Brand: Choice

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: H20, Style 71/7730/

Risk: Chemical

Risk level: Serious risk

The amount of chromium (VI) found in the leather is too high (measured value 22.1 mg/kg). Chromium (VI) is sensitising and might trigger allergic reactions. Moreover, it contains azo-dyes releasing the aromatic amine benzidine (measured concentration 39.4 mg/kg). When the product is in direct and prolonged contact with the skin, this aromatic amine may be absorbed by the skin. Aromatic amines can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market, Withdrawal

of the product from the market (By: Distributor, Importer)

**Description:** Brown leather wallet with decorative stitching, fixed to a cardboard packaging.

Batch number/Barcode: 4011541717711

Country of origin: India Alert submitted by: Germany



Alert number: A12/0229/16 Category: Cosmetics
Product: Skin-lightening product Brand: QEI+ PARIS

Name: Active Efficacité Extrême Lait Corporel Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The product contains hydroquinone which causes skin irritation and dermatitis. The product does

not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Retailer)

**Description:** Skin-lightening body milk with shea butter supplied in 500 ml white plastic bottle with

a white plastic cap. A label is printed on the bottle.

Batch number/Barcode: 098864005125; Batch Number 101582

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Ireland



Alert number: A12/0230/16 Category: Cosmetics
Product: Skin-lightening product Brand: 55 H+ PARIS

Name: Efficacité Exceptionnel - Lait corporel Type/number of model: Unknown

Eclaircissant Intense Risk level: Serious risk

Risk: Chemical

The product contains 3.4% by weight of hydroquinone. Hydroquinone causes skin irritation and

dermatitis. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Retailer)

Description: Skin-lightening body milk supplied in a white plastic bottle with red lettering and a

gold embossed logo (500ml).

Batch number/Barcode: 098864005453; Batch Number 110394

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Ireland



Alert number: A12/0231/16 Category: Cosmetics
Product: Skin-lightening product Brand: 55 H+ PARIS

Name: Harmonie Reparateur - Multi-vitamin Type/number of model: Unknown

strong lotion with carrot oil Risk level: Serious risk

Risk: Chemical

The product contains 3.56% by weight of hydroquinone. Hydroquinone causes skin irritation and dermatitis. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Retailer)

**Description:** Skin-lightening body milk supplied in a white plastic bottle with black and orange

lettering and a gold embossed logo (500ml).

Batch number/Barcode: 098864005026; Batch number 0182

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Ireland



Alert number: A12/0235/16 Category: Electrical appliances and

Product: Electric barbecue grill equipment

Name: BARBACOA GRILL Brand: BRAVO NIPPON

**Risk:** Burns **Type/number of model:** Lot no: 294MAY15,

BN3685

Risk level: Serious risk

The sides of the grill may overheat, the user may touch or hold the grill on the hot surfaces and suffer burns. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60335.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market **Description:** 2000 W electric barbecue grill, 1-metre cable, supplied in cardboard box.

Batch number/Barcode: 8435411536855

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Spain







Alert number: A12/0215/16 Category: Hobby/sports equipment

**Product**: Fitness gloves **Brand**: BETTER BODIES

Name: Gym Gear For Women Type/number of model: 130323-991

Risk: Environment, Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The pink textile material contains azo dyes releasing aromatic amine benzidine (measured value 67 mg/kg). When the product is in direct and prolonged contact with the skin, this aromatic amine may be absorbed by the skin. Aromatic amines can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction. Moreover the product poses an environmental risk because the plastic in the velcro strap contains short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCP) (measured value up to 0.180 %). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation and the Commission Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Importer)

**Description:** Ergonomically developed gloves with reinforced palm area and breathable mesh. The gloves are made of black leather and pink fabric and are lined. They are sold in a transparent plastic bag with a zip.

Batch number/Barcode: 5327 Country of origin: Pakistan



Alert number: A12/0223/16 Category: Hobby/sports equipment

Product: Yoga mat Brand: Abilica

Name: Yoga Mat Type/number of model: Art no 942 250,

Risk: Environment Batch no 14361

Risk level: Serious risk

Alert submitted by: Sweden

The plastic in the mat contains 0.35 % by weight short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCPs). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

**Description:** A mat for yoga made of blue PVC plastic

Batch number/Barcode: 7051949422500

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Sweden



Alert number: A12/0224/16 Category: Hobby/sports equipment

**Product:** Yoga mat **Brand:** Kettler

Name: Fitness Mat Basic Type/number of model: FitnessMat

Risk: Environment basic/144112135

Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic in the mat contains 6.9% by weight short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCP). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

**Description:** Kettler Fitness Mat basic 172x61 cm, fitness mat, blue foam mat.

Batch number/Barcode: 07350-254, Barcode: 4001397291688

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Austria



Alert number: A12/0225/16 Category: Hobby/sports equipment

**Product:** Yoga mat **Brand:** GetFit

Name: Materassino Da / Ginnastica Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Environment Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic in the mat contains 3.2% by weight short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCP). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market **Description:** GetFit gymnastics mat 183x60x1 cm, extra thick plastic mat, made of pale blue

foam.

Batch number/Barcode: Item No 3010055/2900244329661

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Austria



Alert number: A12/0226/16 Category: Hobby/sports equipment

**Product:** Yoga mat **Brand:** x-fact

Name: Yoga matte Type/number of model: B-053-35223-11/J

Risk: Environment Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic in the mat contains 0.54% by weight short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCP). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market **Description:** Purple foam yoga mat, with bag, slip-resistant and skin-friendly, size approx.

173x61x0.5cm.

Batch number/Barcode: 14411 775, Barcode: 4011664352233

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Austria



Alert number: A12/0227/16 Category: Hobby/sports equipment

Product: Yoga mat Brand: GetFit

Name: Materassino Yoga / Ginnastica Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Environment Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic in the mat contains 0.64% by weight short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCP). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market **Description:** 173x60x0.4 cm, lightweight mat which folds up small with an extra handle for carrying, may also be carried across the body, made of blue foam.

Batch number/Barcode: 2900240122976

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Austria



Alert number: A12/0206/16 Category: Laser pointers

Product: Laser pointer Brand: YQ

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Damage to sight Risk level: Serious risk

The laser beam is too powerful and the product is not correctly labelled. Direct viewing of the laser beam could cause damage to sight. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 60825-1 with respect to labelling.

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

**Description:** Class 3B laser pointer with no packaging.

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Spain



Alert number: A12/0207/16 Category: Lighting equipment

Product: Desk lamp Brand: Unknown

Name: Flexo Lamp Type/number of model: ref. 126398

Risk: Electric shock Risk level: Serious risk

The internal wiring might become damaged where it passes through metal parts that are unprotected against abrasion. The live conductors could consequently come into contact with accessible metal parts. The mains cable is not properly attached and could come out if accidentally pulled, leaving the live ends of the wires accessible to the user. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598.

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

Description: Desk lamp: 230V-50HZ, 40W, E14. The packaging is a black and white cardboard

box.

Batch number/Barcode: 8401263981280

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Spain



Alert number: A12/0247/16 Category: Measuring instruments

**Product:** Alcohol Interlock **Brand:** Dignita

Name: AL-5 Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Injuries Risk level: Serious risk

There is the possibility to drive a motorized vehicle under the influence of alcohol regardless of whether the alcohol interlock is assembled. Therefore there is a higher possibility for the driver to cause injuries to himself or to others. The product does not meet the requirements of the relevant standard EN 50436-2.

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Importer)

**Description:** Alcohol interlock (automatic control system designed to prevent driving with excess

alcohol); after-sales installation. **Batch number/Barcode:** Unknown

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Finland



Alert number: A12/0202/16 Category: Motor vehicles

Product: Motorcycle Brand: Honda

Name: VT750CS Shadow, VT750C2B and Type/number of model: SC50C, SC53C,

VT750C2S SC53B

Risk: Injuries Risk level: Serious risk

As a result of improper mounting, the BAS (bank angle sensor) wire harness might bend and break due to continuous vibration during riding, causing an engine stall and steering problems for the rider.

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Recall of the product from end users (By: Importer)

**Description:** Motorcycle

Batch number/Barcode: Model years: 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, Model years: 2010, 2012, 2013,

2014, Model years: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014

Country of origin: Japan Alert submitted by: Poland

Products were found and measures were taken also in: the Netherlands, United Kingdom,

Germany

Risk: Injuries

Alert number: A12/0208/16 Category: Motor vehicles

**Product**: Passenger car **Brand**: Land Rover

Name: Defender Type/number of model: Type: LD; EC type-

approval: e11\*2007/46\*0133\*12,

e11\*2007/46\*0133\*13, e11\*2007/46\*0133\*14

Risk level: Serious risk

Excessively brittle bolts were installed in certain fittings used for the front and rear wheel hub assemblies. There is consequently a risk of the bolts breaking which could lead to other components being damaged. This could result in the front brake disc breaking or could undermine the stability of the vehicle during braking.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By:

Manufacturer)

**Description:** Passenger car

Batch number/Barcode: Vehicles manufactured between 2014 and 2015 are affected.

Country of origin: United Kingdom

Alert submitted by: Germany

Products were found and measures were taken also in: the Netherlands, Ireland, Slovakia

Alert number: A12/0216/16 Category: Motor vehicles

Product: Passenger car Brand: Honda

Name: Insight Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Injuries Risk level: Serious risk

The inflator case component within the airbag assembly may rupture during passenger airbag deployment. In the event of an inflator rupture, metal fragments could be propelled into the

passenger compartment, potentially causing injury to a vehicle occupant.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By:

Manufacturer)

**Description:** Passenger car

Batch number/Barcode: Certain vehicles within VIN ranges: JHMZE2\*\*0CS202037 to

JHMZE2\*\*0CS205976 and JHMZE2\*\*0DS200001 to JHMZE2\*\*0DS203878.

Country of origin: Japan Alert submitted by: United Kingdom

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Ireland, the Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0217/16 Category: Motor vehicles

**Product:** Passenger car **Brand:** Subaru

Name: Impreza/XV and Forester Type/number of model: Impreza/XV (type SJ)

**Risk:** Injuries and Forester (G4)

Risk level: Serious risk

The wiring harness could become damaged where it is in contact with part of the steering column assembly. If this happened, a short circuit may occur. Potential safety-related consequences include deactivation or malfunction of the windscreen wipers, the headlamps, and/or the horn. Engine stalling may also occur.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By: Distributor)

**Description:** Passenger car

Batch number/Barcode: Forester: 2013 to 2014 model year vehicles, Impreza/XV: 2012 to 2014

model year vehicles

Country of origin: Japan

Alert submitted by: Greece

Products were found and measures were taken also in: the Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0221/16 Category: Motor vehicles

Product: Motorcycles Brand: SUZUKI

Name: DL650 and AN650 Type/number of model: Models
Risk: Injuries DL650 A L4-L6 and AN650 ZL3-ZL4

Risk level: Serious risk

The engine tappets and cams can wear, increasing the tappet clearances. If the tappet clearance

becomes large, it can, in the worst case, cause the engine to stall.

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Recall of the product from end users (By: Distributor)

**Description:** Motorcycle

Batch number/Barcode: Model years of the affected motorcycles are 2012-2014

Country of origin: Japan

Alert submitted by: Greece

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Germany, United Kingdom, the

Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0232/16 Category: Motor vehicles

Product: Motorcycles Brand: Suzuki

Name: Address Type/number of model: Type: DE EC type-

**Risk:** Injuries approval: e4\*2002/24\*3114\*00

Risk level: Serious risk

A material defect in the headlamp can cause a short circuit as a result of which, in the worst case,

the engine can cut out while driving.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By:

Manufacturer)

**Description:** Motorcycle.

Batch number/Barcode: The vehicles concerned were manufactured in 2015.

Country of origin: Indonesia

Alert submitted by: Germany

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Poland, the Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0238/16 Category: Motor vehicles
Product: Passenger car / pickup truck Brand: Chrysler, Dodge

Name: RAM, Durango, Dakota, Charger, Type/number of model: Types: DR, HB, ND,

Magnum, 300 LX

Risk: Injuries Risk level: Serious risk

During normal airbag deployment, the housing of the passenger airbag inflator may burst open due to excessive pressure inside. If the inflator bursts when the airbag is deployed it could result in

passengers being struck by metal fragments.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By:

Manufacturer)

**Description:** Passenger car / pickup truck

Batch number/Barcode: The vehicles concerned were manufactured in 2004 and 2005.

Country of origin: United States Alert submitted by: Germany

Products were found and measures were taken also in: the Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0240/16 Category: Motor vehicles

**Product:** Passenger car **Brand:** Jeep

Name: Liberty Type/number of model: Unknown

Risk: Fire Risk level: Serious risk

The rear vehicle structure may allow fuel leakage during certain low-speed collisions which could

result in an underbody fire.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By:

Manufacturer)

**Description:** Passenger car

Batch number/Barcode: Model years 2002-2007

Country of origin: United States Alert submitted by: Romania

Products were found and measures were taken also in: the Netherlands,

Alert number: A12/0241/16 Category: Motor vehicles

Product: Passenger car Brand: Peugeot

Name: 208, 2008 Type/number of model: e\*2007/46\*0070\*21;

e\*2007/46\*0070\*24; e\*2007/46\*0070\*26; e\*2007/46\*0070\*30, e\*2007/46\*0070\*21;

e\*2007/46\*0070\*24; e\*2007/46\*0070\*25;

e\*2007/46\*0070\*26; e\*2007/46\*0070\*27;

e\*2007/46\*0070\*28 **Risk level:** Serious risk

The roll-over valve located inside the petrol tank may not work properly. In case of the vehicle

turning over, a fuel leak could occur which may lead to a fire.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By:

Manufacturer)

Risk: Fire

**Description:** Passenger car

Batch number/Barcode: Fabrication dates: 29/04/2015 to 10/07/2015 (208) and 28/04/2015 to

09/07/2015 (2008)

Country of origin: France Alert submitted by: Malta Products were found and measures were taken also in: the Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0214/16 Category: Other

Product: Elastic straps Brand: Lifetime cars

Name: Elastic luggage strap Type/number of model: Item nr.50472

Risk: Injuries Risk level: Serious risk

The straps easily pull out of the hook mountings when under tension, causing the elasticated straps to recoil and hit the user or causing a fixed load to fall, leading to injuries and accidents. The

product does not comply with the relevant standard BS AU 258.

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

**Description:** Elastic luggage straps, 100 cm, supplied in plastic packaging containing 2 pieces.

Batch number/Barcode: Barcode: 8711252504728, Batch: 2026612

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: The Netherlands



Alert number: A12/0228/16 Category: Other

**Product**: All-purpose mat **Brand**: Unknown

Name: Universale Allzweckmatte Type/number of model: VOG item No:

Risk: Environment 405041

Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic in the mat contains 0.36% by weight short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCP). The placing on the market and use of articles containing SCCPs is banned. SCCPs persist in the environment, are toxic to aquatic organisms at low concentrations and bioaccumulate in wildlife and humans, posing a risk to human health and the environment. The product does not comply with the Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal of the product from the market

Description: Universal all-purpose mat, pink, 65x210 cm, for use in bathroom, toilet, shower,

children's bedroom or as a gymnastics mat; heat-insulating and non-slip. **Batch number/Barcode:** Order No AT#400322, bar code: 9001466417464

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Austria



Alert number: A12/0204/16 Category: Toys
Product: Water gun Brand: YANGDA

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: Item: 140134, NO:

Risk: Chemical YD 455B-333

Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic material of the water gun contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 18.9 % by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market, Warning consumers of the risks, Recall of the product from end users

**Description:** Water gun in a cylindrical shape, made of foam. On the top of the cylinder there is a figure of an animal.

Batch number/Barcode: 6901301401340

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Slovakia



Alert number: A12/0205/16 Category: Toys
Product: Magnetic fishing toy Brand: Unknown

Name: fishing - Best new of design Type/number of model: NGHB458332

Risk: Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic material of the ducks contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 20.1% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The plastic of the ducks also contains di-isononyl phthalate (DINP) (measure

value: 4.59% by weight). According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles while the phthalates DINP, DNOP and DIDP are prohibited in toys and childcare articles that can be placed in the mouth by children.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market, Warning consumers of the risks, Recall of the product from end users

**Description:** The product consists of a red/blue plastic fishing rod with a small magnet at the end and four yellow plastic ducks. The product is supplied in a cardboard blister packaging decorated with images of marine animals.

Batch number/Barcode: 6991204583328

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Slovakia



Alert number: A12/0209/16

Product: Plastic doll set

Name: Tutu Love - baby lovely dolls

Risk: Chemical

Category: Toys
Brand: Rong Long

**Type/number of model:** Article no. 271766 9/15 (on label), Article no. B2118/9905 (on

packaging)

Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic material of the duck contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 7.2% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. The plastic of the duck also contains di-isononyl phtalate (DINP) (measured value: 32% by weight). According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited in toys and childcare articles that can be placed in the mouth by children.

Measures ordered by public authorities: Import rejected at border

**Description:** Plastic doll set including a doll and various accessories including a yellow duck, pink clothes, a babies' bottle, plate, spoon, pacifier and diaper. The product is supplied in a cardboard box with a transparent window.

Batch number/Barcode: 6410412717665

Country of origin: Hong Kong Alert submitted by: Finland





Alert number: A12/0210/16 Category: Toys

Product: Toy excavator Brand: Bam Bam

Name: Truck Series Type/number of model: Index: 316672

Risk: Choking Risk level: Serious risk

The small rear wheels of the toy excavator can easily detach. A small child could put them in the mouth and choke. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Importer)

**Description:** Toy excavator supplied in plastic and cardboard packaging.

Batch number/Barcode: 5901350231036

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Poland





Alert number: A12/0219/16 Category: Toys

Product: Plastic fan Brand: Unknown

Name: Fashion Type/number of model: Model: SB157G

**Risk:** Suffocation, Injuries, Choking **Risk level:** Serious risk

The product can easily break and generate small parts (the on/off button, the vanes and the cap as well as the inner mechanism of the helix). A small child could put them in the mouth and choke on them. Furthermore, the plastic bag of the packaging is too thin. If a child plays with the packaging, the plastic could cover his/her mouth and nose, causing the child to suffocate. In addition, the toy includes a metal plate at the bottom of the helix with sharp edges, posing a risk of cuts. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market **Description:** Green plastic fan with a figure of "SpongeBob" in the middle of the handle.

Approximate length: 41 cm. The toy is packed in a transparent plastic bag. THE PRODUCT MAY

BE COUNTERFEIT

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Greece





Alert number: A12/0220/16 Category: Toys
Product: Plastic aeroplane Brand: Unknown

Name: D-63 Super Power Plane Type/number of model: Model: SB157G

Risk: Suffocation, Choking Risk level: Serious risk

Small parts can easily detach from the toy (i.e. the plastic stickers, the wheels, the pull cord, the axis of the rear wheels and the inner fragments of the musical mechanism). A small child could put them in the mouth and choke on them. Furthermore, the plastic bag of the packaging is too thin and if a child plays with it, the plastic can cover her/his mouth and nose, causing the child to suffocate. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Withdrawal of the product from the market **Description:** Green plastic aeroplane (approx. dimensions: 16.5x13x7 cm), decorated with multicoloured plastic stickers with inscriptions "Plane Super Power", "D-63 Super Power". When the cord at the tail of the plane is pulled, the toy moves and the round mechanism at the top rotates producing a flashing light and sounds. The toy is packed in a transparent plastic bag with the

inscription "TOYS TOYS".

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China



Alert submitted by: Greece

Alert number: A12/0233/16 Category: Toys
Product: Plastic doll set Brand: Unknown

Name: Sofia
Risk: Chemical

Type/number of model: BURBOLY

No.BBL7734 (on the package) HLX044669 (on

the label)

Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic material of the doll's head and of the dog contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value up to 21.4% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures, Warning consumers of the risks

**Description:** Plastic doll with brown hair, pink shoes and dress. The package also includes a plastic dog and a comb. Packed in a cardboard box with a transparent plastic window on the front side.

Batch number/Barcode: 6900000000861

Country of origin: China









Alert submitted by: Slovakia

Alert number: A12/0234/16 Category: Toys
Product: Plastic doll set Brand: Unknown

Name: Lovely Type/number of model: NO.LY-1995

Risk: Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic material of the doll's head contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value 30.1% by weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures, Warning consumers of the risks

**Description:** Plastic mermaid doll with long blue hair and a blue tail, supplied with a brush, mirror, necklace, headband and two marine animals. Packed in a cardboard blister pack.

Batch number/Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China



Alert submitted by: Slovakia

Alert number: A12/0236/16 Category: Toys
Product: Fancy-dress mask Brand: Unknown

Name: Masque d'horreur ('Horror mask')

Type/number of model: HAL020

Risk: Chemical Risk level: Serious risk

The plastic material of the mask contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value 13.5 % per weight). This phthalate may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market, Recall of

the product from end users (By: Importer) **Description:** Soft plastic mask with textile back.

Batch number/Barcode: 3700366600506; batch 0535

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: France









Alert number: A12/0244/16 Category: Toys

Product: Erasers Brand: Trendhaus

Name: Unknown Type/number of model: PINR 10/12

Risk: Choking Risk level: Serious risk

A small child may put the small erasers in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Retailer)

**Description:** Erasers in the form of a duck. **Batch number/Barcode:** 4032722932006

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Germany





Alert number: A12/0245/16 Category: Toys

Product: Erasers Brand: Trendhaus

Name: RADIERER - Collect them all - GOLF- Type/number of model: Unknown

SET Risk level: Serious risk

Risk: Choking

A small child may put the small erasers in the mouth and choke on them. The product does not

comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market (By:

Retailer)

**Description:** Erasers in the shape of a golf caddy.

Batch number/Barcode: 4032722929280

Country of origin: Unknown Alert submitted by: Germany





Alert number: A11/0019/16 Category: Lighting equipment

**Product:** Torch **Brand:** JY Suret

Name: Rechargeable LED Torch Type/number of model: JY-8299, TN21806

Risk: Electric shock Risk level: Other risk level

When connecting/ disconnecting the torch to the mains, contact with live parts can occur. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598.

**Measures ordered by public authorities:** Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

**Description:** LED rechargeable torch with a retractable plug that allows connection to the mains.

Batch number/Barcode: EAN: 8418868218062

Country of origin: China Alert submitted by: Czech Republic

