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

RAPEX - Weekly overview report of notifications

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Corrigendum: Notification A12/0516/14 has been permanently withdrawn from report 2014-14 of 11/04/2014 at the request of the notifying authority as the affected products have not been put on sale.

Alert number: A12/0097/17

Product: Tattoo ink

Name: Light Red

Risk type: Chemical

Category: Chemical products

Brand: Eternal Ink

Type / number of model: 60 ml, Manufacturing date : 07/14; "best before" date 07/2017,

Risk level: Serious risk

The product contains nickel (measured value 16.1 mg/kg). Nickel can cause skin irritation and induce sensitisation or elicit allergic responses. The Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008)¹ on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up recommends that the content of nickel in tattoo inks be as low as technically achievable. The product does not comply with the national legislation.

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

Description: Tattoo ink in a colourless, plastic bottle with adhesive label, mixing ball and a black screw top incorporating a dispensing nozzle and a rotating cap.

Batch number / Barcode: Lot-Nr. D 199 batch No 199 E06

Country of origin: United States

Alert submitted by: Germany



Alert number: A12/0119/17

Product: Glue for false nails

Name: Nail glue

Risk type: Chemical

Category: Chemical products

Brand: YES LOVE

Type / number of model: 2001fdt

Risk level: Serious risk

The notifying country qualified the glue as a cosmetic product. The nail glue contains chloroform (measured value 22.5% by weight). Chloroform in high doses causes skin irritation and can damage health if inhaled or swallowed. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.

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

Description: Glue for false nails in a white 10 g plastic bottle, packaged in a clear plastic blister pack with cardboard backing.

Batch number / Barcode: 8 435255 202657

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: France



Alert number: A12/0098/17

Product: Children's T-shirt

Name: Unknown

Risk type: Choking

Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Brand: CIKOBY

Type / number of model: Model C 6332

Risk level: Serious risk

The decorative beads can easily detach. A small child may put them in the mouth and choke.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Retailer): Withdrawal of the product from the market

Description: Children's T-shirt with long sleeves and flower/bird print. There are decorative beads sewn on the front.

Batch number / Barcode: 2 0150 042

Country of origin: Turkey

Alert submitted by: Bulgaria



Alert number: A12/0111/17

Product: Children's clothing set

Name: Unknown

Risk type: Strangulation

Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Brand: SETTY KOOP

Type / number of model: AP-15018

Risk level: Serious risk

The functional cords in the hood of the jacket can become trapped during various activities of the child, causing strangulation. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Retailer): Withdrawal of the product from the market

Description: Children's sports clothing set consisting of a jacket, trousers and a T-shirt, for children from 7 to 14 years old. The jacket has a hood with a drawstring and inscriptions on the front: "WEST TOWN, JUNIOR CLUB 80" and "SURFER".

Batch number / Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Bulgaria



Alert number: A12/0113/17

Product: Children's footwear

Name: Unknown

Risk type: Chemical

Category: Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Brand: Lil' BOBS by Skechers

Type / number of model: serial number: 85009L/PKLV SPARKLE FIXX PINK/LAVENDER

Risk level: Serious risk

The amount of Chromium (VI) in the leather is too high (measured value: 21,6 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: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures (By: Distributor)

Description: Pink shoes for children with a leather slip-sole and fabric upper. Sizes: 11Y, 12Y, 13Y.

Batch number / Barcode: 8600565988

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Bulgaria

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Greece



Alert number: A12/0115/17

Product: Scalp care product

Name: Sorion Head Fluid

Risk type: Microbiological

Category: Cosmetics

Brand: Atrimed

Type / number of model: Unknown

Risk level: Serious risk

The product is contaminated with *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* and a high level of aerobic mesophilic bacteria (measured value >3000 cfu/g). There is a risk of contracting infections as the solution may come in contact with the mouth, hands and eyes. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

Description: Repair lotion for scalp, in a small white plastic bottle (50 ml) with green and white label, supplied in a green and white cardboard box with label. Only those products with the batch number referred to above are affected.

Batch number / Barcode: 4 260393 230040, Batch SH604; expiry date 10/2018

Country of origin: India

Alert submitted by: Germany



Alert number: A12/0121/17

Product: Toothpaste

Name: Pure Herbal Ayurvedic Toothpaste

Risk type: Chemical, Microbiological

Category: Cosmetics

Brand: VICCO

Type / number of model: D40400131, MFG. DATE: 04/2014, EXP DATE: 03/2017

Risk level: Serious risk

The total count of aerobic mesophilic bacteria in the toothpaste is too high (measured value up to 7100 cfu/g). There is a risk of contracting infections as the solution may come in contact with the mouth, hands and eyes. Moreover, the product contains the allergenic substances Eugenol and Limonene (0.052 % and 0.021 % by weight respectively) while they are not included in the list of ingredients. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Product Regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users (By: Distributor)
Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Distributor): Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

Description: 85g toothpaste in tube packed in a white cardboard box with red marking.

Batch number / Barcode: 8901288210858

Country of origin: India

Alert submitted by: Slovakia



Alert number: A12/0099/17

Product: Travel plug adaptor

Name: 4in1 Universal Travel Power Adaptor

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Electrical appliances and equipment

Brand: OMEGA

Type / number of model: OTRA1 (NO: 931L)

Risk level: Serious risk

It is possible to insert one pin of a plug in one hole of the live socket while the other live pin of the plug remains accessible. If the user touches the live accessible pin s/he would get an electric shock. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant standard IEC 60884.

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

Description: 4in1 universal travel plug adaptor in cardboard packaging. There are 2 different sizes (97x87x47mm and 80x55x43mm); both packages have the same barcode.

Batch number / Barcode: 5907595411882

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Croatia



Alert number: A12/0101/17

Product: USB charger

Name: Unknown

Risk type: Burns, Electric shock

Category: Electrical appliances and equipment

Brand: A.I.& E

Type / number of model: Item no. 79584

Risk level: Serious risk

The creepage and clearance distances are too small and the insulation is inadequate. The user can touch live, non-insulated parts of the plug. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60950.

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

Description: USB charger, available in different colours and wrapped in plastic foil.

Batch number / Barcode: 8711252795843, Batch 2013138

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: The Netherlands

Products were found and measures were taken also in: France, Slovakia



Alert number: A12/0106/17

Product: Travel plug adaptor

Name: Adaptor International (universal adaptor)

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Electrical appliances and equipment

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: Unknown

Risk level: Serious risk

The plug pins do not have an appropriate insulating coating and the user could be exposed to dangerous voltage levels if s/he puts the plug in a socket. Moreover, it is possible for two sets of plug pins to be open at the same time. In this case, if one set of pins is plugged into a mains socket, the other set of pins will be live and accessible to the user. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 50075.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Importer): Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

Description: Universal travel plug adaptor.

Batch number / Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: Unknown

Alert submitted by: Germany



Alert number: A12/0114/17

Product: Power supply

Name: Power Adapter

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Electrical appliances and equipment

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: SF-055060

Risk level: Serious risk

The electrical insulation is inadequate and accessible parts could become live. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 1558.

Measures taken by economic operators: Destruction of the product (By: Importer)

Description: Black plastic 3 pin AC/DC power adapter. Supplied in a plain white cardboard box.

Batch number / Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: United Kingdom



Alert number: A12/0117/17

Product: Coffee-maker

Name: MIRRA Turkish Coffee Maker

Risk type: Burns

Category: Electrical appliances and equipment

Brand: ARZUM

Type / number of model: AR 343 and AR 3010

Risk level: Serious risk

During use, the coffee can boil over causing the user to be scalded. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60335.

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

Description: Electric Turkish coffee machine.

Batch number / Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: Turkey

Alert submitted by: France

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Germany



Alert number: A12/0118/17

Product: Hammer

Name: Unknown

Risk type: Chemical, Environment

Category: Hand tools

Brand: ADAMANT

Type / number of model: HAMMER MINI 8 OZ STEEL HANDLE

Risk level: Serious risk

The rubber in the handle of the hammer contains lead (measured value up to 0.28% by weight), short chain chlorinated paraffins (SCCPs) (measured value up to 0.77% by weight) and polyaromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) (measured value of PAHs 1220 mg/kg. 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). The product does not comply with the REACH regulation.

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

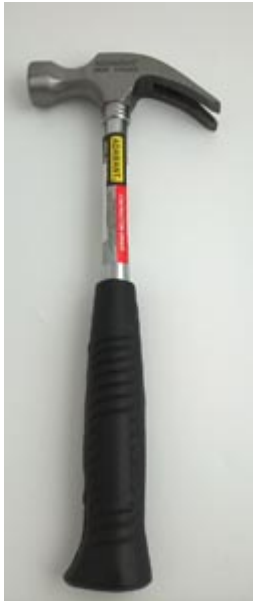
Description: A hammer with black rubber handle.

Batch number / Barcode: 7330571068769

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Sweden

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Poland



Alert number: A12/0092/17

Product: Yoga mat

Name: Exercise / Yoga mat

Risk type: Environment

Category: Hobby/sports equipment

Brand: Iron Gym

Type / number of model: Unknown

Risk level: Serious risk

The product poses a risk for the environment because the plastic in the yoga mat contains up to 0.8% 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 Commission Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP Regulation).

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

Description: Black yoga mat in soft plastic

Batch number / Barcode: EAN 6430043471057

Country of origin: Unknown

Alert submitted by: Sweden

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Finland



Alert number: A12/0123/17

Product: Lighting chain

Name: LED Decorative Lights

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Lighting chains

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: D-F Item No. 6366-9 (on packaging) LL9855-M (on attached label)

Risk level: Serious risk

The design of the cord extension socket enables single-pole insertion of a plug leaving the remaining live pin accessible, causing a risk of electric shock if the user touches it. The insulation of the cable can easily break leaving the live conductors accessible. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598 and the relevant standard IEC 60884.

Measures taken by economic operators: Destruction of the product (By: Distributor)

Description: LED lighting chain with eight functions. Consists of 100 lights. Specification: 230V, 50Hz. Packed in a cardboard box.

Batch number / Barcode: EAN: 7825856636691

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Poland



Alert number: A12/0124/17

Product: Lighting chain

Name: LED string light

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Lighting chains

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: 588M (200 light set) 786M (200 light set) 785M (100 light set) 595W (500 light set)

Risk level: Serious risk

The design of the cord extension socket enables single-pole insertion of a plug leaving the remaining live pin accessible, causing a risk of electric shock if the user touches it. The insulation of the cable can easily break leaving the live conductors accessible. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598 and the relevant standard IEC 60884.

Measures taken by economic operators: Destruction of the product (By: Distributor)

Description: LED lighting chains with 8 functions. Depending on the type, there are sets which consist of 100, 200 or 500 lights. Specification: 230V, 50Hz. Each set is packed in a cardboard box.

Batch number / Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Poland



Alert number: A12/0125/17

Product: Lighting chain

Name: Ozdoba swietlna

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Lighting chains

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: CL-211 (200 light set) CL-311 (300 light set) CL-313 (300 light set)

Risk level: Serious risk

The design of the cord extension socket enables single-pole insertion of a plug leaving the remaining live pin accessible, causing a risk of electric shock if the user touches it. The insulation of the cable can easily break leaving the live conductors accessible. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60598 and the relevant standard IEC 60884.

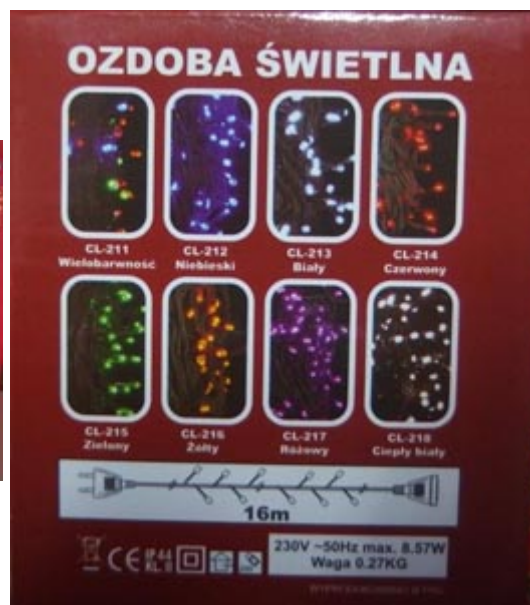
Measures taken by economic operators: Destruction of the product (By: Distributor)

Description: LED lighting chains with 8 functions. Depending on the type, there are sets which consist of 100, 200 or 500 lights. Specification: 230V, 50Hz. Each set is packed in a cardboard box.

Batch number / Barcode: Unknown

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Poland



Alert number: A12/0108/17

Product: Light

Name: Plafon LED "Juve"

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Lighting equipment

Brand: Eko-light

Type / number of model: EK6459

Risk level: Serious risk

The electrical insulation is not adequate and accessible parts could become live. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standards EN 60598 and EN 61347.

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

Description: LED ceiling or wall light. Sold in a yellow cardboard box.

Batch number / Barcode: 5907377246459

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Finland



Alert number: A12/0109/17

Product: Torch

Name: Ultra-Bright LED Searchlight

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Lighting equipment

Brand: Ferei

Type / number of model: Battery charger: XVE-1260200, Light: W172

Risk level: Serious risk

The electrical insulation of the charger is inadequate and accessible parts could become live. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standards EN 60598 and EN 61558.

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

Description: Rechargeable LED torch supplied with a charger. Sold in a cardboard box.

Batch number / Barcode: 6 951620 500842

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Finland



Alert number: A12/0128/17

Product: Light bulb with remote control

Name: Magic Lighting

Risk type: Electric shock

Category: Lighting equipment

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: E14L3WRGB LED LAMP

Risk level: Serious risk

The electrical insulation is inadequate which could lead to accessible parts becoming live. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 62560.

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

Description: Colour-changing lamp with remote control; length: approx. 8 cm; diameter: approx. 5 cm; power: 3W, E14 socket; packaging: cardboard box approx. 10 x 5.5 x 5.8 cm.

Batch number / Barcode: S010000000014796095 and M01000000000186762

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Germany



Alert number: A12/0095/17

Product: Passenger car

Name: Logan II, Sandero II

Risk type: Injuries

Category: Motor vehicles

Brand: DACIA

Type / number of model: e2*2001/116*0314*80, e2*2007/46*0030*38

Risk level: Serious risk

The front right brake caliper's clip could break as a result of the cylinder rupturing. This could reduce the efficiency of the vehicle's braking system in the case of emergency braking.

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

Description: Passenger car.

Batch number / Barcode: The vehicles concerned were manufactured between 21/09/2016 and 05/10/2016.

Country of origin: France

Alert submitted by: France

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Bulgaria, Croatia, Denmark, Finland, Greece, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden

Alert number: A12/0102/17

Product: Passenger car

Name: Verso, Avensis

Risk type: Injuries

Category: Motor vehicles

Brand: Toyota

Type / number of model: Avensis: Models ADT27#, ZTR27#, EC-type approval: e11*2001/116*0331*02, Verso: Models ZGR2#, WAR2#, EC-type approval: e21*PS2001/116*0039*01

Risk level: Serious risk

The mixing ratio of the fire starter component may be incorrect in some initiators. As a result, the side airbag may not deploy.

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

Description: Passenger car

Batch number / Barcode: Production year: 2016.

Country of origin: Turkey

Alert submitted by: Portugal

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Malta, Norway, Slovakia, The Netherlands, United Kingdom

Alert number: A12/0112/17

Product: Passenger car

Name: Ranger

Risk type: Injuries

Category: Motor vehicles

Brand: Ford

Type / number of model: Type Approval Number: E11*2007/46*0154*01

Risk level: Serious risk

The automatic transmission may shift gears down due to an incorrect signal from the output speed sensor. If unintended down shift occurs, the wheels could lock up or slide until the vehicle speed slows. This could result in loss of control of the vehicle.

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

Description: Passenger car

Batch number / Barcode: Vehicles built between 29/09/2011 and 30/03/2012.

Country of origin: South Africa

Alert submitted by: United Kingdom

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Denmark, Norway, Poland, Sweden

Alert number: A12/0126/17

Product: Passenger car

Name: Adam, Astra, Corsa, Insignia, Meriva, Mokka, Zafira

Risk type: Injuries

Category: Motor vehicles

Brand: Opel

Type / number of model: EC type approvals: e1*2001/116*0379*36, e1*2001/116*0379*37, e1*2007/46*0141*28, e1*2007/46*0374*18, e1*2007/46*0374*19, e1*2007/46*0374*20, e4*2007/46*0165*14, e4*2007/46*0165*15, e4*2007/46*0204*24, e4*2007/46*0204*25, e*2007/46*0204*26, e4*2007/46*0537*15, e4*2007/46*0537*16, e50*2007/46*0055*08 Types: 0G-A, J-A, P-J, P-J/SW, S-D, S-D Monocab B, S-D/V

Risk level: Serious risk

Due to a wrong mixing ratio of the primary ignition chemicals in the gas generators, the airbag may not be triggered in the event of an accident.

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

Description: Passenger car

Batch number / Barcode: The vehicles in question were manufactured in 2016.

Country of origin: Germany, Poland, Spain

Alert submitted by: Germany

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Bulgaria, Croatia, Finland, Greece, Ireland, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, The Netherlands

Alert number: A12/0129/17

Product: Passenger car

Name: Clio

Risk type: Injuries

Category: Motor vehicles

Brand: Renault

Type / number of model: Clio IV, e2*2001/116*0327*77 and e2*2007/46*0008*32

Risk level: Serious risk

The front right brake caliper's clip could break as a result of the cylinder rupturing. This could reduce the efficiency of the vehicle's braking system in the case of emergency braking.

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

Description: Passenger car

Batch number / Barcode: Vehicles manufactured between 26/09/2016 and 10/10/2016 (Bursa), between 28/09/2016 and 05/10/2016 (Flins), between 03/10/2016 and 10/10/2016 (Togliatti).

Country of origin: France, Russian Federation, Turkey

Alert submitted by: Portugal

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Bulgaria, Croatia, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Greece, Poland, Slovenia, Sweden

Alert number: A12/0093/17

Product: Magnetic fishing toy

Name: Fishing Game

Risk type: Choking, Injuries

Category: Toys

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: ITEM NO : CFO12661

Risk level: Serious risk

The small magnet on the fishing rod has a high magnetic flux and can easily become detached. If a small child puts it in the mouth, it could cause choking. If the magnet is swallowed together with other metal objects, they could attract each other, causing intestinal blockage or perforation. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive or European standard EN 71-1.

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

Description: Magnetic fishing game consisting of a plastic fishing rod with a magnet and plastic ducks, supplied in a blister package with cardboard back.

Batch number / Barcode: 5420024131514; Batch 120694

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Belgium

Products were found and measures were taken also in: France



Alert number: A12/0094/17

Product: Toy cars

Name: Driving Car

Risk type: Choking

Category: Toys

Brand: 198 Toys / Amatoys

Type / number of model: TS27983 - 198-10E

Risk level: Serious risk

The wheels of the toy cars easily detach, generating small parts. Small children may put them 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 ordered by public authorities (to: Importer): Import rejected at border

Description: A set of coloured toy cars. The products come in a blister pack with cardboard back.

Batch number / Barcode: 8435234963197

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Spain



Alert number: A12/0096/17

Product: Fancy-dress hair extension

Name: Unknown

Risk type: Burns

Category: Toys

Brand: CLAIRE'S

Type / number of model: Unknown

Risk level: Serious risk

The hair extension is highly flammable and it can cause burns if it catches fire. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toy Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-2.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Distributor): Withdrawal of the product from the market

Description: Yellow and pink hair extensions with bow, unpackaged. The product includes a cardboard label.

Batch number / Barcode: 5053264924105

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Spain



Alert number: A12/0100/17

Product: Bow and arrow set

Name: Weapon Set

Risk type: Choking

Category: Toys

Brand: Funny Fashion / Espa

Type / number of model: Model: 50077

Risk level: Serious risk

The suction cups detach easily from the projectiles. If a child puts the projectile in the mouth, the suction cup may come loose and obstruct the airways. 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: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

Description: Bow and arrow set sold in a blister package.

Batch number / Barcode: Bar code: 8712364500776

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: The Netherlands



Alert number: A12/0103/17

Product: Plastic toys

Name: Insect Vivid and Great in Style

Risk type: Environment

Category: Toys

Brand: Unknown

Type / number of model: No 342

Risk level: Serious risk

The PVC packaging of the toy contains cadmium (measured value 0,057 % by weight). The packaging does not comply with the REACH Regulation and the requirements of the directive on packaging and packaging waste.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Retailer): Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

Description: Colourful toy snakes in transparent plastic packaging.

Batch number / Barcode: 7393541455433

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Finland

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Sweden



Alert number: A12/0104/17

Product: Toy gun set

Name: Attacks Elite

Risk type: Choking, Injuries

Category: Toys

Brand: Liang Yu

Type / number of model: Ref: E6340767

Risk level: Serious risk

The suction cups of the projectiles detach easily. If a child puts the projectile in the mouth, the suction cup may come loose and obstruct the airways. The small balls could also be put in the mouth and swallowed by children. As these balls expand, it could cause fatal occlusion of the respiratory track or intestinal blockage. 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: Import rejected at border

Description: Toy gun packed in a cardboard box with projectiles with suction cups and small water absorbent balls (in a plastic bag).

Batch number / Barcode: 8435462109114

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Spain



Alert number: A12/0105/17

Product: Toy gun set

Name: M82A1 Barrett

Risk type: Choking, Injuries

Category: Toys

Brand: SF

Type / number of model: Ref E6336570

Risk level: Serious risk

The suction cups of the projectiles detach easily. If a child puts the projectile in the mouth, the suction cup may come loose and obstruct the airways. The small balls could also be put in the mouth and swallowed by children. As these balls expand, it could cause fatal occlusion of the respiratory track or intestinal blockage. 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: Import rejected at border

Description: Toy gun in a cardboard box with projectiles with suction cups and small water absorbent balls (in a plastic bag).

Batch number / Barcode: 8435462101002

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Spain



Alert number: A12/0107/17

Product: Soap bubble toy

Name: Bubble Blowing Fingers

Risk type: Chemical

Category: Toys

Brand: HEMA

Type / number of model: 15.86.0014

Risk level: Serious risk

The soft part of the bubble blowing fingers contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 7.4% 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

Description: 4 multicoloured plastic toys to be placed on the fingers to produce soap bubbles. Sold in plastic packaging on cardboard.

Batch number / Barcode: 2015125599993

Country of origin: Unknown

Alert submitted by: Luxembourg

Products were found and measures were taken also in: Belgium



Alert number: A12/0110/17

Product: Toy gun set

Name: Super Police Set

Risk type: Chemical, Injuries

Category: Toys

Brand: HUA SHENG

Type / number of model: No N621-3

Risk level: Serious risk

The red suction cups contain bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) (measured value: 7.3 % by weight) and dibutyl phthalate (DBP) (measured value 19 % by weight). They contains also di-isononyl phthalate (DINP) (measured value: 1.5 % by weight). These phthalates 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 and the phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles which can be placed in the mouth by children. In addition, the kinetic energy of the projectiles is too high and the packaging lacks the required warnings which may lead to injuries. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Toys Safety Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Retailer): Recall of the product from end users

Description: Toy police set with toy gun, projectiles, truncheon, radio and badge in transparent packaging with a cardboard back.

Batch number / Barcode: 7393541412719

Country of origin: China

Alert submitted by: Finland

