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| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Communication and media equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: LCD Monitor - 7" TFT Color LCD Monitor</p> <p>BRAND: Super</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: PL7003.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: 7" LCD monitor supplied with mains power supply (model number PA005A-12004GE). Packaged in a cardboard box.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>   | <p>ELECTRIC SHOCK</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because the clearance and creepage distances in the mains transformer primary and secondary windings of the power supply unit are not sufficient.</p> <p>Due to this defect, the user can easily get a fatal electric shock from accessible parts of the power supply unit in a case of a fault in the device.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN60950.</p> | Recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Electrical appliances</p> <p>PRODUCT: Power inverter (350W Power Inverter)</p> <p>BRAND: SUVPR</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type: DY8105 Bar Code: 6 438168 031835</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Power inverter for converting 12VDC to 230VAC</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>ELECTRIC SHOCK</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because a live pin is accessible and could be touched by the user.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60950.</p> | Recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |


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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Communication and media equipment PRODUCT: DVD player (DVD – Soitin) BRAND: Protech TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type: DVD-865 Bar code: 6 430033 334386 DESCRIPTION: DVD player COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>ELECTRIC SHOCK</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because the creepage distances and clearances in the mains transformer are not sufficient.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60065.</p> | Recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Honda snowblowers UNITS: About 18,500 IMPORTER: American Honda Motor Co. Inc., of Torrance, Calif. DESCRIPTION: This recall involves Honda snowblowers with model numbers and frame serial numbers listed below. The snowblowers are red and black. The frame serial number is located on the rear of the machine just below the engine. The name Honda and the model number are located on the side of the front scoop. MANUFACTURED IN: Japan</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The fuel tank joint and O-ring located on the underside of the fuel tank can seep or drip fuel over time, posing a fire hazard.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>Honda has received 90 reports of fuel either seeping or dripping. No fires have been reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |


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| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: STIHL MS 361C chain saws (C-Q version)</p> <p>UNITS: About 5,000</p> <p>MANUFACTURER: STIHL Incorporated of Virginia Beach, Va.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The recalled chain saws have a rear-handle activated chain brake (C-Q version) and have an orange top casing, gray base, black handle and "STIHL MS 361C" printed in an orange circle on the side of the unit.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: United States.</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The throttle trigger may stick after it has been released by the operator, which could cause the engine to continue to run at a speed that drives the saw chain. This can pose a risk of a laceration injury to the user or a bystander.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>STIHL has received three reports of the throttle trigger sticking. No injuries have been reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Paging Horn Loudspeakers</p> <p>UNITS: About 2,600</p> <p>IMPORTER: TOA Electronics Inc., of Burlingame, Calif.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This recall involves TOA paging horn speakers in the SC series. The speakers have "Paging Horn Speaker," the TOA logo and model and production information printed on the back.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Indonesia</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The speaker housing can crack at the mounting bracket, causing the speakers to fall from their mounting. This poses a risk of injury from impact to consumers. Higher failure rates have occurred in high temperature and humidity environments.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>TOA has received 18 reports of speakers falling in Japan. No incidents or injuries have been reported in the United States.</p> | Voluntary recall |



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| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Fagor Refrigerators</p> <p>UNITS: About 1,400</p> <p>IMPORTER: Fagor America Inc., of Lyndhurst, N.J.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This recall involves Fagor 24-inch wide refrigerators sold in stainless steel and black. "Fagor" is printed on the refrigerator's front door. Model and serial numbers are located inside the refrigerator door, on the left hand side near the food storage drawers.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Spain</p>    | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The refrigerator's control board can overheat, posing a fire hazard to consumers.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>Fagor America has received 19 reports of incidents, including two reports of fires resulting in damage to the refrigerator and surrounding property. No injuries have been reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |



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| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Flow Pro, Airtech, Aloha Breeze & Comfort Essentials Heaters</p> <p>UNITS: About 2.2 million</p> <p>IMPORTER: Wal-Mart Stores Inc., of Bentonville, Arkansas</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This recall involves Flow Pro, Airtech, Aloha Breeze and Comfort Essentials 1500 watt heaters. The heaters are grey with a metal handle on the top with vents and grey control knobs on the front. The model number is 1013 and can be found on a label on the lower left corner of the back panel of the heater.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The heaters can malfunction resulting in overheating, smoking, burning, melting and fire.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>Wal-Mart has received 21 reports of incidents, which included 11 reports of property damage beyond the heater. Injuries were reported in four incidents, three of which required medical attention for minor burns and smoke inhalation. The remaining incidents included smoke irritation, sparking or property damage beyond the heater.</p> | Voluntary recall |
| AUSTRALIA | <p>Energy Saving Devices Australia Pty Ltd—EST5-28W Fluorescent Adapter</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>28 Watt T5 fluorescent adapter</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Batch No 20091226</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Ecoprime Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Energy Saving Devices Australia Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.esdaustralia.com.au</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>When the faulty diodes fail, they may damage the circuit board (a few may also char the double insulation). This could make the lamps unsafe if someone handles them while attempting to replace them with the electricity switched on.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>A suspected small number of diodes used in the affected batch are presumed faulty.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>The product batch no. was only sold to one retailer (Eco Prime Pty Ltd) sale occurred on 30/11/2009 quantity 250 units. Energy Saving Devices Australia Pty Ltd will organise replacement adapters. Users are warned to turn the lights off before replacing them</p> |

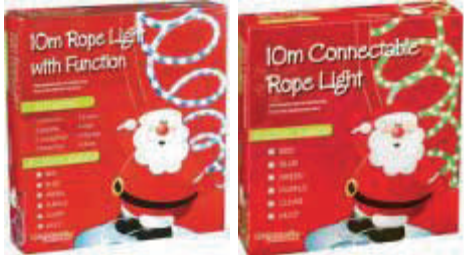
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| EU/SLOVAKIA | <p>CATEGORY: Lighting equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Night Light</p> <p>BRAND: Finding Nemo</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 91906, EAN code: 8420406919065</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Night light (size 12.5 cm x 5 cm) made from PVC with a switch. The lampshade is decorated with a red fish on a blue background with red "NEMO" text.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Spain</p>  | <p>BURNS, ELECTRIC SHOCK AND FIRE</p> <p>The product poses a risk of fire and burns because the shade overheats during use; and a risk of electric shock because it is decorated with child-appealing pictures which might lead a child to manipulate it whilst it is plugged into the socket.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60598.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market. |
| EU/SLOVAKIA | <p>CATEGORY: Lighting equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Night Light - Bart</p> <p>BRAND: The Simpsons</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 91301, EAN code: 8420406913063</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Night light sized 12.5 cm x 5 cm, made from PVC, equipped with switch. The lampshade is decorated with a picture of Bart Simpson with a skateboard on the blue background. Sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Spain</p>  | <p>BURNS, ELECTRIC SHOCK AND FIRE</p> <p>The product poses a risk of fire and burns because the shade overheats during use; and a risk of electric shock because it is decorated with child-appealing pictures which might lead a child to manipulate it whilst it is plugged into the socket.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60598.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market. |


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| EU/LITHUANIA | <p>CATEGORY: Electrical appliances</p> <p>PRODUCT: Table lamp</p> <p>BRAND: Riwa</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: MT-1009; barcode: 0 000011 283867</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Table lamp packed in a cardboard box.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>ELECTRIC SHOCK</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because the internal wiring does not have double or reinforced insulation.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60598.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/SWEDEN | <p>CATEGORY: Lighting equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Electric table lamp (Adventslysstake Maria 7 Armad)</p> <p>BRAND: Jula Postorder</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type: 946-261, SD GM7-36, 2027536, EAN: 7 330571 195793</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Electric, wooden table lamp with seven lights in the form of candles on a tree.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>ELECTRIC SHOCK</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the lamp holders, with their electric contacts, can be pulled out of the candle body with a small force and live parts are then accessible, - both pins of the plug can turn when they are twisted, breaking the insulation of the pins. <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standards EN 60598.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| <p>AUSTRALIA</p> | <p>Retail Adventures Pty Ltd—Christmas Essentials Rope Lights - Static, w/Controller and Connectable</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>9338195433312 - XMAS ROPE LIGHT STATIC 10M 9338195433329 - XMAS ROPE LIGHT W/CONTR 10M 9338195433336 - XMAS ROPE LIGHT CONNECT 10M</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Q03793 - approval number on the plug NSW21401 - approval number on the lighting chain</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Sam’s Warehouse, Chickenfeed, Crazy Clark’s and Go-Lo</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Retail Adventures Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER’S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.retailadventures.com.au</p>  | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Risk of electric shock or fire.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>In certain instances, there may be exposed or uninsulated wiring, which could produce an electric shock or potential fire risk.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>Customers should cease using these products immediately and return them to any of our stores for a refund.</p> |

E&E: CORD SETS, PLUGS & SOCKETS



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| <p>EU/UNITED KINGDOM</p> | <p>CATEGORY: Electrical appliances PRODUCT: Mains charger for mobile phone BRAND: Unknown TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: MOT-V8/V9/Q9 Description: Mains charger intended for use with Samsung Galaxy S mobile phone (NOT ORIGINAL PRODUCT). Product supplied without packaging. COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>ELECTRIC SHOCK</p> <p>The product poses a risk of electric shock because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - wires to the conductor pins are held in place by solder only; - single insulation mains wiring could touch low voltage parts on the printed circuit board; - the electric strength of the insulation between the input conductor pins and the DC output connector is not sufficient; - there is no fuse fitted to the mains circuit. <p>One incident reported involving damage to the product.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN60950.</p> | <p>Voluntary recall from consumers by the importer.</p> |



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| EU/LITHUANIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Toy with sweets - Candy Missile – Toy candy car</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model 305, barcode: 6914204338989</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Cardboard box containing 24 pieces, the individual units are not packed.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING AND INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - choking, because of small parts (wheels, the front holders of the rocket, rear part of the rockets) which can easily detach from the toy, - injuries, because the toy can easily break, opening the metal axles of wheels. There is also a risk due to the thickness of the cord (0.9 ± 0.1 mm). - The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71. | Sales ban, withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Construction set - Construction Spot</p> <p>BRAND: Junior Builder - Toyman</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Barcode 6438022389690, item no 38969 in the package</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Plastic construction toy set containing excavators, conveyors, traffic signs and other equipment for building sites. Packed in a cardboard box. Information "Junior Builder™" attached.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the black plastic material in the belt of the conveyor contains 0.7% bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) and 13% of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to the REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or the childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |



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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Soft toy – 1. plush frog, 2. cat, 3. plush frog</p> <p>BRAND: Eetu ja Konna</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Konna: Item 34800000 in invoice 2. Pushkin: Item 34804000 in invoice 3. Sammakkokuningas: Item 34802000 in invoice <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Green frog ("Konna") with green shirt, yellow trousers and white shoes. Height approximately 23 cm. 2. Reversible cat ("Pushkin") which can be white/ pink with yellow eyes or grey/black with red eyes. The other "side" of the cat can be hidden inside the toy (in stomach). Pearl necklace included. 3. Light green frog king ("Sammakkokuningas") with yellow crown, red coat, red pants and black legs. Height approximately 25 cm. <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The products poses a risk of choking because the eyes of the frogs and the pearls of the cat's necklace can be easily detached and fit into the small parts cylinder.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |
| EU/FRANCE | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Mobile phone screen cleaner - Mobile Screen Cleaner</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 901 040 215 901 040 216</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Mobile phone accessory – small soft toy charm intended for cleaning the screen of mobile phones.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING AND INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because of the presence of small parts which can be easily detached</p> <p>In addition, there is a risk of injuries due to the presence of a string which is less than 1.5 mm thick.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Voluntary stop of sales, withdrawal from the market and recall. |

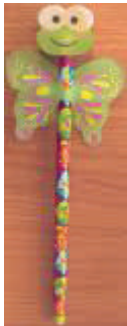


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| EU/ NETHERLANDS | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Inflatable ball - Tapbal 2000</p> <p>BRAND: Marsupilami</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Art.nr 100011</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Inflatable ball with a print of a 'Marsupilami' figure, attached to a plastic racket by an elastic strap. The product has a CE-mark.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 34.5% by mass of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to the REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or the childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Sales ban ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/ITALY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Cheering trumpet toy (Tifo trombetta)</p> <p>BRAND: Wacko's (toy gadget in San Carlo crisps)</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Cod 250730</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Trumpet made of hard plastic with whistle joined to a balloon of soft plastic-rubbery material. The trumpet makes a sound when the soft, plastic, round section is squeezed. The gadget comes inside a bag of crisps, with a sealed transparent plastic wrapper containing another wrapper, inside which is the surprise toy, called 'Tifo Trombetta' (cheering trumpet). The second wrapper states 'Trombetta Wacko's' cod 250730 – read and retain. Warning! Not suitable for children under 3 years of age. Small parts could be swallowed or inhaled. Distributed in Italy by San Carlo Gruppo Alimentare. This wording also appears in English, French, Spanish and German.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because it contains small parts that can be easily detached and swallowed.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> <p>One accident reported.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/ITALY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Soap bubbles</p> <p>BRAND: "BUBBLE KID"</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code No: B0019; barcode: 8021029900586 (supplied by importer) Code on label: ITEM NO. 6388A</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The product is a container for soap solution made of smooth, luminous orange plastic with a white cap. The cap is topped off with a clear green plastic dome containing a metallic ball (puzzle). There is an orange label around the product. The front shows four cartoon characters, a ram, a tiger cub, a chick and a puppy - coloured pink, orange, yellow and blue, respectively - and the name of the product appears in red outlined in black. The characters are surrounded by soap bubbles. The following text appears in a white rectangle at the top right: 'WARNING: Choking hazard - Small parts, not for children under 3 years.' The following text appears to the left: '12PCS' and the CE mark appears at the bottom. On the back the product's name appears at the top. To the right there are two diagrams with instructions for use, and lower down the following text in a white box: 'PRECAUCIONES peligro de ahogarse. Contiene partes pequenas. No recomendado para ninos menores de 3 anos.' That text also appears in other languages, namely English and Arabic.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>     | <p>MICROBIOLOGICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the liquid exceeds the limit values for the total aerobic microbial count (TAMC) (aerobic mesophilic bacteria) laid down by the European Pharmacopoeia for the microbiological quality of non-sterile pharmaceutical preparations (5.1.4), for which cutaneous, nasal or oromucosal contact is envisaged; we consider that the same limit (10²) should apply, since there is equivalence between the exposure experienced by children using the soap bubble toy (this actually occurs through cutaneous contact, through indirect inhalation and through frequent accidental introduction into the mouth during use) and the exposure envisaged for the preparations referred to above. The liquid also returns a positive result for gram-negative bacteria, among which Burkholderia cepacia has been identified; this is highly resistant to antibiotics and is capable of causing infections, including serious infections, in vulnerable subjects such as children with cystic fibrosis or immunodeficiency disorders.</p> | Seizure of the products and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/FRANCE | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: toy key ring</p> <p>BRAND: Paul</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Reference: 6512</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Stuffed dolphin toy keyring. The dolphin is blue with orange at the sides. Length: 15 cm Product sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because it contains small parts (metal ring) which can be easily detached and fit into the small parts cylinder.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market. |
| EU/ESTONIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Plastic toy (Frogs)</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: EAN 520190562420; code: 2019-0562420</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Frog-shaped toy made of green plastic. Approximate size of toy is 8 cm x 9 cm. Toy is packed into a transparent plastic bag. On the bag there are three stickers with a label showing the number of article, EAN code, CE-marking and the information in Estonian/Latvian/Lithuanian/Romanian/Bulgarian of the product name, country of origin, and the data of the Estonian/Latvian/Lithuanian/Romanian/ Bulgarian distributors.</p> <p>COUNTRY of origin: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 33.6% by weight of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/ESTONIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Set of ponies (Baby)</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: EAN 0200001452079</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The set contains 6 ponies (3 white-coloured, 3 pink-coloured), a yellow-coloured brush and magic wand. Toys are packed into a transparent plastic bag. Approximate size of packaging: 22 cm x 18.5 cm. The top of the bag is closed with a folded slip, fixed to the bag with staples.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 25.78% by weight of di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) and 0,53% by weight of dibutyl phthalate (DBP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Ride-on toy car (Funny Gear Kid's Rider)</p> <p>BRAND: KY Toys</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 1693P, barcode: 9 555059 115478</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Plastic, ride-on toy car, length: 45 cm. Pink body, orange wheels, telephone and horn, mauve steering wheel and backrest, yellow seat and green front part (products with other colour combinations not affected).</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries because the front axle of the toy could break whilst being used by a child.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/ESTONIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Scoubidou</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: EAN 6417564500091, Article 50009</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Multi-coloured strings for creative design ideas, length 80 cm and thickness 2 mm. The product is packed in a transparent plastic bag. The top of the bag is closed with a folded slip, fixed to the bag with staples. There is a label showing the number of article, EAN code, CE-mark, warning. Approximate size of packaging: 32 cm x 14 cm.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 2.5% by weight of dibutyl phthalate (DBP)</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Doctor Play Set (Professional Tabards)</p> <p>BRAND: Express Yourself</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Item no 89641 in invoice and in the label</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A doctor play set packed in a transparent plastic bag with blue borders and handle. The set contains a white coat and a stethoscope.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 19% by weight of di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) and 8,5% by weight of dibutylphthalate (DBP) in the white plastic material of the tube of stethoscope.</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |

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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Pencil with eraser (HB Pencil 30 pcs)</p> <p>BRAND: CENTRUM</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: HB, Art. Nr.: 82932, barcode: 4 030969 829325</p> <p>Description: Mauve pencil with multicoloured decorations, a green eraser in a shape of a frog's head and a decorative light green butterfly with yellow & fuchsia wings. The products are packed in a carton box – case (30 pieces), but could be sold separately.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>   | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 20.2% (eraser) and 45.9% (butterfly) by weight of di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/SPAIN | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Doll (Lovely baby doll)</p> <p>BRAND: TUTU LOVE</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Model: 31115</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The product in question is a rigid plastic doll which makes sounds. It is dressed in a suit of trousers and a pink hat and has various accessories for the bath and eating. Description of packaging: - cardboard box with a transparent front which reads: Tutu Love, Lovely Baby Doll with sound.</p> <p>COUNTRY of origin: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL AND CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the battery compartment can be easily opened.</p> <p>The product also poses a risk of choking because the easily accessible button batteries can be put into the mouth and swallowed.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standards EN 71 and EN 62115.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |


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| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Swim ring (ABCD Series)</p> <p>BRAND: Ertong Toys Factory</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Ertong Toys Factory 808653, ABCD Series. Bar code: 5 999045 437405</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A yellow inflatable swim ring with a diameter of 75 cm, which does not contain CE marking. The packaging of the product is a transparent plastic bag with CE marking. The packaging also contains a warning note, but only in English and Chinese.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL AND CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the mouthpiece contains 23% of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), and 10% of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> <p>The product also poses a risk of choking because the mouthpiece can be easily detached and swallowed.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Inflatable swim ring (Flotador Hinchable)</p> <p>BRAND: CARTOON NETWORK SAICA</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: JUSTICE LEAGUE FLOTADOR HINCHABLE, bar code: 8421440013375</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The swim ring is blue with the decoration of batman, superman and flash characters and the "justice league", "Saica" writings.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the mouthpiece contains 3% of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), and 28% of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Plastic locomotive (Squeeze Me Touch Me!)</p> <p>BRAND: SOFT RACER</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 218S/1 barcode: 808986032189</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Yellow, plastic locomotive with purple wheels. The toy is decorated with two eyes and a mouth. The product is 6cm tall and 6cm long. Recommended age group on the packaging: 12 months, the information on the Hungarian label: recommended over 12 months</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 14% bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Rattle</p> <p>BRAND: Bao Bei Zhiyue</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 2008A-006</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Guitar shaped, plastic rattle which contains 2 spheres, 2cm in diameter each.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because of its excessive length if put in the mouth.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities.</p> |

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| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Dragon shaped green swim ring</p> <p>BRAND: INTEX</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: #58226, barcode: 0 78257582266</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The product is a green swim ring which is shaped as a dragon. Size of the product: 79x71cm. The swim ring is inflatable with a single air cell. The product contains a dragon head, two wings and four legs. Packed in a cardboard box (packaging size: 16x13cm) with a photo of a little boy with two swim rings. The product does not contain any Hungarian warning notes only the CE marking. The packaging contains warning notes in 12 languages and on a sticker in Hungarian.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the mouthpiece contains 32% of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), and 43% of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Wooden toy (ANIMAL BALANCE)</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A painted wooden toy which contains several moveable parts with different shapes on a hollow base plate. The warning on the packaging recommends the toy for children over 3 years of age. The size of the packaging box: 410x310x30mm.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because it contains small parts than can be easily swallowed.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Swim ring</p> <p>BRAND: WATERFUN</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: barcode: 8711295446269</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A swim ring, purple colour in the form of a triangle. A warning note in Hungarian language can be read on the product and on the packaging together with the CE marking.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the mouthpiece contains 24% of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), and 42% of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Doll and accessories set</p> <p>BRAND: e'Laine Yiduozi</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 1) Item no AA-113818 in invoice 2) Item no AA-113823 in invoice</p> <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fashion Girls: a doll with accessories packed in a transparent plastic package; 2. Innocent Child: a doll with accessories (e.g. a trolley) packed in a cardboard box. <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the plastic material contains 16-26% (product 1) and 13-24 % (product 2) of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP).</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |



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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Soft toy</p> <p>BRAND: Shangjie Toy</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Item no AA-11766 in invoice2. Item no AA-11766 in invoice3. Item no AA-11768 in invoice4. Item no AA-11768 in invoice <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. A beige plush mouse with a brown hat and a bow tie, height approx. 25 cm2. A beige plush bear with a brown hat and a bow tie, height approx. 25 cm3. A beige plush rabbit with a pink scarf and pink decoration, height approx. 50 cm, text "Shangjie Toy" on the label.4. A beige plush rabbit with a blue scarf and blue decoration, height approx. 50 cm, text "Shangjie Toy" on the label. <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p> <div data-bbox="347 1070 798 1659"></div> | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The products pose a risk of choking because they contain small parts which fit in the small parts cylinder: 1) the eyes 2) the nose and an eye 3) the decorative pearl 4) the nose and the decorative pearl.</p> <p>Furthermore, the plastic bags containing the rabbits (i.e. products 3 and 4) have an average sheet thickness of 0,010 mm ± 0,004 mm. Bags made of flexible plastics with an opening perimeter greater than 380 mm used for packaging, shall have an average sheet thickness of 0,038 mm or more.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |

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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Plastic toy (Stacking Half Ball)</p> <p>BRAND: ON – U – MIND</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model: GT-8787 Barcode: 0282266000035</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Multi-coloured half balls that can be stacked or placed together in order to create various shapes. The package also includes two plastic small balls which have the shape of a head. The pink ball has two small parts on the top that are placed in a way so they look like ears and can be easily detached from the ball. The balls can be placed in a small hole at the top of each half ball.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because a part of the toy, specifically the ear, can be detached and fits entirely into the small parts cylinder. One incident reported.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toy Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/NETHERLANDS | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Beach ball (The Amazing Spiderman-Beachball 18)</p> <p>BRAND: Marvel</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code No. 1394140 Ean 5050839 414016</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Blue and red inflatable beach ball 18", with the image of Spider Man. Cardboard packaging</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 0,33% by weight of di-isodecyl phthalate (DIDP) and 32% by weight of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP).</p> <p>According to the REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or the childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Voluntary stop on sales and withdrawal from the market. |



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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Toy walkie-talkie (Walkie-Talkie)</p> <p>BRAND: Dickie Toys Easy Call</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 201118173</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Two toy walkie-talkies packed in a transparent plastic package. Batteries included. Transmission range approx. 80 meters. Available in 2 different colour combinations; black and red or black and yellow.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>DAMAGE TO HEARING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of damage to hearing because it can produce sounds that are too loud: when the walkie-talkies are located near each other, a loud "feedback" sound is created in one walkie-talkie when the "push to talk" button of the other walkie talkie is switched on. The measured sound pressure levels were 102 dB and 102.5 dB.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | <p>Import rejected by the customs authorities.</p> |
| EU/LITHUANIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Toy set (Secret agent, Intelligence agent)</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model: NO.305-33, barcode not shown.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Set consisting of: two black hard plastic guns with red detail at the end of the pipe opening, six black hard plastic darts with suction cups made from orange elastic material in the form of percussion surfaces, and a target board with colourful pictures. Toy fittings - metal screws. Toy weight - 135 grams, size (221x33x315 mm). Placed in a cardboard toy - plastic package.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING AND DAMAGE TO SIGHT</p> <p>The product poses a risk of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - choking , because the suction cups can be easily detached and put in the mouth of a child, - damage to sight, because the projectiles fired without the suction cups into someone's face can cause injuries, in particular to the eye. <p>- The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | <p>Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |

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| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Toy police set - Super World Police Power</p> <p>BRAND: Sheng Long</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: No 772, bar code: 5998665721383</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Toy set including a plastic gun, three projectiles with suction cup, handcuffs, badge. Inscription on the gun: NO 772.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because the suction cups can be easily detached and they fit into the small parts cylinder.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/NETHERLANDS | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Inflatable surf rider - The Amazing Spiderman – surfrider</p> <p>BRAND: Marvel</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code No. 1394164; Ean 5050839416416</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Blue and red inflatable surfrider with the image of Spiderman. Cardboard packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 0.40% by weight of di-isodecyl phthalate (DIDP) and 31.9% by weight of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP) in the air mattress, 2.1% by weight of DINP in the valve and 2.6% by weight of DINP in the handgrip.</p> <p>According to the REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or the childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Voluntary stop of sales and withdrawal from the market. |



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| EU/LITHUANIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Puzzle mat - Eva Puzzle Mats</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model: YX-10-6, barcode not shown.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Game Puzzle Mat consisting of soft (spongy) plastic components in various colours which can be connected to each other. Labelling is incorporated in the toy's packaging - a plastic bag – reads as follows: EVA PUZZLE MATS, CE mark, YX-10-6, age group warning.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because the inner parts of letters A, B, D, O, P, Q, R, and numbers 4, 6, 8, 9 0 fit into the small parts cylinder.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | <p>Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/SPAIN | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Scooters</p> <p>BRAND:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Jing Pen Unknown <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: model/batch:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Jing Pen – Scooter Bug: 21757 Rollerboard: 21761 <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Pink and grey plastic tricycle on which the child sits. Packaging: cardboard box labelled: Jin Peng, Scooter Bug, suitable for children aged 1 to 3 years. Three-wheel scooter, with pictures of dolls on the base. Description of packaging: cardboard box labelled: Scooter and Rollerboard. <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>   | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The products pose a risk of injuries because the diameter of the wheels is less than the minimum diameter authorised by the standard, i.e. 120 mm, and the lack of stability could cause loss of control and consequent falls. Furthermore, as the diameter of the handlebars is less than 40 mm, there is a risk of injuries due to protruding edges.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | <p>Import rejected by the customs authorities.</p> |



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| EU/LITHUANIA | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Dolls</p> <p>BRAND: eLaine</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model: 1. 38229 (The Diamond Castle) 2. 38207</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: 1. 30.2 cm doll with long, pale-yellow synthetic hair. The doll is made of soft plastic with painted eyes and lips. It is dressed in a long pink dress, narrow shoulder straps, decorated with silver synthetic lace. The doll is sold in a cardboard box illustrated with pictures. 2. 4.28 cm doll with long, pale-yellow synthetic hair, tied on top of the head and decorated with a rolled-up plait. It is made of soft plastic with painted eyes and mouth and dressed in a 'midi' red skirt decorated with white synthetic lace and a pink, knitted, sleeveless blouse with a white collar. The doll is also wearing pale pink high heeled shoes.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The products pose a chemical risk because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the doll contains 15.89% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), - the doll contains 13.60% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP). <p>- According to the REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy or the childcare article can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Toy gun set - Police Super Power</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 86852 (on the label); 877700008685208168; 88169 (on the packaging).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Toy gun set. The set contains 12 independent parts: gun, 3 projectiles with suction cups, policeman's baton, telescope, handcuffs, camera and a small toy soldier figure. The set is sealed on a paperboard with a transparent plastic cover.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because the darts are too short and the suction cups on the end of the darts are easily detachable and are considered as small parts</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/ NETHERLANDS | <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Keychain Turtle Aura 15 cm</p> <p>BRAND: Panda Droom</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Keychain Turtle Aura 15 cm; HS Code 22.999.022; Eft.art.nr 14758; EAN 8 712269 400232</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because the carabiner-type hook, which fits into the small parts cylinder, can easily come loose.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Sales ban ordered by the authorities. |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Zoom Buggy Car and Dream Pillow Star educational toys</p> <p>UNITS: About 7,000 Zoom Buggy Cars and 300 Dream Pillow Stars were sold in the United States, 1300 Zoom Buggy Cars and 100 Dream Pillow Stars were sold in Canada</p> <p>IMPORTER/DISTRIBUTOR: Kindermusik International, Inc. of Greensboro N.C.</p> <p>MANUFACTURER: Darton, of Huang Yun, China</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Zoom Buggy Cars have a wooden body with red and blue plastic wheels and a red handle. The recalled units have tracking labels on both the product and packaging with a date code of 201005 and a batch ID of APO18829 on the bottom of the cars. Dream Pillow Stars have a wooden star center with red plastic handles, yellow plastic center stars and red, blue and green plastic beads. The recalled units have tracking labels on both the product and packaging with a date code of 201005 and a batch ID of APO18829 on the bottom of the product.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The wheels on the Zoom Buggy cars and plastic beads on the Dream Pillow Star can detach, posing a choking hazard to young children.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>Kindermusik International Inc. has received 15 reports of the wheels detaching from the Zoom Buggy Car and no incidents with the Dream Pillow Star. No injuries have been reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |

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| AUSTRALIA | <p>Jasnor (Australia) Pty Ltd—Tatiri Mini Roller Cars</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Wooden toy car in three colour variants - Yellow/Blue/Red</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>T6320</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Specialist Gift & Toy Retailers</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Jasnor (Australia) Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.jasnor.com.au</p>  | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Small parts pose a potential choking hazard to children 36 months of age and under.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The wheels may become detached and pose a choking hazard for children 36 months of age and under.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>Immediately take this product away from children 36 months of age and under and return to the place of purchase for a FULL REFUND or contact Jasnor (Australia) Pty Ltd directly to organise a replacement item of equal value.</p> |
| AUSTRALIA | <p>BeesKnees 4 Kids—Keptin-Jr Comforter Chain Rabby Red & Doggo Blue</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>The pacifier holder has a textile ribbon to which is attached a rabbit head, ears and a body made of soft textile in two different colours (red & white striped and blue & white striped). The garment fastener is made of metal affixed to a wooden disc and the soother fastener has a fixed loop of textile cord.</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Big Dreams, Creative House, Every Occasion, Kiddie Country, Kiddy Kidz, Lottie & Louis, Mama's Home, Mini Marche, Mr. Vitamins, My Toy Shop, Nature's Child, Nature's Cradle, Sea Saw, The Green Dispensary, The Kids Store, Toodlebug Toys</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>BeesKnees 4 Kids</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.beesknees4kids.com.au</p>  | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Potential choking hazard for young children.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The head may become detached from the body of the rabbit and is a small part.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>Remove the product from small children and return to the place of purchase for a full refund.</p> |



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| AUSTRALIA | <p>Hunter Products Pty Ltd—6" Shrek Forever After Sir Squeakles Plush Toy</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>6" Shrek Forever After Sir Squeakles Plush Toy</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES: SC SH2010-2</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>K Mart, Toys "R" Us, The Reject Shop</p> <p>SUPPLIER: Hunter Products Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.hunterproducts.com.au</p>  | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Small parts may cause a choking hazard to young children.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>Some of the toys have been found to have parts inadequately stitched in place, as they detach when subjected to the reasonably foreseeable abuse tests of the mandatory toy standard. The ears are small parts.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>Remove from children immediately and return the product to the place of purchase for a FULL REFUND.</p> |
| AUSTRALIA | <p>Zoggs Australia Pty Ltd—"Zoggy Back-float" - 2 to 6 years</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Four EVA (foam) layers held together by a red nylon adjustable strap that passes through each layer. The nylon strap is fitted with a double action buckle (two-piece - male and female - buckle) that serves to secure the strap round the user's body. The buckled strap holds the flotation device against the user's back to support the swimmer in the water.</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>Product Code: 301221 - on the bottom left of the back-float</p> <p>Batch Number 305DD - on the bottom right of the back-float. Both numbers are repeated on the packaging.</p> <p>Also called "Zoggs Back-float" on packaging, instructions and product.</p> <p>SUPPLIER</p> <p>Zoggs Australia Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p>  | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>It can happen that, during adjustment of the strap, the cross-piece breaks and the strap is no longer attached to the buckle. If this happens prior to fitting the back-float to the user there is no hazard, but if the breakage were to occur during use in the water, there is a possibility of drowning. The instructions for use state that "The wearer should be under constant and competent supervision." and "Supervision should be within arm's reach of the wearer at all times".</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>The male part of the plastic buckle has a flat cross piece around which the nylon strap is wrapped. It is this part of the strap that is adjusted for size. In about 8% (per our sampling) of cases this flat cross-piece is cracked or broken. This does not seem to be a design or manufacturing fault, rather it seems to occur when the buckle is assembled.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Discontinue use of the product immediately. 2. Return the product to Zoggs' "reply paid": Zoggs Australia Pty Ltd Reply Paid 85412 Locked Bag 1004, MOOREBANK, NSW, 1875 3. Supply your return address and contact details when returning the product, so that Zoggs can replace the product at their cost. |




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| <p>AUSTRALIA</p> | <p>PJ SAS Trading Pty Ltd—Likable Music Series Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Musical toys - xylophone and guitar packaged together</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>9326243117130</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Discount Variety Stores</p> <p>SUPPLIER: PJ SAS Trading Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE: http://pjsas.com.au</p>  | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>If the small parts are inhaled or ingested, they may cause a choking hazard.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>Small parts may detach from the products, making them not suitable for children under 36 months of age.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>Remove the product from small children immediately and return it to the place of purchase for a FULL REFUND.</p> |
| <p>EU/IRELAND</p> | <p>CORRIGENDUM</p> <p>Notification below PRODUCT RECALLS- Consumer Products- October 16-31 in year 2010 has been updated following additional information on product description provided by the notifying country.</p> <p>CATEGORY: Toys</p> <p>PRODUCT: Plastic musical animals - Musical Roll Along Playmates</p> <p>BRAND: Navystar</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Barcode: 4891622050391 No. 65039-E.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Toy imitating caterpillar with 5 musical buttons that also light up. Product suitable for 18 months +. Batteries supplied contain mercury.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because the button cells are easily accessible and can be swallowed.</p> <p>One reported case of a baby swallowing the batteries.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Toys Directive.</p> | <p>Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers.</p> |



HARDLINES: JUVENILE ITEMS

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| <p>EU/CZECH REPUBLIC</p> | <p>CATEGORY: Childcare articles and children's equipment PRODUCT: Pram - Fast Rider BRAND: Tako TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 2009088423 DESCRIPTION: Combined pram with portable cot and accessories, bag to hang on handle, shopping basket and raincover. COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Poland</p>  | <p>INJURIES AND CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the insufficient retaining function of the side of the portable cot which could allow babies to fall out.</p> <p>Furthermore, the product poses a chemical risk because the black plastic of the handle contains 34.7% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (P).</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 1466.</p> <p>According to REACH Regulation, phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited when the toy can be placed in the mouth by children.</p> | <p>Sales ban ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| <p>EU/SWEDEN</p> | <p>CATEGORY: Childcare articles and children's equipment PRODUCT: Pushchair - Brio Duette BRAND: Brio TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown DESCRIPTION: This recall involves the Brio Duette pushchair. COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Sweden</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries because the hinges on the pram's hood can pose a fingertip amputation and laceration hazard to a child standing next to the pushchair when the user closes the hood. Examination of the product showed that the hinges of the hood have a shear point less than 12 mm. One incident reported</p> <p>This product does not comply with the EN 1888</p> | <p>Voluntary actions taken by the producer.</p> |


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| EU/BELGIUM | <p>CATEGORY: Childcare articles and children's equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: High chair</p> <p>BRAND: Topmark Desert T 2090</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Article No 140 99216</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Unknown</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Netherlands</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries because the fingers can be trapped</p> <p>as the high chair contains holes, gaps or openings (between 7 mm and 12 mm in size and over 10 mm deep) above the seat surface which are accessible to a child seated in the high chair. The high chair also presents a risk of falling due to insufficient vertical stability.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14988.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Childcare articles and children's equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Baby-walker (Discovery)</p> <p>BRAND: Casaul</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Not known</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Baby-walker intended for children up to 6 months of age and weighing up to 12 kg. It is made of plastic and has a metal folding mechanism and a textile seat on which there is a tray with toys, sounds and lights. The product is packed in a cardboard box.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Turkey</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries to small children because it does not have sufficient strength and can break during use.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 1273.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/GREECE | <p>PRODUCT: Soothers</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Italy</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of N-nitrosatable compounds (135.1 µg/kg - ppb) from soothers from Italy</p> | recall from consumers |

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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Childcare articles and children's equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Soother (Physiosoft)</p> <p>BRAND: Chicco</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 12m+, Gommotto Soother, lot 1010050019/Prod. 05/2010</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Pacifier (soother) made of rubber, packed in blister with white cardboard label and the words "Orthodontic chicco system".</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Italy</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 135.1 µg/kg (ppb) extractable nitrosable amines while the acceptable limit is 100 ppb.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Directive 93/11/EC.</p> | Recall from consumers ordered by the authorities |
| AUSTRALIA | <p>Retail Adventures Pty Ltd—Little Driver and Play Xylophone</p> <p>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</p> <p>Little Driver is a plastic steering wheel that has buttons and sound effects.</p> <p>Play Xylophone is a multi coloured, 3 key xylophone with 2 sticks.</p> <p>IDENTIFYING FEATURES</p> <p>9338195435835 - LITTLE DRIVER MY BABIES B/O 9338195433947 - PLAY XYLOPHONE 3 ASTD</p> <p>TRADERS WHO SOLD THIS PRODUCT</p> <p>Sam's Warehouse, Chickenfeed, Crazy Clark's, Go-Lo</p> <p>SUPPLIER: Retail Adventures Pty Ltd</p> <p>SUPPLIER'S WEB SITE</p> <p>http://www.RetailAdventures.com.au</p>   | <p>HAZARDS</p> <p>Small parts may pose a choking hazard to young children.</p> <p>DEFECTS</p> <p>9338195435835 - LITTLE DRIVER MY BABIES B/O - the sticker/decals may become detached and could pose a choking hazard for children under 3 years.</p> <p>9338195433947 - PLAY XYLOPHONE 3 ASTD - the mounting studs, washers and one key may become loose, creating a choking hazard for children under 3 years.</p> | <p>CONSUMERS ACTION</p> <p>Customers should cease using these products immediately and return them to any of our stores for a FULL REFUND.</p> |




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| EU/SPAIN | <p>CATEGORY: Chemical products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Air freshener</p> <p>BRAND: Crystal Air Freshener Series</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Ref 07670 (apple and lemon aromas) Barcode: 843085207670007670</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Air freshener in penguin-shaped container; the transparent lower part houses the air freshener pearls. The container is a blister pack with a transparent front through which the product can be seen.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains Ethanol, 2-tert-Butylcyclohexanol and acetato o-tert Butylcyclohexanol and, having an appearance and a shape likely to attract or arouse the active curiosity of children, it is likely to be treated as a toy.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the national legislation.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Lighters</p> <p>PRODUCT: Refillable lighter</p> <p>BRAND: FOGO</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 1214 (SKD107R HC5), 5-digit code on lighter base: 44002, barcode: 5 201467 012147</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Refillable, electronic gas lighters with the pictures of tropical beaches (approximate dimensions: 8.3x2.6x1 cm). The lighters are packed in a transparent plastic bag (3 items), with an orange part bearing the name "GALAXIAS", the barcode and the address of the importer (approximate dimensions: 13x4.5x1 cm).</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>BURNS AND FIRE</p> <p>The product poses a risk of burns and fire because it does not carry a child-resistant mechanism.</p> <p>According to Commission Decision 2006/502/EC, Member States shall ensure that only lighters which are child-resistant are placed on the market.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Lighters</p> <p>PRODUCT: Novelty lighter (DoubiemInt, Extrat, Fruit Juicy, Coffee Gum)</p> <p>BRAND: Gas Lighter Gum</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 2114421; Barcode: 2200000118639</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Refillable, electric, adjustable lighters made of plastic in the form of a pack of chewing gum.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>BURNS AND FIRE</p> <p>The products pose a risk of burns and fire because they are attractive to children, especially for those under 51 months.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Commission Decision 2006/502/EC prohibiting the placing on the market of novelty lighters.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Lighters</p> <p>PRODUCT: Novelty lighters (Elitist Elegant, Fishy Friends, Daily Sexercise)</p> <p>BRAND: Atomic</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 31 L1250 2. 31 – L01281 Bar Code: 4014663074014 3. 31 – L1250 Bar Code: 4014663050377 4. 31 – L01252 5. 31 – L1253 <p>DESCRIPTION: Refillable novelty lighters, made of plastic and covered with various pictures (hearts, naked women, gender symbols, fish). The lighters are equipped with a switch enabling the projection of pictures similar to those on the lighters.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>BURNS AND FIRE</p> <p>The products pose a risk of burns and fire because they are attractive to children, especially for those under 51 months.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Commission Decision 2006/502/EC prohibiting the placing on the market of novelty lighters.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/France | <p>CATEGORY: Food-imitating products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Chocolate-scented candle</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: references: gls cup w/ coffee scent bar code 8717794336339</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Round, chocolate-scented candle in a glass pot. It is decorated with imitation chocolate beans.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Netherlands</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because this chocolate-scented candle (which can be smelt even when the candle is not lit) is decorated with imitation chocolate beans which can be mistaken for coffee-bean shaped chocolate. These imitation chocolate beans fall off and fit completely into the small parts cylinder.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Directive 87/357/EEC on products which, appearing to be other than they are, endanger the health or safety of consumers.</p> | Voluntary stop of sales. |
| EU/Bulgaria | <p>CATEGORY: Food-imitating products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Products imitating fruit</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Barcode 4300175785747</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Food-imitating products made of polystyrene in the form of a sugar-coated apple in miniature, in yellow and red colours; a cherry in red colour; a pear in miniature, in yellow and red colours. The fruits are attached to wires imitating stems. They are sold in packaging with a cardboard base, a transparent plastic front with pictures of a Christmas tree and a candy cane. There is a label with the inscription Kaufland Bulgaria. Each package contains 16 apples. On the back of the packaging there is a label with inscriptions in seven languages, including Bulgarian and the barcode.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Germany</p>   | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The products pose a risk of choking because the imitation fruit can be easily detached and could be placed in the mouth and swallowed by children, especially small children who may confuse them with real fruit.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Directive 87/357/EEC on products which, appearing to be other than they are, endanger the health or safety of consumers.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Food-imitating products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Naphthalene moth balls - Jolly Plus</p> <p>BRAND: Relevi</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Barcode: 8 002 100 234066</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Naphthalene moth balls which look like white, round sweets. They are sold in coloured plastic packaging on which there are some inscriptions in a foreign language: Jolly plus, ANTITARMICO PROFUMATO, Per armadi e cassetti, 4 MESI DI EFFICACIA Non macchia, 100g.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Italy</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL AND CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk and a risk of choking because the naphthalene is attractive to children due to its appearance. If it is swallowed, it may lead to choking and suffocation and the contact with naphthalene may cause irritation, burning and poisoning.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Directive 87/357/EEC on products which, appearing to be other than they are, endanger the health or safety of consumers.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/IRELAND | <p>CATEGORY: Food-imitating products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Cake slice novelty soaps</p> <p>BRAND: Dunnes Home – The bath shop</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 5099012791384</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Two fragrant, cake slice, novelty soaps in plastic wrapping. Bottom and top layer are white and could be mistaken for cream. The centre is brown, like chocolate, in one soap and orange in the other. On the top of the soap slice are two small pieces of square brown chocolate and a pink heart for the chocolate slice and pieces of orange for the orange slice. No country of origin, stipulated on the packaging. Dunnes Home and also the Bath Shop are indicated on the packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of choking because the novelty soap consists of an imitation heart shape and two square pieces of chocolate and orange pieces that may be confused for a real piece of chocolate and fruit. All of the loose parts fit entirely into the small parts cylinder and therefore present a risk to consumer safety, in particular to children (choking, obstruction of digestive tract).</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Directive 87/357/EEC on products which, appearing to be other than they are, endanger the health or safety of consumers.</p> | <p>Voluntary stop of sales.</p> |

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| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Silver Tree Tealight Candle Holders</p> <p>UNITS: About 7,600 in the United States and 650 in Canada</p> <p>DISTRIBUTOR: Michaels Stores Inc., of Irving, Texas</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This recall involves silver-colored tealight candle holders in a shape of a Christmas tree. The candle holders are about 16-inches tall and have a silver star on the top. Nine tealight cups and clear plastic beads hang from the tree branches.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The tealight cups are positioned where the flame from the candles can ignite other parts of the candle holder, posing fire and burn hazards to consumers.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>Michaels has received reports of six incidents including five fires and a consumer who received minor burns.</p> | Voluntary recall |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Metallic spinning candle holders with 12 soy tea lights</p> <p>UNITS: About 14,000</p> <p>IMPORTER/RETAILER: QVC, of West Chester, Pa.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The product is QVC item H189749, a metallic spinning candle holder with 12 soy tea lights. The candle holders come in four colors - red, green, silver and gold. The candle holder has a base that holds a tea light and a shade which is attached to the center of the base by an approximately six inch vertical metal rod. When the candle is lit, the shade spins, projecting a display of moving light on nearby walls and surfaces.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The candle holders can catch fire, posing a fire hazard to consumers.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>The firm has received 19 reports that the candle holders ignited. Eleven of these reported damage to surrounding surfaces and furnishings. Two minor burns and one puncture wound have been reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |

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| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Ceramic piggy and lion banks</p> <p>Units: About 220,000</p> <p>IMPORTER: Oriental Trading Company, Inc. of Omaha, Ne.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The recalled piggy bank is shaped like a pig and the body of the piggy bank is painted yellow with floral designs. The ceramic lion bank is shaped like a lion and is painted yellow with a brown mane. The banks measure about 4 inches in length, 2.5 inches in width, and 3.5 inches in height. Only yellow banks with black plastic stoppers in the bottoms of the banks are being recalled. Banks with white or translucent stoppers are not being recalled.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The yellow surface paint on the banks contains excessive levels of lead which is prohibited under federal law.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>None reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Sterno Portable Butane Stoves</p> <p>UNITS: About 37,500</p> <p>IMPORTER: The Sterno Group LLC, of Des Plaines, Ill.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The recalled portable butane stoves have model numbers STO6001 and 50006. The single burner stoves are black and measure about 14 inches wide x 12 inches long x 4 inches high. They use an eight-ounce butane canister as the fuel source. "Sterno" is printed on the front of the stove. The model number and UPC 0-27371-50006-9 or UPC 0-76642-06001-6 is printed on the stove's packaging.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The stove's "on-off" valve can fail to close completely when turned to the "off" position, causing butane to leak from the stove. This poses a fire and burn hazard to consumers.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>Sterno has received one report of a stove failing to completely shut off. No injuries have been reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |



HARDLINES: HOME FURNISHING & HOUSEWARE

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/ESTONIA | <p>PRODUCT: stainless steel soup ladles</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Hong Kong</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of primary aromatic amines from nylon and stainless steel soup ladles from China, via Hong Kong</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/POLAND | <p>PRODUCT: rim of glass</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Poland</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of lead (between 2.95 and 5.39 mg/item) from rim of glass from Poland</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/ESTONIA | <p>PRODUCT: nylon and stainless steel turners</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Hong Kong</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of primary aromatic amines (anilin: 0.004 mg/dm²) from nylon and stainless steel turners from China, via Hong Kong</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/POLAND | <p>PRODUCT: rim of glass</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of lead (between 16.43 and 21.1 mg/item) from rim of glass from China</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/ITALY | <p>PRODUCT: stainless steel steak</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: South Korea</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of chromium (4.2; 2.7; 5.8 mg/kg - ppm) from stainless steel steak knife from South Korea, via Vietnam</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/GERMANY | <p>PRODUCT: kitchen utensils</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of primary aromatic amines (4,4 diaminodiphenylmethane: 4.96 µg/dm²) from kitchen utensils from China, via the Netherlands</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/ITALY | <p>PRODUCT: steak knife</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of chromium (2.5 mg/kg - ppm) from steak knife from China</p> | product (to be) redispached or destroyed |
| EU/ITALY | <p>PRODUCT: stainless steel knives</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of chromium (0.52 mg/kg - ppm) from stainless steel knives from China</p> | withdrawal from recipient(s) |

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| EU/POLAND | <p>PRODUCT: rim of glass</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Turkey</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of lead (34.9 mg/item) from rim of glass from Turkey</p> | withdrawal from recipient(s) |
| EU/ITALY | <p>PRODUCT: vacuum cup</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of chromium (4.1 mg/kg - ppm) and of nickel (0.35 mg/kg - ppm) from vacuum cup from China</p> | product (to be) detained |
| EU/GERMANY | <p>PRODUCT: printing ink on plastic cups</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Greece</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of 2-methyl-4-(methylthio)-2-morpholinopropiophenone (simulant of 10% ethanol: 86 µg/kg - ppb), of ethyl-4-dimethylaminobenzoate (simulant of 10% ethanol: 67 µg/kg - ppb) and of 2,4-diethyl thioxanthone (DETX) (simulant of 50% ethanol: 161 µg/kg - ppb) from printing ink on plastic cups from Greece</p> | withdrawal from recipient(s) |
| EU/GREECE | <p>PRODUCT: PVC gaskets used in thermo bottles</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>high content of DEHP - di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (42.0 %) in PVC gaskets used in thermo bottles from China</p> | product under customs seals |
| EU/PORTUGAL, | <p>PRODUCT: lid on jars containing mackerel fillets in olive oil</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>high content of DINP - di-isononyl phthalate (1.4 %) in lid on jars containing mackerel fillets in olive oil from Portugal, via Italy</p> | withdrawal from the market |
| EU/GERMANY | <p>PRODUCT: rim of decorated glass</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: Indonesia</p> <p>No picture available.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>migration of epoxidised migration of cadmium (0.48 mg/item) and of lead (7.2 mg/item) from rim of decorated glass from Indonesia</p> | withdrawal from market |



HARDLINES: HOME IMPROVEMENT & DIY

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/France | <p>CATEGORY: Chemical products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Glue (4 tubes de colle cyanocrylate 2g)</p> <p>BRAND: Bricoteam</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: BT0863Q Barcode 3760166680863</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: 4 tubes of 2G cyanoacrylate glue - strong glue.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains more than 10% by weight of chloroform.</p> <p>Substances and preparations containing more than 0.1% by weight of chloroform shall not be placed on the market for sale to the general public according to the REACH Regulation.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market. |
| EU/Germany | <p>CORRIGENDUM</p> <p>Notification below PRODUCT RECALLS- Consumer Products- December 01-15 in year 2010 has been updated following additional information on risk description provided by the notifying country.</p> <p>CATEGORY: Chemical products</p> <p>PRODUCT: Dissolvent - Kalk und Rostlöser (Scale and Rust Dissolvent)</p> <p>BRAND: POR CÖZ</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>EAN: 8690802028528</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Scale and rust dissolvent</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Turkey</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 20-30% of nitric acid. It is highly corrosive and emits fumes that can be dangerous if used indoors.</p> <p>One incident reported.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Regulation 648/2004.</p> | Sales ban ordered by the authorities. |



HARDLINES: PERSONAL & HOME CARE ITEMS

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Cosmetics</p> <p>PRODUCT: Hair treatment - Keratin Complex Smoothing Therapy, Natural Keratin Smoothing Treatment - Blonde Hair</p> <p>BRAND: Coppola</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: LOT 062410</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Packaging: bulk product, filled from original packaging: white plastic bottle with print - 32 oz/ 946 ml Appearance: cloudy, milky gel Consistency: semi-liquid.</p> <p>Coconut fragrance</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United States</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 1.6 g/100g of free Formaldehyde. Due to the high level of free Formaldehyde (8 times the limit value), the product presents a serious risk to health, even if used according to the instructions, both for the consumer and for the hairdresser, e.g. through inhalation. Formaldehyde vapours can affect the eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Due to the high Formaldehyde content, the product has an irritating effect on skin and mucous membranes and significant allergenic potential. Formaldehyde is to be classified as a genotoxic carcinogen for the nasopharynx if the substance is breathed in.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p> | <p>Voluntary recall from consumers by the importer.</p> |
| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Cosmetics</p> <p>PRODUCT: Hair treatment - Keratin Complex Smoothing Therapy, Natural Keratin Smoothing Treatment</p> <p>BRAND: Coppola</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>1. LOT#072610, Batch#0049KT 2. LOT 042810</p> <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <p>1. Packaging: plastic bottle with screw cap – 32 oz/946 ml Appearance: light brown, viscous liquid. Coconut fragrance.</p> <p>2. Packaging: bulk goods, filled from original packaging: white plastic bottle with print - 32 oz/946 ml Appearance: brown, cloudy gel. Consistency: semi-liquid. Coconut fragrance</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United States</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains a high level of free Formaldehyde (1.8% and 1.9% whereas the allowed limit is 0.2%).</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p> | <p>Voluntary recall from consumers.</p> |



HARDLINES: PERSONAL & HOME CARE ITEMS

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Cosmetics</p> <p>PRODUCT: Hair treatment - Keratin Complex smoothing therapy – Natural Keratin Smoothing Treatment</p> <p>BRAND: Coppola</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Batch #0022KT, Lot #092909</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Packaging: plastic bottle with screw cap - 4 oz / 119 ml Appearance: light brown, viscous fluid. Coconut fragrance</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United States</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 1.7 g/100g of free Formaldehyde. Due to the high level of free Formaldehyde (8 times the limit value), the product presents a serious risk to health, even if used according to the instructions, both for the consumer and for the hairdresser, e.g. through inhalation. Formaldehyde vapours can affect the eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Due to the high Formaldehyde content, the product has an irritating effect on skin and mucous membranes and significant allergenic potential. Formaldehyde is to be classified as a genotoxic carcinogen for the nasopharynx if the substance is breathed in.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p> | Voluntary recall from consumers by the importer. |
| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Cosmetics</p> <p>PRODUCT: Hair treatment - Keratin complex smoothing therapy – Natural Keratin Smoothing Treatment - Blonde Hair</p> <p>BRAND: Coppola</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 1. Batch#0005BT, LOT#02 1710 2. Batch#0011BT, LOT 07 1210 3. Batch#0003BT, LOT#11 1209</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: 1. Packaging – plastic bottle with screw cap. Appearance – white viscous fluid. Coconut fragrance 2. Packaging – plastic bottle with screw cap. Appearance – light brown viscous fluid. Coconut fragrance 3. Packaging – white plastic bottle with screw cap, printed, no covering box. Appearance - cloudy, milky gel. Consistency: semi-liquid. Coconut fragrance</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: United States</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains a high level of free Formaldehyde (1.7%, 1.7% and 2% whereas the allowed limit is 0.2%).</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p> | Voluntary recall from consumers. |



HARDLINES: PERSONAL & HOME CARE ITEMS

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Jewellery</p> <p>PRODUCT: Bracelet</p> <p>BRAND: Avantyn</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: AVS10246</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A metallic chain bracelet with silver and orange decorative items (hearts and balls in different sizes). A black plastic label attached.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because of the release of nickel which is a skin sensitiser. Rate of nickel release from the metallic parts (decorative hearts) of bracelets is 5,9-15 µg/cm²/week.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.</p> | <p>Import rejected by the customs authorities.</p> |
| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Cosmetics</p> <p>PRODUCT: Hair dye (Herbal Naturally Black Henna)</p> <p>BRAND: Herbal</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: batch no ger-10 mfg.dt.: oct. 2009 exp dt.: sep 2012, art. no rks05</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Blue/green printed cardboard box with picture of a woman, containing paper sachets each in turn containing one sealed aluminium-foil sachet, with a further aluminium-foil sachet inside. Olive-coloured powder.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: India</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 12% p-phenylenediamine (not more than 2% of p-phenylenediamine may be present in colouring agents for hair dyeing as applied to the hair). p-phenylenediamine has a strong sensitising effect and repeated contact can cause serious skin disorders.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p> | <p>Voluntary recall from consumers.</p> |



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| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Cosmetics</p> <p>PRODUCT: Teeth Whitening Product</p> <p>Brand: Smilefresh</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: 3 teeth whitening syringes 4.5 ml packed in a white cardboard box. No English /Finnish labels except trade name "Smilefresh" and manufacturing and expiration dates.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because of concentration of carbamide peroxide. According to the specification received from the importer this product contains carbamide peroxide 22% which releases hydrogen peroxide 7.9% by calculation. Hydrogen peroxide and other compounds or mixtures that release hydrogen peroxide, including carbamide peroxide and zinc peroxide, the maximum concentration in oral hygiene products is 0.1% of H₂O₂ present or released.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p> | <p>Import rejected by the customs authorities.</p> |
| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Jewellery</p> <p>PRODUCT: Necklace</p> <p>BRAND: Mazu</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Necklace with heart pendant</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because of allergic reaction due to high concentrations of nickel (6.5 – 9.8 µg/cm²/week).</p> <p>The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.</p> | <p>Voluntary recall from consumers by the importer.</p> |


HARDLINES: SPORT & LEISURE GOODS

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Hobby/sports equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Inflatable swimming seat</p> <p>BRAND: Race Car Kiddie Rider</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model: JL 036003NPF Bar Code: 6926799200664</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Inflatable swimming seat with a steering wheel and printed images resembling a car. The packaging is a cardboard box bearing warnings and the name of importer.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>DROWNING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of drowning because it has elements giving the impression that it is a toy and children under 3 years could capsize in the seat, with a risk that their head may go underwater and it is not possible for them to return to the upright position on their own.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 13138.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Hobby/sports equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Skateboard</p> <p>BRAND: WIN MAX Sport</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Art.: 3398, bar code: 4 019142 033988</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The Skateboard is intended for use by a rider of more than 20 kg up to 80 kg mass.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries because it does not have sufficient strength and the deck can crack and the axles can bend, in which case the user may lose control.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 13613.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/FRANCE | <p>CATEGORY: Hobby/sports equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Laser sight for air gun</p> <p>BRAND: G & P</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Product reference G&P PEQ IV laser for 20mm RIS Supplier reference (on invoice) GP 127.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Laser sight to be attached to an airgun for use in airsoft games.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>DAMAGE TO SIGHT</p> <p>The product poses a risk of damage to sight because it incorporates a Class 3 laser. In addition it does not have the required warnings and information.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 60825.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers. |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: STIHL FS 310 Bike Handle Trimmer/Brushcutter</p> <p>UNITS: About 1,000</p> <p>MANUFACTURER: STIHL Incorporated, of Virginia Beach, Va.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: The recalled bike handle trimmer/brushcutter has "STIHL" printed on the engine head. The model number FS 310 is located in two places, on the shaft and on the flywheel housing below the starter grip. This recall includes all units with serial numbers ranging from 27961 1030 through 27961 1119 and 27984 3607 through 27984 4556, which can be found on an adhesive label affixed to the bottom of the fuel tank and etched into the metal frame on the bottom of the engine.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: United States</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>Vibration from the ignition module may cause the trimmer head to loosen and detach from the mounting, posing an injury hazard.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>The company received three reports of incidents and no reports of injuries.</p> | Voluntary recall |


SOFTLINES: WEARING APPARELS

| NOTIFYING COUNTRY | PRODUCT | DANGER | MEASURES ADOPTED |
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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's trousers</p> <p>BRAND: SUNIS LAND</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: TYD-51</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's grey trousers with mauve seams on the pockets and a mauve picture of a girl skating. The garment has two sash cords in the waist area. Sizes: 6-12 years.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of excessively long sashes in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's clothing set - "SURF BABE", "HONOLULU"</p> <p>BRAND: WANEX</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Barcode 8001234597672</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children's clothing set consisting of two parts – a short-sleeved top with the inscription "WANEX", "SURF BABE", "HONOLULU" on the front, and a skirt with elastic and functional cords in the waist area. There are also printed flowers and an inscription "Beach" with small white rhinestones glued to them. The sets are available in two colour combinations – a white blouse with orange edging on the sleeves and around the neck and an orange skirt, and a white blouse with red edging on the sleeves and around the neck and a red skirt. The products are sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Turkey</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of functional cords in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's overalls</p> <p>BRAND: ANGEL-G</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 110336, barcode: 206347 210101</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's sleeveless, short overalls in dark pink with two stripes of small decorative stones in the front. In the chest area there is a heart and a star made from decorative stones and the inscription "Angel-G" in dark blue. The garment has a functional cord in the waist area. Sizes: 6 and 8 years.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of decorative cords in the waist area with free ends protruding more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Corrective actions ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Boy's swimming shorts</p> <p>BRAND: SAM 0-13</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 109.860, barcode: 5 206068 323067</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Boy's corduroy swimming shorts in yellow with side vertical white and blue stripes. The garment has two blue drawstrings in the waist area. Sizes: 8-12 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings in the waist area with free ends protruding more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Corrective actions ordered by the authorities. |



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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's outfit</p> <p>BRAND: BARBIE</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 0102061.B7001, barcode: 5 205620 702890</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's sleeveless, one-piece outfit with a white top with red straps and turquoise shorts with red edging. Across the chest there is a grey and mauve flower and the inscription "Have a BARBIE SUMMER". The garment bears 4 functional cords, 2 in the waist (330 mm length) and 2 in the chest area (260 mm length). Sizes: 6 to 12 years. The product is not counterfeit.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of decorative cords in the chest and the waist area that their free ends protrude more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p><i>Corrective actions ordered by the authorities.</i></p> |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's jacket</p> <p>BRAND: SPRINT WEAR</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 10-68411, barcode: 11989040103</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's jacket with white transparent outer part and floral lining. The garment bears a zip with a decorative silver coloured heart and two drawstrings in the neck area. Sizes: 4 and 6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the neck area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p><i>Corrective actions ordered by the authorities.</i></p> |



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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's coat</p> <p>BRAND: Mini Mignon</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 3609, barcode: 79989030104</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's fuchsia coloured coat with two outer pockets and a sash in the waist area. The garment also contains two drawstrings in the hood. Size: 6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: France</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the neck area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Corrective actions ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's shorts</p> <p>BRAND: Miss Ebita</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 6049, barcode: 67998010104 (white), 67998010204 (red)</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's white or red shorts with a zip, a button and two pockets. Inscription in front: MISS EBITA (red – yellow frame and white letters). The garment bears 4 drawstrings that hang below the lower edge of the garment (their free ends protrude 230 mm each). Composition: 97% cotton, 3% elastane. Size: 6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Thailand</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings that hang below the lower edge of the garment.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's top</p> <p>BRAND: PALATINO</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 19774</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's pink, halter-neck style top. The garment bears the picture of two sandals and four small white hearts in the chest area. Composition: 95% cotton, 5% elastane. Size: 6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: India</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of halter neck-style cords with free ends in the neck area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's dress</p> <p>BRAND: ADVANCED</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Art. HS 56</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Sleeveless, white summer dress with pink flowers. The garment has fabric ties at the waist. Sizes: 6-12 years.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of strings in the waist area with free ends protruding more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Seizure of the products ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's bikini and skirt - New Style Jia Jia – Best Fashion</p> <p>BRAND: Jia Jia</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 206</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Green and white bikini for children up to 4 years old with cords in the waist area. The set also includes a skirt with cords in the waist area.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES AND STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of halter neck cords with free ends and a risk of injuries because of the presence of drawstrings in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's bikini - Costume da Bagno</p> <p>BRAND: Katia</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 6618</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Multicoloured bikini for children up to 9/10 years old, with cords in the neck and the back area.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES AND STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation and a risk of injuries because of the presence of halter neck cords with free ends and functional cords with free ends in the back area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Boy's swimming shorts</p> <p>BRAND: Knot So Bad Sam 0-13</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 109.862, barcode: 5 206068 323265</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Boy's swimming shorts in black with side vertical white stripes. Inscription in front in green and white: "IT'S BODYJET". The garment bears two red drawstrings in the waist area. Sizes: 8-12 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings in the waist area with free ends that protrude more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Corrective actions ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's dress</p> <p>BRAND: Barbie</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 0105061.B5027, barcode: 5 205620 681577</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's sleeveless dress in turquoise with a picture of multicoloured flowers and the inscription "BARBIE" in the chest area. The garment bears 2 red decorative cords in the chest area (300 mm length). Sizes: 6 and 10 years. The product is not counterfeit.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of decorative cords in the chest area with free ends that protrude more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Corrective actions ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's dress</p> <p>BRAND: Jacky</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: JB102</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's white dress with shoulder straps, transparent outer part and lining. The garment bears two drawstrings in the waist area. Composition: 100% polyester. Sizes: 6-10 years.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings in the waist area with free ends that protrude more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Seizure of the products by the authorities. |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's coat</p> <p>BRAND: Mini Mignon</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 3608, barcode: 79989030104</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's floral coat (blue, mauve and white) with buttons, two pockets and a sash at the waist. The garment has two drawstrings in the neck area. Size: 6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: France</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the neck area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Corrective actions ordered by the authorities. |

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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's coat (Ebita Rock)</p> <p>BRAND: Miss Ebita</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 6625, barcode: 67316010105</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's white coat with two buttons and a sash in the waist area. The garment bears two drawstrings with toggles at the ends in the neck area. Composition: 100% cotton. Size: 6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Thailand</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the neck area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Boy's corduroy swimsuit</p> <p>BRAND: SAM 0-13</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 109.853, barcode: 5 206068 400959</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Boy's corduroy swimsuit with white and blue vertical stripes. Inscriptions in front: "SPORT 19S6...", "MARINA DEL REY PACIFIC TEAM, CREW" and "Yachting". The garment bears two white drawstrings in the waist area. Sizes: 2-6 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings in the waist area that their free ends protrude more than 140 mm each.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Corrective actions ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s coat</p> <p>BRAND: Golden Key</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s coat intended for children up to 7 years of age, height: 62/68, 74/80, 86/92, 98/104 and 110/116. It is fastened by means of buttons. It has a hood with functional cords and textile threads along its edge, attached to the garment by means of buttons. Composition: 70% cotton and 30% viscose. The product is sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Bulgaria</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of functional cords in the hood of the children’s coat.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/POLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: T-shirt (Daisy in Wonderland Follow Unicorn)</p> <p>BRAND: Wójcik Fashion Sp. Z o.o.,</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: WHDA1OKA2/068, WHDA1OKA2/074, WHDA1OKA2/080, WHDA1OKA2/086, EAN 5900707093952, EAN 5900707093969, EAN 5900707093976, EAN 5900707093983.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: T-shirt with black and silver print that reads: “Daisy in Wonderland Follow Unicorn” on the front of the shirt. Defective printing is made with use of: print “SICOTEX SX 100”.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Belgium</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>These products pose a chemical risk because the printing on the front of the shirts contains 52 mg/kg of formaldehyde.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the national legislation.</p> | <p>Voluntary withdrawal from the market and destruction of the products by the importer.</p> |

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| EU/ITALY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's clothing</p> <p>BRAND: YONG DA</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Article codes 650 890 1094 Y1096 Y1095 VW21</p> <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. T-shirt: Article 650: White fabric T-shirt. On the front is an image of two black-eyed puppies, one white, one brown with blue wings. Underneath them, "heaven sent" is printed in blue letters outlined in red. The rectangular textile label sewn to the inside of the garment bears the brand name in green lettering. A green and beige card label is attached bearing the circular logo (with a small red circle) and the brand name in beige lettering outlined in red. 2. Trousers: Article 890: Children's blue corduroy trousers with elasticated waist and metal press fasteners, embroidered with turquoise and beige thread, turquoise glitter and several ruffles of blue voile fabric. There is a pink rectangular fabric label sewn to the edge of the back pocket bearing the brand name in black lettering, and a pink irregular-shaped card label with a thin blue border with small flowers of various sizes with turquoise petals and small hearts outlined in white. At the top is a stylised yellow sun-like design. In the centre, "DuoCay Years" is written in white lettering, and below that, "jeans". 3. Shorts: Article 1094: Violet jeans-style girls' shorts, embroidered with small violet leaves beneath the front pockets, and round metallic buttons with stars which fasten side straps. The pink fabric label sewn to the inside of the garment bears the brand name in white lettering. On the fuchsia pink card label are three black stars outlined in white, the wording "Yong Da", a white adhesive label with the article code, and the age. 4. Trousers: Article Y1096: Aubergine coloured jeans-style girls' trousers with silver embroidery on the back pockets. On the fuchsia pink card label are three black stars outlined in white, the wording "Yong Da", a white adhesive label with the article code, and the age. 5. Trousers: Article Y1096: Red jeans-style trousers with a white and red coat of arms embroidered on the back pocket. On the fuchsia pink card label are three black stars outlined in white, the wording "Yong Da", a white adhesive label with the article code, and the age. 6. T-shirt: Article VW21: Blue T-shirt <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p> <p>Picture on the following page.</p> | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The products pose a chemical risk because they contain hexavalent chromium, in concentrations varying from 0.6 to 5 mg/kg. Oeko Tex Standard 100 states that, to ensure optimum quality, total chromium content should be less than 1 mg/kg for children's clothing and less than 2 mg/kg for all other clothing, regardless of whether it is in contact with the skin. According to the German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR; 2007), chromium VI should actually be below the detection limit due to the substance's cutaneous sensitisation properties, i.e. its ability to cause allergic reactions such as contact dermatitis. Taking into account that the target population is children, who have a tendency to suck on their clothing, and that the chromium VI content is above established limit values, we consider that exposure may occur not only via the cutaneous route, but also by the oral and inhalatory route and that the products therefore pose a chemical risk.</p> | <p>Seizure of the products ordered by the authorities.</p> |

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| <p>EU/GREECE</p> | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's dress</p> <p>BRAND: MISS ONE</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Style Nr.: 0094-702-26, barcode: 1 800022 940105</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's dress in grey, with grey buttons, two pockets in the waist area, a silver tie belt and a decorative silver coloured heart. The garment bears two drawstrings with toggles at the ends that hang below the lower edge of the garment (their free ends protrude 100 mm each). Sizes: 6-14 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | | |

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| EU/ITALY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's dress</p> <p>BRAND: SHUN DA</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Article code: 5566</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Article 5566: Light blue girl's dress. The front of the garment is of a lighter shade. It bears a manga-style print of two girls with long, straight hair. The irregular but basically rectangular cardboard swing ticket is beige in colour and bears a young girl wearing a small skirt, hat and red socks. She is playing golf. The brand ("Shun Da Kids") is printed in red, together with "fashionable wear" in black and "fashion" in white. The golden cloth label inside the garment bears the abovementioned brand, the size, and "angelic girls" in red.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because they contain hexavalent chromium, in concentrations varying from 0.6 to 5 mg/kg. Oeko Tex Standard 100 states that, to ensure optimum quality, total chromium content should be less than 1 mg/kg for children's clothing and less than 2 mg/kg for all other clothing, regardless of whether it is in contact with the skin. According to the German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR; 2007), chromium VI should actually be below the detection limit due to the substance's cutaneous sensitisation properties, i.e. its ability to cause allergic reactions such as contact dermatitis. Taking into account that the target population is children who have a tendency to suck on their clothing and that the chromium VI content is above established limit values, we consider that exposure may occur not only via the cutaneous route, but also by the oral and inhalatory route and that the products therefore pose a chemical risk.</p> | Seizure of the products ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/SLOVENIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's sweatshirt</p> <p>BRAND: Alta Linea</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: ART.XBA.105 / art.1050000</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children's sweatshirt with a hood and functional drawstring with decorative stones. Intended for children of 2 years.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION AND CHOKING</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation and choking due to the presence of drawstrings in the hood with decorative stones.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Voluntary withdrawal from the market. |



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| EU/ITALY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's clothing</p> <p>BRAND: KA LUO YI</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 1) Article Codes: F001/F004/F005</p> <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <p>1. Boy's suit (green): Article F001: Pale green boy's suit, with white long-sleeved shirt and elastic tie bearing a geometric pattern consisting of wavy lines. There are two cardboard swing tickets. The first bears the brand name "KA LUO YI"; the second ticket also bears the brand in white print, along with "Style no", "Size" and "Wash to cleanse" in black on a white background. The swing tickets are attached to the garment by a black string.</p> <p>2. Boy's suit (grey): Article F004: Pastel grey boy's suit with brown and light grey tones. The light-coloured fabric label sewn to the inside of the blazer bears the brand of the garment in black. The black, irregularly-shaped swing ticket bears the brand "KA LUO YI" in white print, enclosed by a white line. It is attached to the garment by a black string.</p> <p>3. Boy's suit (striped green): Article F005: Pale green, striped boy's suit, with white long-sleeved shirt and tie. The grey fabric label sewn to the inside of the blazer bears the brand in black. There are two cardboard swing tickets. The first bears the brand "KA LUO YI"; the second ticket also bears the brand in white print against a black background, along with "Style no", "Size" and "Wash to cleanse" in black on a white background. The swing tickets are attached to the garment by a black string.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The products pose a chemical risk because they contain hexavalent chromium, in concentrations varying from 0.6 to 5 mg/kg. Oeko Tex Standard 100 states that, to ensure optimum quality, total chromium content should be less than 1 mg/kg for children's clothing and less than 2 mg/kg for all other clothing, regardless of whether it is in contact with the skin. According to the German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR; 2007), chromium VI should actually be below the detection limit due to the substance's cutaneous sensitisation properties, i.e. its ability to cause allergic reactions such as contact dermatitis. Taking into account that the target population is children who have a tendency to suck on their clothing and that the chromium VI content is above established limit values, we consider that exposure may occur not only via the cutaneous route, but also by the oral and inhalatory route and that the products therefore pose a chemical risk.</p> | <p>Seizure of the products ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Set of children's clothing</p> <p>BRAND: Spiral</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Not known</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Sweatshirt and a pair of trousers for children up to 7 years of age. The sweatshirt has figures of animals and girls in various colours, and has functional cords with plastic stoppers and caps in the hood and waist area. There are also two pockets. Composition: 100% cotton, size No. 28. The products are sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Bulgaria</p> <div data-bbox="347 804 820 1108" data-label="Image"> </div> | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of functional cords in the hood of the sweatshirt.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's jacket</p> <p>BRAND: Babytwelve B-12</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: model ?735</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children's jackets "Babytwelve B-12" in light and dark brown, with a removable hood and tightening elastics that end with stoppers. The sizes are from M to XL and the products are intended for children from 3 up to 7 years of age. There is an attached textile label containing information written in the Roman alphabet: "Babytwelve B-12" and the size of the garment. The products are sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p> <div data-bbox="347 1671 654 1924" data-label="Image"> </div> | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s sweatshirt</p> <p>BRAND: SALY</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s sweatshirt intended for children up to 7 years of age. There are some inscriptions on the front: “saly girls”, “beauty”, “exotic” and others as well as images of flowers. The product is sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Bulgaria</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s set</p> <p>BRAND: JIN TONG LE</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s set consisting of three parts – a jacket, a vest and a pair of trousers intended for children up to 7 years of age. On the front there are attached emblems with inscriptions: OCTOPUS-ARMY, CARDINALS ARMY and HAPPY and on the sleeves there is an inscription: JINTONOLE. There is a textile label with the inscription: JIN TONG LE , XXL/XXXL, JIN TONG LE CHUPIN, JIN HONG ZHI YI CHU PIN. It is fastened with a zipper and has two pockets.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |




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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s jacket</p> <p>BRAND: Raman</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Model, L-504</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s purple jacket with a hood that has functional cords. On the front there is an inscription: „Kai Xing”. A label has been attached to the garment and it contains information about the model, L-504, size 5-6, treatment symbols and the inscription: "Raman girls". There is also a textile label containing information about the composition: 100% polyester and an attached label with information in Bulgarian, which indicates the country of origin. The product is sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s jacket</p> <p>BRAND: M&D</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Model PM-968</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s jacket, brand M&D, with a hood that has cords ending with plastic toggles. The jacket is fastened by means of buttons and a zipper. There is a label attached to the garment which contains information about the model PM-968. The product is sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |

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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's bikini</p> <p>BRAND: LEONADO</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Model: 560</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Multicoloured, striped three-piece bikini for children from 7 to 8 years old, with halter neck cords with free ends and cords on the bottom pieces of the garment.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Italy</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION AND INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of halter neck cords with free ends and a risk of injuries because of the presence of drawstrings in the waist area</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682..</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's trousers</p> <p>BRAND: Richman</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type of model: FZ 942 Bar Code: *13467*</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children's trousers, in grey colour, intended for ages up to 12 years old, with free end drawstrings in the waist and ankle area. The length of the drawstrings in the waist area is 25 cm and in the ankle area the drawstrings extend below the hemline of the trouser and their length is 12 cm. There is a label on the garment stating the brand name, model, composition, age and treatment.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Greece</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings in the waist and ankle area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s sweatshirt and trousers set</p> <p>BRAND: Richman</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type of model: 10/105 Bar Code: *13765*</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s athletic set consisting of 2 pieces - a pair of trousers and a sweatshirt - intended for children up to 10 years old. The sweatshirt has a hood which is designed with drawstrings with free ends. It is fastened with a zip placed in the middle. The trousers are designed with a cord in the waist area with a length of more than 14 cm. There is a label on the garment stating the brand name, model, composition, age and treatment.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION AND INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the hood area with free ends and injuries due to the presence of drawstrings with free ends in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's bikini</p> <p>BRAND: Tweety</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Number of model: 063620 Barcode: 8026070072169</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Light blue bikini for children up to 2 years old, with fuchsia halter neck cords and functional cords at the back.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>   | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of halter neck cords with free ends. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |

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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's bikini</p> <p>BRAND: YONGQIAN</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: MODEL: 1.Y0501 2.Y0502</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: 1.Girl's bikini (Three pieces): multicoloured bikini for children up to 4 years old, with halter neck cords with free ends and functional cords in the waist area. The set also includes a pareo with cords at the waist which have a length of more than 14cm. "YONGQIAN beach swimming" is written on the front of the label.</p> <p>2. Girl's bikini (Three pieces): multicoloured striped bikini for children up to 2 years old, with halter neck cords with free ends and functional cords in the waist area. The set also includes a pareo with cords at the waist area which have length more than 14cm. "YONGQIAN beach swimming" is written on the front of the label.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION AND INJURIES</p> <p>The products pose a risk of strangulation because of the presence of halter neck cords with free ends and injuries because of the presence of drawstrings in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girls top</p> <p>BRAND: Kappa Kids</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Barcode: 1000000101027</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's top in pink colour, intended for children up to 4 years old, with halter neck cords with free ends. On the label is written: "Kappa Kids" the barcode, and the price.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: France</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of free end halter neck functional cords.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p><i>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</i></p> |



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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s sweatshirts (Sports)</p> <p>BRAND: Bona Sport</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s jackets intended for children up to 7 years of age, with a hood that has functional cords. On the front there is an embroidered pattern depicting a car and the inscription “Sports”. There is a label attached to the product with the following inscription: "Bona sport" and some treatment symbols. There is another label sewn to the product, which has the same inscriptions and some information about the composition: 100% polyester; country of origin – China. The product is sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s sweatshirts</p> <p>BRAND: Billabong (MAY BE COUNTERFEIT)</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s sweatshirts, brand Billabong, with a hood that has functional cords. On the front of one of the sweatshirts there are appliquéd patterns of flowers and another appliquéd pattern with the inscription: Billabong. It also has pockets. The other sweatshirt is mainly white with cyclamen stripes. There is a label attached to the product, which contains information about the composition: 100% cotton and another cardboard label with the inscription Billabong. The product is sold without packaging</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |


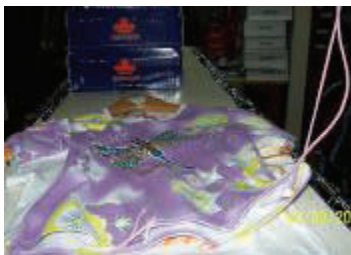
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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's jacket</p> <p>BRAND: Monostar</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: AS-2012</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A child's jacket, brand Monostar, AS-2012, composition 100% polyester, intended for children up to 7 years of age. The jacket has a hood, with fur along the edge, which has been attached to the garment by means of a zipper and has been supplied with functional cords ending with plastic toggles. The jacket is fastened with a zipper and has a belt and two pockets. No packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Voluntary corrective action taken by the distributor. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's sweatshirt (Mainstr garage)</p> <p>BRAND: MS</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: FS-07</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: A children's sweatshirt, brand MS, FS-07. Composition: 100% cotton, country of origin – China, intended for children up to 7 years of age. The sweatshirt has a hood supplied with functional cords tied in a knot. There is an inscription on the front: "Mainstr Garage". It is fastened with a zipper and has two pockets. No packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Voluntary corrective action taken by the distributor. |

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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children's clothing sets</p> <p>BRAND: J&H Fashion</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: J-813, Y-9053 and Y-9058</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children' clothing sets. Each set consists of a sweatshirt and a pair of trousers.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p> <div data-bbox="347 678 828 1335">  </div> | <p>STRANGULATION AND INJURIES</p> <p>The products pose a risk of strangulation and injuries due to the presence of functional cords in the hoods and the waist areas.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children s trousers</p> <p>BRAND: Miss Bellina</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: 340</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s trousers, light grey colour, intended for children of 12 months old, with cords in the waist and below the hip area.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p> <div data-bbox="339 1702 598 2049">  </div> | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings at the bottom of the leg.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |



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| EU/ITALY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Boy's suits</p> <p>BRAND: Yong Da</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Article codes QX20/QX28 grey/QX30/QX31/QX28 black</p> <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Article QX20: Boy's brown suit (and accompanying suit bag) with a white long-sleeved shirt and a tie with a geometrical diamond pattern, 2. Article QX28 grey: Boy's dark-grey pinstripe suit with a waistcoat, a white long-sleeved shirt and a brown tie with a geometrical pattern of small squares, 3. Article QX30: Boy's blue pinstripe suit with a white shirt. The grey fabric label sewn to the inside of the blazer bears the brand in red. 4. Article QX31: Boy's blue pinstripe suit with a white shirt and a geometrically patterned tie bearing light-coloured horizontal stripes in two shades of beige/gold, separated by narrow brown lines. 5. Article QX28 black: Boy's black pinstripe suit with a waistcoat, a white long-sleeved shirt and a geometrically patterned tie, yellow/gold and brown in colour and with slanting lines of two alternating widths. <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The products pose a chemical risk because they contain hexavalent chromium, in concentrations varying from 0.6 to 5 mg/kg. Oeko Tex Standard 100 states that, to ensure optimum quality, total chromium content should be less than 1 mg/kg for children's clothing and less than 2 mg/kg for all other clothing, regardless of whether it is in contact with the skin. According to the German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR; 2007), chromium VI should actually be below the detection limit due to the substance's cutaneous sensitisation properties, i.e. its ability to cause allergic reactions such as contact dermatitis. Taking into account that the target population is children who have a tendency to suck on their clothing and that the chromium VI content is above established limit values, it is considered that exposure may occur not only via the cutaneous route, but also by the oral and inhalatory route and that the products therefore pose a chemical risk.</p> | Seizure of the products ordered by the authorities. |
| NOT SPECIFIED | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's bikini - Collezione Mare</p> <p>BRAND: Gems</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: G 24-23</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Light blue bikini for children up to 9/10 years old, with cords with plastic toggles in the neck, chest and waist area.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES AND STRANGULATION</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of halter neck cords with free ends and a risk of injuries because of the presence of functional cords in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |

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| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Women's blouse</p> <p>BRAND: Designers</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: EAN code: 4 335718 004511; product group 82; 0910; 35274, size 36</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Black, semi-transparent patterned women's blouse with belt of same fabric; black plastic buttons; card label and sewn-in labels</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the material contains azodyes releasing 1571 mg/kg of carcinogenic benzidine exceeding the limit of 30 mg/kg.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.</p> | Voluntary stop of sales. |
| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Girl's dress</p> <p>BRAND: QINGTING</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: C134</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Girl's mauve dress with short sleeves and pictures of yellow and mauve flowers. The garment has a picture of a multicoloured dragonfly and the phrase "QingTing" in the chest area. The dress bears two drawstrings that hang below the lower edge. Composition: 100% polyester. Sizes: 6-10 years.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings that hang below the lower edge of the garment.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Sales ban ordered by the authorities. |

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| EU/GREECE | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Boy's swimming shorts (Watch The Plunging Waves)</p> <p>BRAND: Knot So Bad,</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Code: 109.864, barcode: 5 206068 323494, SAM 0-13</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Boy's swimming shorts in black, red and white. Inscription in front in red: "WATCH THE PLUNGING WAVES" with a red palm tree and a red crab. The garment bears two red drawstrings in the waist area. Sizes: 2-5 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of drawstrings in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Corrective action ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/HUNGARY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Baby's coat</p> <p>BRAND: Arino</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: HB-010, bar code: 2005031017108</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Baby's coat with a hood. The hood contains a drawstring with toggles on both ends. The coat has a zipper and is sand-coloured. It is decorated with "lovely bear" on its left side and an embroidered bear head on the right. Size: 18.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>STRANGULATION AND INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of a drawstring in the hood. It also poses a risk of injuries because children may stretch the elasticated drawstring and, once they release it, the toggles may hit the child in the eyes and face.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |

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| EU/CYPRUS | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s Trousers</p> <p>BRAND: In - Line</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Type of model: W98CO72A</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s trousers in light, grey colour intended for children of 6 years old. The pair of trousers is designed with free end drawstrings of a length of 34 cm in the waist area. A cardboard label is attached containing information about the product.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of free end drawstrings in the waist area.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Girls' Hooded Zip Jackets and Vest Sets</p> <p>UNITS: About 900</p> <p>MANUFACTURER: Splendid (a division of VF Contemporary Brands, Inc.), of Los Angeles, Calif.</p> <p>Description: This recall involves girl's hooded zip jackets with style # SJ6J7831 and long sleeve t-shirt with hooded vest sets with style # SJYK7935. The zip jackets were sold in camouflage, jasmine, parfait and royal. The vest sets were sold in black, caviar, denim, electric pink, macadamia, peacock, quartz and sapphire. The style number can be found on the care label located at the inside left side seam. "Splendid" can be found on the neck label.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: United States</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The hooded zip jackets and the vest sets have drawstrings through the hoods which can pose a strangulation or entrapment hazard to children. In February 1996, CPSC issued guidelines (pdf) to help prevent children from strangling or getting entangled on the neck and waist drawstrings in upper garments, such as jackets and sweatshirts.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>None reported.</p> | Voluntary recall |



SOFTLINES: FOOTWEAR, BAGS AND ACCESSORIES

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| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Children’s hairbands - Style Bÿu</p> <p>BRAND: Unknown</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: item: 3705, barcode: 8697970002411</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Children’s plastic hairbands with two rows of teeth on the inner side. There are silicon or leather decorations in various colours and different decorative elements attached (hearts, animals or flowers). There is also a label with the inscription: "Style Bÿu".</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Turkey</p>  | <p>INJURIES</p> <p>The product poses a risk of injuries due to the presence of sharp edges on the teeth of the combs which do not bend when applying a force of 4.5N, and could cause injury to the child’s head.</p> | <p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p> |
| EU/France | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Shoes</p> <p>BRAND: Finzi</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Oxford model Barcode: 5412252891247</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Oxford-style leather shoes for men.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the soles of the shoes have high levels of extractable chrome (120 mg/kg) and in particular of chrome VI (60 mg/kg). Chrome VI is a contact allergen. Furthermore, the chrome VI components are generally very toxic.</p> <p>One incident reported.</p> | <p>Voluntary withdrawal from the market and destruction of the products.</p> |

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| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Women's boots - Damen-Stiefel</p> <p>BRAND: Esmara</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: EAN code: 4026759 009459</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Women's boots, black, lined, with knitted upper edging, size 37</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the black polyester knitted edging contains azo dyes (Disperse Yellow 23 (DY 23) azodye) releasing 82.7 mg/kg 4-amino azobenzene.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.</p> | Voluntary stop of sales. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Ladies' shoes (Terlik)</p> <p>BRAND: Rose by NB</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Not known</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Ladies shoes in black and white. There is a strap around the heel and the ankle which has metal elements that come into contact with the skin and have sharp edges. The shoes are sold without packaging.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: Unknown</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it releases nickel (measured level 0.96 µg/cm/week) and is in contact with the skin for a long period of time.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.</p> | Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |

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| EU/GERMANY | <p>CATEGORY: Childcare articles and children's equipment</p> <p>PRODUCT: Baby shoes (Baby shoe)</p> <p>BRAND: NKD</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: EAN code: 2015584579468 Item No 1558457</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Dark blue with a white & blue striped toe and heel. White, non-slip pimpled coating on sole, pretend lace-up fastening, Velcro fastening. Dark blue edging. Packaging: transparent bag with label attached.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the shoes contain azodyes releasing 53 mg/kg of the carcinogenic amine 3,3'-dimethoxybenzidine exceeding the limit of 30 mg/kg.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.</p> | Sales ban ordered by the authorities. |
| EU/BULGARIA | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: Ladies' shoes</p> <p>BRAND: Baobao D</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL: Unknown</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: Ladies' shoes Baobao D, item 247-2. The upper part of the shoe is made of imitation leather in beige, with a buckle on the front in the form of a silver crown attached by means of straps. The insole is made of natural grey and white leather with a silver inscription.</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHEMICAL</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because the insoles contain 344.04 mg/kg of formaldehyde.</p> | Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities. |

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| EU/FINLAND | <p>CATEGORY: Clothing, textiles and fashion items</p> <p>PRODUCT: 1. Hat 2. Bootees</p> <p>BRAND: Lovely Bears</p> <p>TYPE/NUMBER OF MODEL:</p> <p>1. S9M-214 2. S9M-215</p> <p>DESCRIPTION:</p> <p>1. Hat: a red Christmas elf's hat with a jingle bell, 100 % cotton, sizes 60-90 cm</p> <p>2. Bootees: red Christmas bootees with a jingle bell, intended for children of ages 1-3 years</p> <p>COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: China</p>  | <p>CHOKING</p> <p>The products pose a risk of choking because they contain small parts (the jingle bells) which can be easily detached and fit into the small parts cylinder.</p> <p>The products do not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.</p> | Import rejected by the customs authorities. |
| USA | <p>NAME OF PRODUCT: Baby leg warmers and socks</p> <p>UNITS: About 4,500</p> <p>DISTRIBUTOR: BabyUnited LLC dba BabyLegs of Seattle, Wash.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This recall involves only those BabyLegs brand leg warmers, ankle-high socks and knee-high socks adorned with a heart-shape appliqué. The recalled products are pink, white or purple cable knit socks and leg warmers.</p> <p>MANUFACTURED IN: China</p>  | <p>HAZARD</p> <p>The leg warmers and socks have a heart appliqué that can detach, posing a choking hazard to small children.</p> <p>INCIDENTS/INJURIES</p> <p>The firm has received one report of an infant choking on the heart-shaped appliqué. Her mother was able to dislodge the appliqué from her throat. No medical attention was required.</p> | Voluntary recall |

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The Rapid Alert System for Non-Food Products (RAPEX) - Weekly overview reports of RAPEX notifications.

http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/dyna/rapex/rapex_archives_en.cfm

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Recalls and Product Safety News

www.cpsc.gov/cpsc/pub/prerel/prerel.html

US Food and Drug Administration (FDA)

www.fda.gov/opacom/7alerts.html (US Cosmetics recalls)

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

www.epa.gov/pesticides/alerts.htm (US Pesticides recalls)

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