

Alert number 0113/07



Notifying country Czechia

Product category Decorative articles

Type Consumer

Product Candle - a box of chocolates (6 items)

Brand Unknown

Type / number of model 93668

Risk type Choking

Risk description The notified product, which can be mistaken with food, contains easily separable parts which can be put into mouth by children therefore it poses a serious risk of choking.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Sales ban ordered by the authority  
Other

Alert number 0112/07



Notifying country	Finland
Product category	Toys
Type	Consumer
Product	Soft toy 'Teddy bear'
Brand	Emma Big Nose Bear medium
Type / number of model	Article 998751402
Risk type	Choking
Risk description	This toy poses a serious risk of choking because the fastener of the bears garment becomes detached during testing. The detached fastener fits into the small parts cylinder and can cause choking if it blocks the airways of a child. This toy does not comply with the Toys Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.
Country of origin	People's Republic of China
Measures taken by economic operators	Other : Voluntary recall from the consumer taken by the importer Other

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Notifying country Finland

Product category Toys

Type Consumer

Product Soft toy 'Little devil'

Brand Pikku Piru (Little Devil)

Type / number of model Code: 120312; BTN 686-IAE

Risk type Choking

Risk description This toy poses a serious risk of choking because during the tension test its nose and eyes detached and they fit within the small parts cylinder. Small parts may be put by children into mouth and block airways. The toy is also falsely marked to be suitable for children above the age of 3 though it is a soft toy and clearly intended for small children. This toy does not comply with the Toys Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary actions taken by the importer: recall from consumers and information to consumers  
Other

Alert number 0110/07



Notifying country Bulgaria

Product category Hand tools

Type Consumer

Product Manual equipment set of hammer with two screwdrivers

Brand Kangaroo

Type / number of model Unknown

Risk type Injuries

Risk description This product poses a serious risk of injury threatening the health of consumers and of people around because: - the hammer is made of common grey cast iron, with large graphite inclusions, suggesting very reduced strength, which is a pre-condition for breaking at stronger load on the fork, and eventually a metal part may spring off. Therefore, there is a risk of separation of the plastic handle from the metal stem; - the screwdrivers are made of low-carbon steel, not allowing for thermal treatment in order to increase the working reliability. Therefore, there is a risk of deformation (bending, twisting, rapid wearing) or breaking of the front working part of the screwdrivers.

Country of origin Unknown

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Sales ban, withdrawal from the market, recall from consumers ordered by the authority

Other

Alert number 0109/07



Notifying country	Czechia
Product category	Decorative articles
Type	Consumer
Product	Candle imitating pastry of different shapes (roll, slices) with a chocolate scent
Brand	Unknown
Type / number of model	93789
Risk type	Choking
Risk description	This product poses a serious risk of choking because it can easily be regarded as food and it contains easily detachable parts which can be swallowed causing a risk of choking.
Country of origin	People's Republic of China
Measures ordered by public authorities	Other : Sales ban ordered by the authority Other

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Alert number 0108/07

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Notifying country	Sweden
Product category	Clothing, textiles and fashion items
Type	Consumer
Product	Baby overall in fleece material - Baby Garment
Brand	KappAhl
Type / number of model	Article No 67288, 672916, 672907
Risk type	Choking
Risk description	Press buttons can come off and cause a risk of choking to small children.
Country of origin	People's Republic of China
Measures taken by economic operators	Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers Other

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Notifying country Germany

Product category Motor vehicles

Type Consumer

Product Motorcycle

Brand Harley-Davidson

EC-type approval/model Motorcycle type FXD Dyna, EC type approval e4\*2002/24\*0029\*05, manufactured between 17 June 2005 and 4 December 2006.

Risk type Injuries

Risk description Wires for the motorcycle's electrics are routed through the handlebar. The handlebar may potentially crack during braking, at the hole between the handlebar clamps where the wires exit the handlebar.

Country of origin United States

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary recall of the product by the importer  
Other

Alert number 0106/07



Notifying country Spain

Product category Electrical appliances and equipment

Type Consumer

Product Fan heater

Brand OPER

Type / number of model Model EVB-430; bar code: 8436018911366

Risk type Fire

Risk description This product poses a serious risk of fire because: - the motor can reach a temperature of 162.5 °C which exceeds the maximum 150 °C permitted causing a risk of overheating; - the timer and speed controls are not correctly affixed and may be placed on the wrong setting; - the voltage is not correctly indicated; - the information marked on the equipment appears only in English, and not in Spanish. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive and the relevant European standard EN 60335.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authority  
Other

Alert number 0105/07



Notifying country Spain

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Baby baseball cap

Brand DISNEY BABY

Type / number of model Minnie (pink)

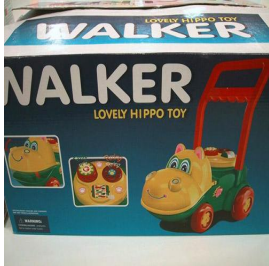
Risk type Choking

Risk description This product poses a serious risk of choking because the silver-coloured sticker, which can easily become detached, is attached to one of the fabric labels. As this is an item intended for small children, there is a possibility that the detached sticker may be swallowed, presenting a choking hazard. One accident has been reported: a boy swallowed the silver-coloured sticker from a cap similar to this one and had to be rushed to hospital, where the foreign body was removed from his airways.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authority  
Other

Alert number 0104/07



Notifying country Spain

Product category Toys

Type Consumer

Product Children's walker - toy for learning to walk which makes 'Hippopotamus' sounds

Brand WALKER (DIMASA)

Type / number of model Reference: 7710; bar code: 8435010977103

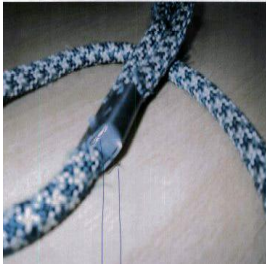
Risk type Choking

Risk description This product poses a serious risk of choking because the stickers on the toy are made of silver paper and come off easily, giving rise to small pieces which fit completely into the small part cylinder. Furthermore, during the tension test the telephone wheel opens, releasing three internal balls which also fit into the small part cylinder. This product does not comply with the Toys Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authority  
Other

Alert number 0103/07



Notifying country Spain

Product category Other

Type Consumer

Product Dog leash

Brand RIBECAN

Type / number of model Model: 13 mm x 120 cm; reference 012487

Risk type Cuts

Risk description This product poses a serious risk of cuts to the user because it includes in the vicinity of the loop a metal part which is liable to come into contact with the user's hand in the event of sudden tension on the leash produced by sudden, uncontrolled movement by the animal. Thus in normal use of this product, the user may suffer cuts and injuries of differing degrees to the hand. Although the lesions caused may generally be slight, the probability of their occurrence is high, and the risk is considered serious given that the danger is not obvious and there are no warnings of it. One accident has been reported in which the user suffered wounds to his right hand when the dog pulled on the leash.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authority  
Other

Alert number	<u>0102/07</u>
Notifying country	Greece
Product category	Motor vehicles
Type	Consumer
Product	Passenger car - ancillary equipment pulley on the drive shaft
Brand	LANCIA
EC-type approval/model	Musa and Ypsilon models with 1.1, 1.2 and 1.4 8V and 16V motor MUSA: from 1035909 to 1060522 (individual chassis: 1012041 - 1027911 - 1031639 - 1033501 - 1034625); YPSILON: from 2153766 to 3053778.
Risk type	Injuries
Risk description	There is a possibility of failure of ancillary equipment pulley on the drive shaft, which may result in a possible damage of this specific part. If this occurs, the normal function of the motor will be affected, leading to possible loss of control of vehicle.
Country of origin	Italy
Measures taken by economic operators	Other : Voluntary corrective action taken by the importer Other
Products were found and measures were taken also in	The Netherlands

Alert number	<u>0101/07</u>
Notifying country	Greece
Product category	Motor vehicles
Type	Consumer
Product	Passenger car
Brand	Lancia
EC-type approval/model	MUSA: from 1017090 to 1023523 (individual chassis: 1006092 - 1015884); YPSILON: from 2127857 to 2141981 (individual chassis: 2000221 - 2096451 - 2102026 - 212112484 - 2112486 - 2112487 - 2112488 - 2125617 - 2126893 - 2241671).
Risk type	Injuries
Risk description	There is a possibility of failure of front suspension cross-member, which may result in a possible damage of this specific part. If this occurs, the normal driving behaviour of the car will be affected, leading to possible loss of control of vehicle.
Country of origin	Italy
Measures taken by economic operators	Other : Voluntary corrective action taken by the importer Other

Alert number 0100/07



Notifying country	Lithuania
Product category	Motor vehicles
Type	Consumer
Product	Replacement disc brake linings
Brand	Safety Products
EC-type approval/model	LP 415 (WVA 20939) They are used in vehicles of type Opel: Kadet, Ascona, Omega and Vectra.
Risk type	Chemical
Risk description	This product poses a chemical risk because it contains chrysolite asbestos filaments, which can be extracted from the matrix mechanically. Thus the product is very dangerous if a consumer inhales the filaments.
Country of origin	United States
Measures ordered by public authorities	Other : Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authority Other

Alert number 0099/07



Notifying country	Sweden
Product category	Toys
Type	Consumer
Product	Toy gun – Revolver 43
Brand	Dyal
Type / number of model	Reference No 43
Risk type	Damage to hearing
Risk description	This toy poses a serious risk of damage to hearing because the sound emission by the toy gun with explosive caps is from 135 dB to 136 dB which exceeds the limit of 125dB. This product does not comply with the Toys Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71-1.
Country of origin	Spain
Measures taken by economic operators	Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market Other

Alert number 0098/07



Notifying country Austria

Product category Childcare articles and children's equipment

Type Consumer

Product Teether - Bug-a-Loop

Brand Nuby

Type / number of model Batch: C060526

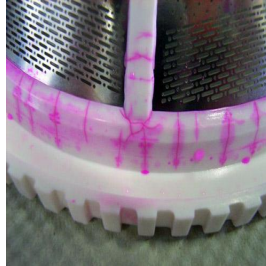
Risk type Choking

Risk description The teething ring consists of plastic beads and shapes on a string. It can thus easily take on a form in which it passes template A and extends beyond the base area of the template under its own weight. There is thus a risk that babies may be able to stick it so far into the pharynx that the windpipe is blocked. The toy thus gives rise to a risk of choking. This product does not comply with the Toys Directive and the relevant European standard EN 71.

Country of origin Unknown

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market and information to consumers ordered by the authority  
Other

Alert number 0097/07



Notifying country Germany

Product category Electrical appliances and equipment

Type Consumer

Product Juice extractor

Brand TCM

Type / number of model Article No 228554 (sold through Eduscho and Tschibo branches)

Risk type Injuries

Risk description Fatigue fractures may occur in the plastic connecting parts in the grating sieve (probably as a result of repeated washing in dishwashing machines). The sieve then breaks and parts may be projected at high velocity through the cover. Persons operating the appliance or standing in the immediate vicinity may be injured by the flying fragments. Three accidents causing injury are known to have occurred (severe lacerations to the face, arms and hands).

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary recall from consumers by the producer  
Other

Alert number	<u>0096/07</u>
Notifying country	Greece
Product category	Motor vehicles
Type	Consumer
Product	Passenger car - brake master cylinder
Brand	SUZUKI
EC-type approval/model	Passenger car Suzuki SWIFT 1.3 (RS 413). The corrective action concerns model year 2006 vehicles, with the following chassis numbers: TSMMZA11S00156142, TSMMZA11S00156157, TSMMZC11S00155678, TSMMZC11S00155833, SMMZC11S00155916, TSMMZC11S00156238, TSMMZC11S00156313.
Risk type	Injuries
Risk description	The product poses a risk of injury because under specific conditions, namely during a very slow or soft brake pedal operation, one of brake circuit might be non-functional due to a contamination of the brake fluid. Soft or slow operation of brake pedal is a specific condition but not an unusual one: especially when we drive a care in a high speed, a soft push of the break pedal can reduce the speed of the car, so as to – for example – make a turn with the proper speed. If the car does not slow down, it could deviate from its ordinary route, causing an accident or forcing the car to go off the road. The basic brake function can be securely obtained by normal and emergency operation on brake pedal.
Country of origin	Hungary
Measures taken by economic operators	Other : Voluntary corrective action taken by the producer Other