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| Alert number  | <u>1522/09</u>   |
| Notifying country                                   | Greece   |
| Product category                                    | Motor vehicles   |
| Type  | Consumer   |
| Product   | Passenger car - Scenic III and Megane III  |
| Brand   | Renault  |
| EC-type approval/model                              | Scenic III and Megane III Left-hand drive vehicles manufactured in Palencia between 10 June 2009 and 09 July 2009 and in Douai between 10 June 2009 and 15 July 2009.                            |
| Product description                                 | Passenger vehicle  |
| Risk type   | Injuries   |
| Risk description                                    | The product poses a risk of injuries because there is the possibility that the foot pad on the brake pedal will break off during braking, causing the driver's foot to slip off the brake pedal. |
| Country of origin                                   | France   |
| Measures taken by economic operators                | Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the manufacturer.<br>Other   |
| Products were found and measures were taken also in | Bulgaria<br>Denmark<br>Hungary<br>Poland<br>Portugal<br>Sweden<br>Slovenia   |

Alert number 1521/09



Notifying country Poland

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Children's sweatshirts

Brand Deloras

Type / number of model BL 1-LG-2178-POP and BL 1-LG-2178-ZIE, sizes 94, 100, 106, 112, 118.

Product description Children's sweatshirts with hoods, made of cotton (96%) and elastane (4%), coloured grey and olive green with the print of a mouse on the front and pink details.

Risk type Strangulation

Risk description The products pose a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the hood of the sweatshirt. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Country of origin Poland

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the importer.  
Other

Alert number

1520/09

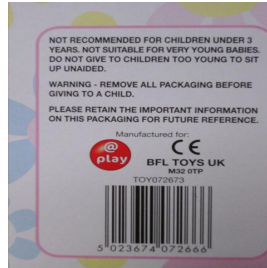


Notifying country Poland

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

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| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Children's sweatshirt   |
| Brand                                | AMS   |
| Type / number of model               | 1. BL 22-5037-1-POC (size 110); 2. BL 22-5037-GRA (size 116); 3. BL 22-5037-POJ (sizes 116, 122); 4. BL 22-5038-OLI (sizes 110, 116, 122); 5. BL 22-5038-GRA (sizes 110, 116, 122); 6. BL 22-5036-CZA (sizes 110, 116, 122, 128, 134); 7. BL 22-5036-OLI (sizes 110, 116, 122, 128, 134); 8. BL 22-5172-POC (sizes 104, 110, 122, 128, 134); 9. BL 22-5172-GRA (sizes 110, 122, 128); 10. BL 21-5172-ZIC (sizes 104, 110, 116, 122, 128, 134); 11. BL 12-5283-OLI (sizes 104, 116, 122, 128); 12. BL 12-5283-ROJ (sizes 104, 110, 116, 128); 13. BL 12-167-ZIJ (sizes 104, 110, 116, 122, 134). |
| Product description                  | Children's sweatshirts made of cotton, sizes: 104-134.  |
| Risk type                            | Strangulation   |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of functional drawstrings in the hood of the sweatshirt. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.  |
| Country of origin                    | Türkiye   |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the importer.<br>Other  |

Alert number 1519/09



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|--------------------------------------|---|
| Notifying country                    | United Kingdom  |
| Product category                     | Toys  |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Baby Doll   |
| Brand                                | Be My Baby  |
| Type / number of model               | Batch Code: TOY072673, Manufactured for BFL TOYS UK, M32 OTP  |
| Product description                  | Baby dolls wearing a pink and white or a blue and white striped hat and top. Only those products with batch code TOY072673 are affected.  |
| Risk type                            | Chemical  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk because the hand of the doll contains 46% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) and its foot contains 29% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP). 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 may be placed in the mouth by children. |
| Country of origin                    | People's Republic of China  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary recall from consumers by the importer.<br>Other   |

Alert number 1518/09



Notifying country Bulgaria

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Children's sweatshirt - Galles

Brand Image Kids

Type / number of model Code: 2426, article.n° 29-134.

Product description A children's sweatshirt with a hood containing functional cords, intended for children up to 7 years of age. The product is available in various colours: light green and dark blue. There is an inscription: "Galles" "Team the wild Pride", as well as an attached appliqué of a hippo. There is a paper label with the following information: composition: 85% cotton, 15% polyester and the inscription "IMAGE KIDS" BEST VIP KIDS". The products are sold without packaging.

Risk type Strangulation

Risk description The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of functional drawstrings in the hood of the sweatshirt. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Country of origin Germany

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

authorities    authorities.  
Other



Alert number 1517/09



Notifying country Bulgaria

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Children's sports clothing set - Sport project

Brand Misil Baby

Type / number of model Unknown

Product description A sweatshirt with functional cords in the hood and a pair of trousers with functional cords in the waist area. On the front of the sweatshirt there are embroidered inscriptions "sports club" "funky sport club", the colour is a combination of dark and light blue. There is a label attached to the product and it contains information about the name of the brand and the origin of the product - Made in Turkey. The products are sold without packaging.

Risk type Strangulation

Risk description The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the hood of the sweatshirt. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Country of origin Türkiye

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

Other



Alert number 1516/09



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| Notifying country      | Bulgaria   |
| Product category       | Clothing, textiles and fashion items   |
| Type                   | Consumer   |
| Product                | Children's sports clothing set - Tropel  |
| Brand                  | Babyland   |
| Type / number of model | Unknown  |
| Product description    | Children's clothing sets consisting of three parts. The sets are intended for children up to age 7 years. They consist of a sleeveless sweatshirt with a zipper and a hood with functional cords, with inscriptions and printed patterns on the front, a top with a printed pattern and inscriptions on the front and a pair of trousers with pockets and edging on both sides. The colour of the set is a combination of pink and grey. Labels are attached to the product containing the following information in a foreign language: the name of the brand "Babyland", kidscollection, for kids, Made in Turkey. The products are sold without packaging. |
| Risk type              | Strangulation  |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the hood of the sweatshirt. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.  |
| Country of origin      | Türkiye  |

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1515/09



Notifying country Bulgaria

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Babies' overall with hood - Brums

Brand Baby cap

Type / number of model Unknown

Product description Babies' overalls with a hood containing functional cords and a pair of gloves attached to them. On the front there is an appliqué of a bear, a rabbit and a basket, as well as an inscription "Brums", composition: 100% cotton. The products are sold without packaging.

Risk type Strangulation

Risk description The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of drawstrings in the hood of the overall. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Sales ban and withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1514/09



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| Notifying country      | Bulgaria   |
| Product category       | Clothing, textiles and fashion items   |
| Type                   | Consumer   |
| Product                | Children's clothing set – trousers and sweatshirt – "Work Place"   |
| Brand                  | Sancido kids   |
| Type / number of model | Unknown  |
| Product description    | Children’s clothing set consisting of two parts – a sweatshirt with functional cords in the hood and a pair of trousers with functional cords at the waist. On the front of the sweatshirt there is an embroidered inscription: "work place" and printed inscriptions: "you can make the difference in creating a safer workplace, protection for workers, law code: 45.W8". A label is attached to the product containing information about the size 104; the origin, and composition - 100% cotton. The products are sold without packaging. |
| Risk type              | Strangulation  |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of strangulation due to the presence of functional drawstrings in the hood of the sweatshirt. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14682.   |
| Country of origin      | Türkiye  |

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1513/09



|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Notifying country      | Spain   |
| Product category       | Lighting equipment  |
| Type                   | Consumer  |
| Product                | Nightlight - Leiva electricidad   |
| Brand                  | Leiva   |
| Type / number of model | Model XX-TK REF 11865,  |
| Barcode                | 8431487118650   |
| Product description    | Nightlight with internal bulb protected by a transparent plastic case, direct mains plug and frontal on-off switch. The packaging is a blister pack with a transparent plastic front and a cardboard back marked inter-alia "Made in China, CE, 6A 250 50/60 Hz 3w, Ref 11865" and bar code.  |
| Risk type              | Electric shock  |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of electric shock because: - the cover does not have sufficient mechanical strength and easily comes off exposing the bulb; - the fixing screws on the cover are neither captive nor of a special type requiring the use of a specific tool; - the insulation resistance is not sufficient; - the plastic is not sufficiently resistant to heat. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60598. |

Country of origin

People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1512/09



Notifying country France

Product category Hobby/sports equipment

Type Consumer

Product Alpine ski binding - Salomon "LZ", Atomic "Evox 2.8", Atomic "FFG 8" and TECNOpro "TL 70" and "TL 80"

Brand Salomon / Atomic / TECNOpro

Type / number of model SALOMON branded products: - LZ 7, LZ 8, LZ 9 - LZ 7 SR, LZ 8 SR, LZ 8 SC - JLZ 9 ATOMIC branded products: EVOX 2.8, EVOX 2.8+ and EVOX2.8++, FFG 8 TECNOpro branded products: - TL 70, TL 80- TL 70 SP, TL 80 SP - TL 70 SR, TL 80 SC The ski bindings concerned by the recall all bear a manufacture date code ending in "8" (indicating the year 2008). This code is located on the central section of the binding toe piece, at the place where the ski boot comes into contact with the toe piece.

Product description Alpine ski binding

Risk type Injuries

Risk description The product poses a risk of injuries because there is the possibility that it could inadvertently release during use when the binding is set to a low release value (DIN value below 5) and/or the front part of the ski boot is worn. Two incidents have been reported where injuries were attributed to the inadvertent release of the binding.

Country of origin Romania

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers by the manufacturer.  
Other

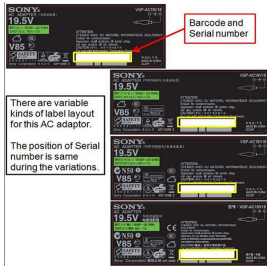
Products were found and measures were taken also in Austria  
Finland  
Greece  
The Netherlands  
Poland  
Sweden

Alert number 1511/09



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| Notifying country                    | France  |
| Product category                     | Chemical products   |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Glue - Cyanocrylate glue "Colle forte"  |
| Brand                                | Fixtout   |
| Type / number of model               | Ref : 30113   |
| Barcode                              | 3 700407001132  |
| Product description                  | Six 3g tubes of glue packed in a transparent plastic bag.   |
| Risk type                            | Chemical  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk because it contains chloroform, a category-3 toxic and carcinogenic product, at a level of over 10%. The product does not comply with REACH regulation. |
| Country of origin                    | People's Republic of China  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary destruction of stocks.<br>Other   |

Alert number 1510/09



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| Notifying country      | Poland   |
| Product category       | Communication and media equipment  |
| Type                   | Consumer   |
| Product                | AC adapter for SONY VAIO notebook  |
| Brand                  | Sony   |
| Type / number of model | model: VGP-AC19V18, serial numbers: 147976411 0000001 - 147976411 0062567, 147976421 0000001 - 147976421 0035095, 147976431 0000001 - 147976431 0025213, 147976441 0000001 - 147976441 0003603. The product is offered as additional equipment only with the hardware serial numbers: VGP-LM, LT, LN, JS (from October 2007 to 15 October 2009) and with docking stations: VGP-PRBX1, PRFE1 (October 2005 to 15 October 2009). |
| Product description    | Unknown  |
| Risk type              | Electric shock   |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of electric shock because of problems with the insulation which can lead to a short circuit. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD).  |
| Country of origin      | People's Republic of China   |
| Measures taken by      | Other : Voluntary recall from consumers by the distributors.   |

economic operators

Other

Products were found and  
measures were taken also  
in

Austria  
Spain  
Greece  
Hungary  
Ireland  
Portugal

Alert number 1509/09



Notifying country France

Product category Hobby/sports equipment

Type Consumer

Product Handlebar stem

Brand Easton

Type / number of model Model EA 30. Year 2007: codes A7 to L7 Year 2008: codes A8 to L8 Year 2009: codes A9 to H9

Product description Handlebar stem for bicycles.

Risk type Injuries

Risk description The product poses a risk of injuries because it may break due to its insufficient mechanical resistance. One incident reported The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 14766.

Country of origin United States

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary recall from consumers.  
Other

Products were found and measures were taken also in Denmark  
Poland

Alert number 1508/09



|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Notifying country                    | France  |
| Product category                     | Clothing, textiles and fashion items  |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Men's shoes   |
| Brand                                | TBS   |
| Type / number of model               | VISAYA 6835; REF: 10271401055.  |
| Product description                  | Men's brown shoes.  |
| Risk type                            | Chemical  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk because the shoe's lining contains azodye (4-methyl-m-phenylendiamin) in concentration of 156 mg/kg. According to the REACH Regulation, azodyes which may release aromatic amines in a concentration above 30 mg/kg shall not be used in textile and leather articles which may come into direct and prolonged contact with the skin. |
| Country of origin                    | India   |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market.<br>Other  |

Alert number 1507/09

Notifying country Poland

Product category Motor vehicles

Type Consumer

Product Passenger car - Octavia II and Superb II

Brand Skoda

EC-type approval/model Octavia II and Superb II with 6-speed direct shift gearbox (DSG) made from September 2008 to August 2009.

Product description Passenger car.

Risk type Injuries

Risk description The product poses a risk of injuries because the gearbox control unit may read the clutch temperature incorrectly, activating the gearbox protection function and resulting in a loss of transmission.

Country of origin Czechia

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the importer.  
Other

Products were found and measures were taken also in  
Germany  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Greece  
Portugal  
Sweden  
Slovenia

Alert number 1506/09



|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Notifying country                    | United Kingdom  |
| Product category                     | Clothing, textiles and fashion items  |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Children's shoes - Children's trainers  |
| Brand                                | Red Herring   |
| Type / number of model               | Style 1210 Size 10 = 862890551; Size 11 = 862890568; Size 12 = 862890582; Size 13 = 862890575; Size 1 = 862890605; Size 2 = 862890599; Size 3 = 862890629.  |
| Product description                  | Children's black tab trainer shoes with synthetic tab fastening.  |
| Risk type                            | Injuries  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a risk of injuries because the presence of metal shanks inside the sole of the shoe and a sub-standard sole compound causes the sole to break and potentially expose the shank. Two incidents reported. |
| Country of origin                    | People's Republic of China  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers by the manufacturer.<br>Other  |

Alert number 1505/09



Notifying country Ireland

Product category Hobby/sports equipment

Type Consumer

Product Rifle - Remington Model 597 17 HMR

Brand Remington

Type / number of model Model 597 17 HMR

Product description Semi-automatic rifle.

Risk type Injuries

Risk description The product poses a risk of serious personal injuries because of possible malfunction of the firearm during the firing sequence caused by the ammunition.

Country of origin United States

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

Products were found and measures were taken also in Bulgaria  
Czechia  
Denmark  
Malta

Alert number 1504/09



Notifying country Spain

Product category Toys

Type Consumer

Product Doctor play set

Brand Boys Toys

Type / number of model MODEL BT 4162

Barcode B 422562041628

Product description Toy medical instruments. The packaging is a cardboard blister pack bearing the imprint: NO. 2203 - Doctor Play Set, CE, Made in China.

Risk type Chemical

Risk description The product poses a chemical risk because the toy contains 0.43% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) and 2% by weight of di-"isononyl" phthalate (DINP). 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.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Import rejected by the customs authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1503/09



Notifying country Spain

Product category Electrical appliances and equipment

Type Consumer

Product Electric insect killer - Pest Killer

Brand Bravo

Type / number of model Ref. FE-4883 Bar code: 4897003574883

Product description An electric insect killer packed in a cardboard box. AC230V 50 Hz - 40W.

Risk type Electric shock

Risk description The product poses a risk of electric shock because: - live parts are accessible; - the voltage exceeds 34 V when the product is disconnected from the mains supply; - the power cable does not meet requirements. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) 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 authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1502/09



|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Notifying country      | Spain   |
| Product category       | Lighting equipment  |
| Type                   | Consumer  |
| Product                | Portable lamp for children  |
| Brand                  | La Bolata   |
| Type / number of model | Ref.: 772066  |
| Barcode                | 8407720660026.  |
| Product description    | Table lamp with a ceramic figure as a base. Packaging consists of a white cardboard box with an adhesive label bearing the identification of the Spanish importer, the ref. number and barcode.   |
| Risk type              | Electric shock<br>Fire<br>Injuries  |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of fire, injuries and electric shock because: - it overheats and the lampshade can catch fire; - it easily overturns; - the base can break into small, sharp-edged pieces; - the lamp is not equipped with a mechanism to prevent the cable being subjected to force at the terminals. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) and the relevant European standard EN 60598. |

Country of origin

People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1501/09

Notifying country Greece

Product category Motor vehicles

Type Consumer

Product Passenger car - Scenic and Kangoo

Brand Renault

EC-type approval/model Scenic II vehicles manufactured between January 2006 and March 2007 and Kangoo II vehicles manufactured from the start of production up to 15 January 2009.

Product description Passenger vehicle

Risk type Injuries

Risk description The product poses a risk of injuries because incorrect calibration of the power-assisted steering ECU (engine control unit) may cause erratic power steering assistance, which could disrupt the driver's control of the vehicle.

Country of origin France

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the manufacturer.  
Other

Products were found and measures were taken also in  
Bulgaria  
Germany  
Hungary  
Ireland  
Iceland  
Malta  
The Netherlands  
Poland  
Sweden  
Slovenia

Alert number 1500/09



Notifying country Spain

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Sports footwear

Brand Lucky

Type / number of model REF x8619-md.

Product description Sports footwear, black and white, packed in a cardboard box.

Risk type Chemical

Risk description The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 3.2 mg/kg dimethylfumarate (DMF) in the sachets (mouldproof agent) put into the shoes. Dimethylfumarate is a substance which is strongly sensitising on contact with the skin, and consumer products containing dimethylfumarate are banned according to Commission Decision 2009/251/EC.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

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

Alert number 1499/09



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| Notifying country                    | Germany   |
| Product category                     | Toys  |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Ballpoint pen   |
| Brand                                | Unknown   |
| Type / number of model               | EAN 4018587443000.  |
| Product description                  | Flexible ballpoint refill enclosed in plastic in the shape of a crocodile, approximately 21cm long with a removable tip on the tail. The underside is pale grey in colour; the upper surface is green with slight red markings. The pens are packed in lots of six.   |
| Risk type                            | Chemical  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk because it is made of PVC containing 39.6% by weight of bis (2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP). 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. |
| Country of origin                    | People's Republic of China  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market by the importer.<br>Other  |

Products were found and  
measures were taken also  
in

Slovenia

Alert number 1498/09



|                                      |   |
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| Notifying country                    | France  |
| Product category                     | Chemical products   |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Super glue - Cyanocrylate adhesive  |
| Brand                                | Power Cheta   |
| Type / number of model               | barcode 6930659700683.  |
| Product description                  | Blister pack containing one 3g tube of glue.  |
| Risk type                            | Chemical  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk because it contains chloroform, a category-3 toxic and carcinogenic product, at a level of over 10%. The product does not comply with REACH regulation. |
| Country of origin                    | People's Republic of China  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary destruction of stocks.<br>Other   |

Alert number 1497/09



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|------------------------|--|
| Notifying country      | Spain  |
| Product category       | Electrical appliances and equipment  |
| Type                   | Consumer   |
| Product                | Ultrasonic humidifier  |
| Brand                  | Laica  |
| Type / number of model | Code: HI3005Y, Article HI3005;   |
| Barcode                | 033224603001   |
| Product description    | Ultrasonic tortoise-shaped humidifier, 1.1 litres. The packaging is a cardboard box with photographs of the product and information including the following: "Laica CE 230V AC 50Hz 24W".  |
| Risk type              | Electric shock   |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of electric shock because: - the clearances between live and accessible parts are insufficient; - children may believe that it is a toy and play with it whilst it is connected to the mains. 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  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1496/09



Notifying country Spain

Product category Electrical appliances and equipment

Type Consumer

Product Plug adaptor - Adaptador del enchufe de la corriente ALTERNA

Brand Europa

Type / number of model Travel adaptor 11090: 8040000110905.

Product description Low-voltage electrical equipment: white plastic travel adaptors. Packaging: a transparent plastic blister; the cardboard part of which reads: 11090 plastic alternating current plug adaptor, and displays the brand (Europa) and the name of the importer.

Risk type Electric shock

Risk description The product poses a risk of electric shock because live parts are accessible when a plug is not inserted. In addition, the product does not have sufficient resistance to heat. The product does not comply with Low Voltage Directive and with the national standard UNE 20315.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Import rejected by the customs authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1495/09

Notifying country Spain

Product category Motor vehicles

Type Consumer

Product Passenger car - Superb II

Brand Skoda

EC-type approval/model Vehicles with chassis numbers in the following range are affected: TMB - 3T- 99010079 - 030348

Product description Passenger car

Risk type Fire

Risk description The product poses a risk of fire because the earth wire for the electric air heating element may not be correctly secured which may cause the heating element to overheat.

Country of origin Czechia

Measures taken by economic operators Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the manufacturer.  
Other

Products were found and measures were taken also in Denmark  
Estonia  
Sweden  
Slovenia

Alert number 1494/09



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| Notifying country                    | Germany  |
| Product category                     | Jewellery  |
| Type                                 | Consumer   |
| Product                              | Watch - Classique quartz   |
| Brand                                | Classique  |
| Type / number of model               | Unknown  |
| Product description                  | Watches made of gold coloured stainless steel with an 11 mm-wide elastic link strap (also gold coloured); gold watch face with black numbers, second markings and the inscriptions "classique", "LG" and "Quartz" and three gold coloured hands (minute, hour and second hands). |
| Risk type                            | Chemical   |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk due to the release (from strap) of 47.0 +- 5.6 µg/cm <sup>2</sup> /week of nickel from the metallic cylinders. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.  |
| Country of origin                    | Unknown  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary withdrawal from the market.<br>Other   |

Alert number 1493/09



Notifying country Hungary

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Jogging suit for children

Brand Seagull

Type / number of model CSQ-6650

Product description Green jogging suit with hood, drawstring and the inscription "Angels" embroidered on the front. The suit is decorated with imitation precious stones. Size: 98, 110.

Risk type Choking  
Injuries

Risk description The product poses a risk of : - injuries, because the drawstring in the waist area is not fixed at at least one point; - choking, because the imitation precious stones are easily detachable and could be swallowed by children. The product does not comply with the relevant European standards EN 14682 and EN 71.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1492/09



Notifying country Hungary

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Corduroy jeans for children

Brand Seagull

Type / number of model CSQ-6655, bar code: 545321697

Product description Pink padded corduroy jeans for children, with imitation precious stones on the right leg.

Risk type Choking

Risk description The product poses a risk of choking because the imitation precious stones can be easily removed and could be swallowed by children. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 71.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

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

Alert number 1491/09



Notifying country Hungary

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Children's shirt - Kid's shirt

Brand F&D KIDS

Type / number of model 83072,

Barcode 7000080179729

Product description Pink shirt with flower patterns and buttons.

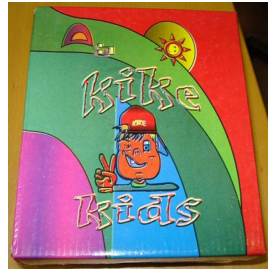
Risk type Choking

Risk description The product poses a risk of choking because the buttons affixed to the shirt can be easily removed and swallowed by children. The product does not comply with relevant European standard EN 71.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public authorities Other : Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1489/09



|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Notifying country      | Estonia   |
| Product category       | Clothing, textiles and fashion items  |
| Type                   | Consumer  |
| Product                | Children's shoes  |
| Brand                  | Kike Kids   |
| Type / number of model | Article No. 51N084C02   |
| Barcode                | 8435159516683, size 21  |
| Product description    | White and pink shoes, packed in a cardboard box bearing the words "Kike Kids". On the box there is a label showing the article number, colour, size and barcode. There is a mould-proof sachet in the box of the shoes with information "SILICA GEL. DO NOT EAT. THROW AWAY DESICCANT".   |
| Risk type              | Chemical  |
| Risk description       | The product poses a chemical risk due to the presence of 0.78 mg/kg of dimethylfumarate (DMF) in the footwear and 0.1 mg/kg in the sachet included in the packaging. Dimethylfumarate is a substance which is strongly sensitising on contact with the skin, and consumer products containing dimethylfumarate are banned according to Commission Decision 2009/251/EC. |
| Country of origin      | Unknown   |

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Withdrawal from the market ordered by the  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1488/09



Notifying country Cyprus

Product category Toys

Type Consumer

Product Plastic rattle - Κουδουνιστρούλα (koudounistroula - small rattle)

Brand Jumbo Bebe.

Type / number of model Barcode 012249855556.

Product description Plastic, multicoloured rattle in the shape of a butterfly with small rings on one side and a ring containing beads on the other. When the butterfly is rotated, the toy makes a sound. Packaging: product is mounted on cardboard with a transparent plastic film. Instructions, information and a warning are on the back of the packaging.

Risk type Choking

Risk description The product poses a risk of choking because the toy can easily break releasing small parts that could be swallowed by children. The product does not comply with the Toys Directive and with the relevant European standard EN 71.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

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

Other

Products were found and  
measures were taken also  
in

Greece

Alert number 1487/09



|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Notifying country                    | Poland  |
| Product category                     | Clothing, textiles and fashion items  |
| Type                                 | Consumer  |
| Product                              | Children's trousers   |
| Brand                                | Pepco   |
| Type / number of model               | EAN 2220002166209; PLU216620; SIW 8.  |
| Product description                  | Baby's trousers, made of cotton (100%) coloured pink. There are metal parts on the trousers.  |
| Risk type                            | Chemical  |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a chemical risk due to the release of 0.94 µg/cm <sup>2</sup> /week of nickel from the metallic parts. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation. |
| Country of origin                    | People's Republic of China  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary stop of supply and withdrawal from the market by the importer and distributors.<br>Other  |

Alert number 1486/09



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| Notifying country      | Cyprus   |
| Product category       | Clothing, textiles and fashion items   |
| Type                   | Consumer   |
| Product                | Children's sweatshirt - Gallery Knitwear   |
| Brand                  | Rare   |
| Type / number of model | Model: GA2821V19531,   |
| Barcode                | 1000091035058 or 100001077053  |
| Product description    | Children's sweatshirt intended for children up to 8 years. The sweatshirt has a hood which is designed with a cord. On the front label is written: "Rare". On the back label is written: the price, the model and the barcode. There is a label sewn to the product with the additional information: "40% cotton, 30% lambswool, 10% merinos, 5% mohair, 10% acrylic, 5% nylon", "Made in China" and graphic indications concerning its treatment. |
| Risk type              | Strangulation  |
| Risk description       | The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood area. The product does not comply with relevant European standard EN 14682.   |
| Country of origin      | People's Republic of China   |

Measures ordered by public  
authorities

Other : Corrective actions by the importer ordered by the  
authorities.  
Other

Alert number 1485/09



Notifying country Cyprus

Product category Clothing, textiles and fashion items

Type Consumer

Product Children's sweatshirt - Danae Knitwear

Brand Rare

Type / number of model GA29199532

Barcode 100001077091, 1000097295036

Product description Children's sweatshirt intended for children up to 6 years. The sweatshirt has a hood which is designed with a cord. On the front label is written: "Rare", On the back label is written: the price, the model and the barcode. There is a label sewn to the product with the additional information: "40% cotton, 30% lambswool, 10% merinos, 5% mohair, 10% acrylic, 5% nylon".

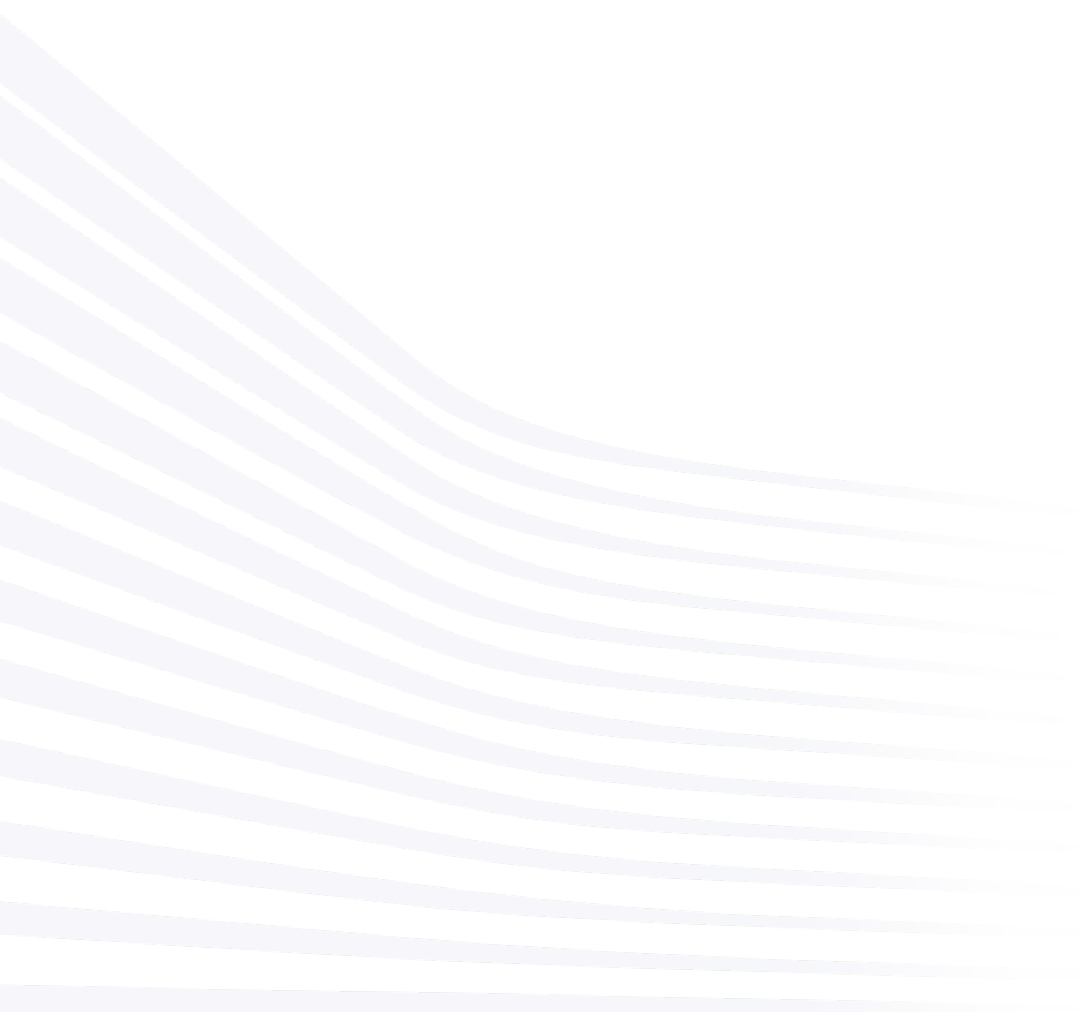
Risk type Strangulation


Risk description The product poses a risk of strangulation because of the presence of drawstrings in the hood area. The product does not comply with relevant European standard EN 14682.

Country of origin People's Republic of China

Measures ordered by public Other : Corrective actions by the importer ordered by the

authorities    authorities.  
Other



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| Alert number                         | <u>1484/09</u>   |
| Notifying country                    | Portugal   |
| Product category                     | Motor vehicles   |
| Type                                 | Consumer   |
| Product                              | Motorcycle - Honda CB600F / CBF600 / CB1000R   |
| Brand                                | Honda  |
| EC-type approval/model               | - CBF600 (2008 model); ZDCPC41A*8F064104 - ZDCPC41A*8F164163 // ZDCPC41A*8F064827 - ZDCPC41A*8F064845; - CBF600 (2009 model): ZDCPC41A*9F076887 - ZDCPC41A*9F077126 // ZDCPC41A*8F077337 - ZDCPC41A*8F077415; - CBF600 (2009 model): ZDCPC43B09F032857 and ZDCPC43B09F032859; - CB1000R (2009 model): ZDCSC60A*9F004614 - ZDCSC60A*9F004807 // ZDCSC60A*9F002348 - ZDCSC60A*9F002380. Full <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/images/rapex/2009-w45/2009-w45_1-1.pdf" target="_blank">list of VINs</a>  src="http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/images/pdf.gif" alt="pdf" border="0" width="40" height="13"/> is attached. |
| Product description                  | Motorcycle   |
| Risk type                            | Injuries   |
| Risk description                     | The product poses a risk of injuries because the mounting bolts on the rear brake master cylinder may not be properly tightened and could possibly come loose during use affecting the operation of the rear brake.  |
| Country of origin                    | Italy  |
| Measures taken by economic operators | Other : Voluntary corrective actions taken by the manufacturer.<br>Other   |
| Products were found and              | Hungary  |

measures were taken also  
in

Malta  
The Netherlands  
Sweden  
Slovenia