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No. Ref.	Notifying country		Danger	Measures adopted by notifying country
7 A12/0875/1 2	Portugal	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Skin lightening product "Caro white Lightening beauty soap with carrot oil, 100 g"</p> <p>Brand: Angel Cosmetics</p> <p>Type/number of model: Manufacturing and expiration dates: F: 06/11; E: 06/13. Barcode: 9 501101 373075</p> <p>Description: White and orange cardbox. The packaging bears the list of ingredients and the indications "Contains Hydroquinone. Keep out of reach of children" (in Portuguese, French and English). Volume 100 g.</p> <p>Country of origin: Democratic Republic of Congo</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains the ingredient hydroquinone, as declared on the label, the use of which is prohibited in cosmetics and personal hygiene products.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics directive 76/768/EEC.</p>	Import rejected by the customs authorities.


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<p>8 A12/0876/1 2</p>	<p>Netherlands</p>	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Skin lightening product "Skin Success Fade Cream"</p> <p>Brand: Palmer's</p> <p>Type/number of model:</p> <p>Barcode: 010181 07500. Lot nr. J1111 E, exp 04/14</p> <p>Description: Cream in plastic container in carton box with the following description: "active ingredient hydroquinone 2 %, skin lightener."</p> <p>Country of origin: United States</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 1.8 % of hydroquinone the use of which is prohibited in cosmetics and personal hygiene products.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics directive 76/768/EEC.</p>	<p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p>


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10 A12/0878/1 2	Netherlands	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Skin lightening product "Skin Toning Cream"</p> <p>Brand: Clear-N-Smooth</p> <p>Type/number of model: 113,64 ml; lot nr. 091511 exp Sept 2013</p> <p>Barcode: 74093900029</p> <p>Description: Cream in plastic container, green label and green screw cap with the following description: "with vitamin E and sunscreen, lightens complexion to help even-out skin tone; active ingredient hydroquinone 2.0 %, skin lightener".</p> <p>Country of origin: United States</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 2.0 % of hydroquinone, the use of which is prohibited in cosmetics and personal hygiene products.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p>	Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.


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11 A12/0879/1 2	Germany	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Nail modelling product "Professional Liquid – Mango"</p> <p>Brand: Shasta</p> <p>Type/number of model: Batch: D0216-A117</p> <p>Barcode: 12-0041281-001-01</p> <p>Description: Container: white, labelled plastic canister with white plastic screw cap. Capacity: 1 gallon, 3.78 litres.</p> <p>Country of origin: United Kingdom</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 97% methyl metacrylate (MMA). In its assessment, the Bundesinstitut für Risikobewertung (BfR, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment) considers methyl metacrylate present in concentrations of 80-90 % in such cosmetics to be sensitizing.</p>	<p>Voluntary recall from consumer by the distributor and seizure of remaining stocks by the authorities.</p>

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12 A12/0880/1 2	Germany	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Nail modelling product "Professional Liquid - Mango-Coffee"</p> <p>Brand: Shasta</p> <p>Type/number of model:</p> <p>Batch: D0216-A104</p> <p>Barcode: 12-0034198-001-01, 12-0041287-001-01</p> <p>Description: Container: white, labelled plastic canister with white plastic screw cap. Capacity: 1 gallon, 3.78 litres.</p> <p>Country of origin: United Kingdom</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 97% methyl metacrylate (MMA). In its assessment, the Bundesinstitut für Risikobewertung (BfR, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment) considers methyl metacrylate present in concentrations of 80-90 % in such cosmetics to be sensitizing.</p>	<p>Voluntary recall from consumer by the distributor and seizure of remaining stocks by the authorities.</p>

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13 A12/0881/1 2	Germany	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Skin lightening product "Skin Toning Cream"</p> <p>Brand: Clear-N-Smooth</p> <p>Type/number of model: 113,64 ml</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Lot nr. 09231 exp sept 2013, Barcode: 74093900003</p> <p>Description: Cream in plastic container, orange label with the following description: "with vitamin E and sunscreen, lightens complexion to help even-out skin tone; active ingredient hydroquinone 2 %, skin lightener."</p> <p>Country of origin: United States</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 1.8 % of hydroquinone, the use of which is prohibited in cosmetics and personal hygiene products.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics directive 76/768/EEC.</p>	<p>Withdrawal from the market ordered by the authorities.</p>

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20 A12/0888/1 2	Latvia	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Hair treatment product "Complex Brazilian Keratin Straightening Treatment "</p> <p>Brand: Cocochoco Professional</p> <p>Type/number of model: Barcode: Batch No.: 10122011, Exp.:12-2014</p> <p>Description: White plastic bottle containing 250 ml and packed in brown cardboard box.</p> <p>Country of origin: Brazil</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk as it contains 2.64% of formaldehyde.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive.</p>	Recall ordered by the authorities.

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<p>27 A12/0895/1 2</p>	<p>Ireland</p>	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Perfumed body milk "Qei+Paris Qualité Extreme Intense"</p> <p>Brand: Laboratoire Pharmaplus</p> <p>Type/number of model: 9886400513 / Batch code: 11151</p> <p>Description: Large white bottle of body milk marked with green and gold print.</p> <p>Country of origin: Unknown</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains, as declared on the label, the ingredient hydroquinone, which is prohibited by the Cosmetics Directive.</p>	<p>Seizure.</p>

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<p>28 A12/0896/1 2</p>	<p>France</p>	<p>Category: Cosmetics</p> <p>Product: Hair treatment product "TCQ Plus Phase 2 – Nano Hydra Keratin"</p> <p>Brand: TCQ</p> <p>Type/number of model: Unknown</p> <p>Description: 1 black plastic pouch with a white screw cap – 500ml – containing hair treatment product.</p> <p>Country of origin: Mexico</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains 2.3% of formaldehyde.</p> <p>The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Directive 76/768/EEC.</p>	<p>Seizure of the products ordered by the authorities.</p>