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**Alert number:** [A12/0917/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Hair colouring product

**Brand:** Profix Organics Olive Oil / EBOCOS

**Name:** Permanent Powder Hair Colour - HENNA

**Type/number of model:** Auburn, Exp. date 03/2018

**Batch number/Barcode:** 4053743392501, E-04MFGD5

**Risk:** Chemical

The product contains 2-nitro-p-phenyldiamine and barium peroxide according to the list of ingredients. 2-nitro-p-ph cause an allergic skin reaction and barium peroxide is harmful if swallowed or inhaled. The product does not comply Regulation.

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

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**Description:** Henna hair colouring product. 6 sachets of 10g each. The product comes in a light green cardboard box

**Country of origin:** India

**Alert submitted by:** Sweden

**Risk Type:** Serious

**Products were found and measures were taken also in:** Germany



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**Alert number:** [A12/0918/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Hair dye

**Brand:** Creme of Nature

**Name:** Colors

**Type/number of model:** Golden Brown 7.31

**Batch number/Barcode:** 7.31L473

**Risk:** Chemical

The product contains o-aminophenol according to the list of ingredients. O-aminophenol is harmful if swallowed or inhaled. The product has no appropriate labelling and lacks the required warnings, thus users are not sufficiently informed of the dangers. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

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**Description:** Permanent hair colour. The product comes in an orange cardboard box with a photo print.

**Country of origin:** United States

**Alert submitted by:** Sweden

**Risk Type:** Serious



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**Alert number:** [A12/0919/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Body lotion

**Brand:** Ultra Glow

**Name:** COCOA BUTTER LOTION

**Type/number of model:** Unknown

**Batch number/Barcode:** 070596099160; LAQK, PMBT 099-16

**Risk:** Chemical

According to the ingredients list, the product contains the substance Cholecalciferol (vitamin D3). An excessive amount is toxic and can cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. The product does not comply with the EU Cosmetics Regulation.

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

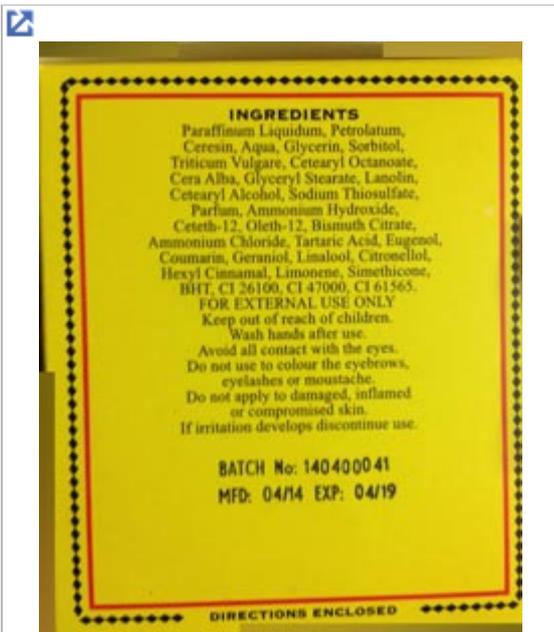
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**Description:** Body lotion in a white bottle of 473 ml with a red label. The product information is printed in white and yellow.

**Country of origin:** United States

**Alert submitted by:** Sweden

**Risk Type:** Serious



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**Alert number:** [A12/0920/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Hair dye pomade

**Brand:** Morgan's Pomade

**Name:** The Original

**Type/number of model:** Unknown

**Batch number/Barcode:** 1) batch 02044, 2) batch: 140400041, 3) batch: 150400056

**Risk:** Chemical

The hair pomade contains the dye Solvent Red 23 (CI 26100), Solvent Yellow 33 (CI 47000) and Solvent Green 3 (CI 60730) which may cause allergic skin reactions. The pomade of batch 02044 contains, in addition, lead acetate which is harmful if swallowed. The product may cause damage to organs or the reproductive system through prolonged or repeated exposure. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

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**Description:** Hair dye pomade - darkening grey hair. The pomade comes in a brown glass bottle with metal lid; contains a bright yellow label with red and black print.

**Country of origin:** United Kingdom

**Alert submitted by:** Sweden

**Risk Type:** Serious

**Products were found and measures were taken also in:** Ireland



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**Alert number:** [A12/0923/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Hair dye

**Brand:** Soft sheen Karizma

**Name:** Unknown

**Type/number of model:** 7c - Red hot

**Batch number/Barcode:** 8W029

**Risk:** Chemical

The product contains o-aminophenol which is harmful if swallowed or inhaled. The label is not adequate and lacks the warnings required for oxidative hair dyes. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

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**Description:** Hair dye in a purple cardboard box.

**Country of origin:** Canada

**Alert submitted by:** Sweden

**Risk Type:** Serious



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**Alert number:** [A12/0924/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Hand cream

**Brand:** Un été en provence / SB

**Name:** Crème main Au Beurre de Karité - Lavande

**Type/number of model:** Unknown

**Batch number/Barcode:** 3760209490589; lot CMF95

**Risk:** Microbiological

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

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

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**Description:** Hand cream with lavender scent in an aluminium tube with black screw cap and round adhesive label, coloured cardboard box.

**Country of origin:** France

**Alert submitted by:** Germany

**Risk Type:** Serious

**Products were found and measures were taken also in:** France



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**Alert number:** [A12/0925/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Skin lightening product

**Brand:** Clear Essence

**Name:** Skin Beautifying Milk - Maxi Tone

**Type/number of model:** Platinum

**Batch number/Barcode:** On the container:#150803-1. On the packaging: EF141, MHD: EXP.10/17.

**Risk:** Chemical

The product contains 2.5 % by weight of hydroquinone. Hydroquinone causes skin irritation and dermatitis. The product is regulated under the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

**Measures taken by economic operators:** Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Retailer)**Measures ordered by authorities:** Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

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**Description:** Body lotion with skin lightening effect in a bottle of 227g, supplied in a yellow-pink cardboard packaging

**Country of origin:** United States

**Alert submitted by:** Germany

**Risk Type:** Serious



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**Alert number:** [A12/0953/16](#)

**Category:** Cosmetics

**Product:** Henna Hair Colour

**Brand:** Vatika Naturals

**Name:** Vatika Henna Hair Colour

**Type/number of model:** 1. Natural Brown, 2. Rich Black, 3. Dark Brown, 4. Burgundy

**Batch number/Barcode:** 1. Natural Brown: EP003/ 5022496006330, 1. Natural Brown: EP027 / 5022496006330 , 2. 502249006309, 2. Rich Black: EP016 / 502249006309, 3. Dark Brown: EP010/ 5022496006361, 4. Burgundy: EP01

**Risk:** Chemical

The list of ingredients indicates that the hair dye contains sodium perborate. Sodium perborate in high doses is toxic to fertility or the unborn child. The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

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**Description:** Pack Size: 60g Contents of the pack: 6 x 10 g sachet with colour and developer in one.

**Country of origin:** India

**Alert submitted by:** Ireland

**Risk Type:** Serious

**Products were found and measures were taken also in: Germany**