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Category: Cosmetics

Product: Teeth whitening strips

Brand: Crest

Name: Crest 3D White Whitestrips - Supreme Flexfit

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: 8971400046; (L)6225V44

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains hydrogen peroxide as a bleaching substance (measured concentration up to 10% by weight). Hydrogen peroxide at high concentrations causes skin irritation and is harmful if swallowed.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Importer): Warning consumers of the risks

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Description: 42 individually packed teeth whitening strips (1 strip for upper teeth, 1 strip for lower teeth), sold online to consumers. Unregistered import by third party distributor. The manufacturer did not produce it for direct distribution to consumers in the EU.

Country of origin: United States

Alert submitted by: Sweden

Risk level: Serious





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Category: Cosmetics

Product: Baby wet wipes

Brand: Ultra Soft

Name: Babytücher - Baby wipes

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: Batch No 132591

Risk type: Chemical

The wipes contain methylisothiazolinone (MI) and methylchloroisothiazolinone (MCI) (measured concentration 0.0136% by weight). Dermal contact with MCI/MI-containing products can provoke allergic contact dermatitis to sensitised persons.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products regulation.

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

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Description: 30 wipes measuring 20 x 15 cm, sold in a light blue foil packaging, resealable on the front side of the package. Black-and-white baby photo on the front.

Country of origin: The Netherlands

Alert submitted by: Germany

Risk level: Serious