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Alert number: A12/1427/17

Category: Chemical products

Product: Tattoo ink

Brand: Eternal Ink

Name: NUCLEAR GREEN

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: batch 15383

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains the aromatic amine o-anisidine (measured value 50 mg/kg). Aromatic amines can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction.

The Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008)1 on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, recommends that aromatic amines with carcinogenic, mutagenic, reprotoxic or sensitising properties should neither be present in tattoos and permanent make-up products nor released from azo-colourants.

The product does not comply with the national legislation.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Importer): Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures

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Description: Bottle of green pigment for tattoo inks

Country of origin: United States

Alert submitted by: Italy

Risk level: Serious



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Alert number: A12/1419/17

Category: Cosmetics

Product: Skin-care product

Brand: DELON

Name: Body Butter with Coconut Oil infused with Bamboo

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: LOT 140127-121, EAN 05933812583

Risk type: Chemical

The body butter contains methylisothiazolinone (MI) (measured concentration 0.0120 % by weight). Dermal contact with 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: Importer)

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Description: DELON Body Butter with Coconut Oil packaged in white 196g round pot.

Country of origin: Canada

Alert submitted by: Estonia

Risk level: Serious