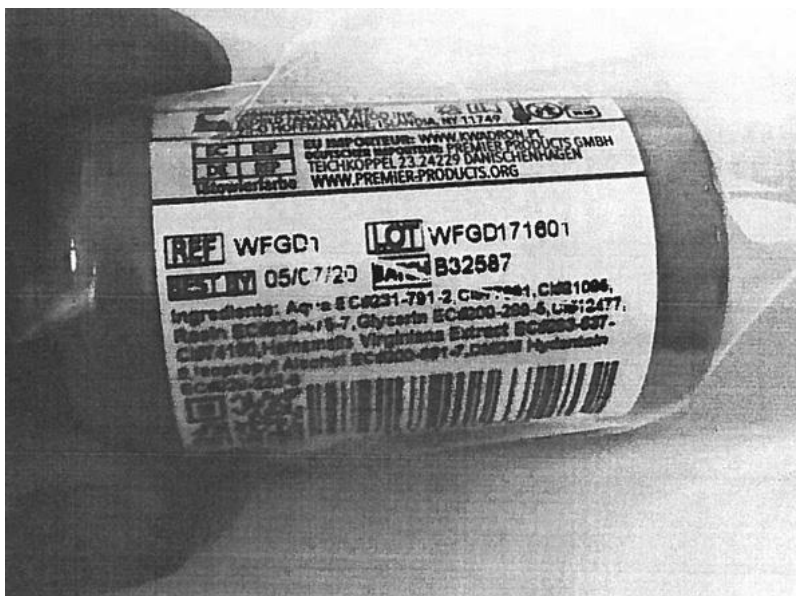


RAPEX 22 – 31/05/2019



Alert number: A12/0807/19

Category: Chemical products

Product: Tattoo ink

Brand: World Famous TATTOO INK

Name: Green day

Type / number of model: Ref WFGD1, Batch B32587

Batch number / Barcode: lot WFGD171601

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains the aromatic amine o-toluidine (measured value 12 mg/kg) and o-anisidine (measured value: 25 mg/kg).

These 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.

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

Description: Green pigment, the packaging is marked COLOR INDEX, CI (Organic-Azoic) 12477.

Country of origin: United States

Alert submitted by: Italy

Type of alert: Serious



Alert number: A12/0812/19

Category: Cosmetics

Product: Shampoo and bath gel

Brand: Disney

Name: Shampoo & Bath Gel

Type / number of model: Product Ref. 1764

Batch number / Barcode: 5206642000537

Risk type: Microbiological

The product contains an excessive amount of *Pseudomonas putida* (measured value: 600 000 cfu/ml). If used on damaged skin or by immunocompromised users, the product may cause a severe infection.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation and the relevant European standard EN ISO 17516.

Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal from retail spaces (By: Retailer)

Description: 300 ml of shampoo and bath gel solution in a yellow plastic bottle with a dark green cap, with a picture of Disney's characters Winnie the Pooh and Tigger.

Country of origin: Greece

Alert submitted by: Germany

Type of alert: Serious



Alert number: A12/0828/19

Category: Cosmetics

Product: Skin-lightening product

Brand: RAPI'D CLAIR

Name: Purifying and skin tone lotion

Type / number of model: White Absolute

Batch number / Barcode: Mfg Date 08/2017 Best Before 07/2022 Batch N. 21091997

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains hydroquinone (measured value: 1.4 % by weight).
Hydroquinone can cause skin irritation and dermatitis.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

Description: 250 ml of brown lotion in a plastic bottle with an orange plastic cap.

Country of origin: Italy

Alert submitted by: France

Type of alert: Serious