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Report 44 (Published on: 02/11/2018)

Notification A12/1511/18 from Report-2018-042 has been updated to modify the name, type and model.



Product category

Cosmetics

Notifying country

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Type of risk

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Alert number: A12/1600/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Face mask

Brand: Aztec Secret Health and Beauty

Name: Indian Healing Clay

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: expiry dates 06/2020 and 03/2020

Risk type: Microbiological

The total count of aerobic bacteria (measured quantity up to 3600 cfu/g) and the level of mould in the product is too high.

If used on damaged skin or if it comes into contact with the eyes, the product may cause infection or irritation.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

Measures taken by economic operators: The product listing has been removed from the Amazon website (By: Other)

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Importer): Destruction of the product

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Alert number: A12/1601/18  

Category: Cosmetics

Product: Hair dye

Brand: Bigen Hoyu

Name: Permanent Powder Hair Colour

Type / number of model: 58 Oriental Black

Batch number / Barcode: 0622 7 , 4 987205 905599

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains too much p-phenylenediamine (measured value: up to 10% by weight) and an insufficient coupling agent.

Uncoupled p-phenylenediamine is an extremely potent skin sensitiser and may trigger allergic reactions.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Regulation.

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

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Alert number: A12/1602/18  

Category: Cosmetics

Product: Hair dye

Brand: Bigen Hoyu

Name: Permanent Powder Hair Colour

Type / number of model: 48 Dark Chestnut

Batch number / Barcode: 098 1 , 4 987205 905483

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains too much p-phenylenediamine and toluene-2,5-diamine sulphate (measured values: up to 4.9% and 4.2% by weight respectively) and an insufficient coupling agent.

Uncoupled p-phenylenediamine and and toluene-2,5-diamine sulphate are extremely potent skin sensitisers and may trigger allergic reactions.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Regulation.

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

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Alert number: A12/1603/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Moisturizing cream/gel

Brand: Bust Size

Name: Unknown

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: 4607013230729; Batch Nr. 031848

Risk type: Chemical

The labelling indicates that the product contains methylisothiazolinone (MI) and methylchloroisothiazolinone (MCI).

MI and MCI are sensitizing agents and can provoke allergic contact dermatitis to sensitized persons.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Importer): Withdrawal of the product from the market

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Alert number: A12/1614/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Hair colouring product

Brand: Henné Souad

Name: Light Red

Type / number of model: Product Ref: 2213.300

Batch number / Barcode: Batch number: K1367 Bar code: 3289070103003

Risk type: Microbiological

The product is microbiologically contaminated with mesophilic aerobic bacteria, yeast and mould (measured values: 77,000 cfu/g for mesophilic aerobic bacteria and 9,000 cfu/g for yeast and mould).
If used on damaged skin, or if it comes into contact with the eyes, the product may cause infection or irritation.

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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Corrigenda : Notification A12/0324/18 from report 2018-009 and Notifications A12/0346/18, A12/0348/18, A12/0353/18 from report 2018-010 have been updated to improve identification of the affected products (batch number and date of manufacture have been added).

Notification A12/1514/18 from Report-2018-042 has been downgraded at the request of the notifying Member State after re-assessment of the risk. The risk is considered less than serious (new number A11/0086/18).



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Alert number: A12/1637/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Skin lightening product

Brand: CT+

Name: Clear Therapy, extra lightening lotion carrot oil

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: 6181100533279

Risk type: Chemical

The skin lotion contains hydroquinone (max. 2%).
Hydroquinone can cause skin irritation and dermatitis.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

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Alert number: A12/1638/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Skin lightening product

Brand: Caro White

Name: Lightening oil

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: batch number: 13/1975B

Risk type: Chemical

The skin oil contains hydroquinone (max. 2%).
Hydroquinone can cause skin irritation and dermatitis.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetic Products Regulation.

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

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Alert number: A12/1661/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Hair colouring product

Brand: Black Rose

Name: Hair Color Natural Brown

Type / number of model: Natural Brown

Batch number / Barcode: N0.- 550 / 8158650009866 Manufactured on 07/2016; Expiry date 06/2018.

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains too much p-aminophenol (measured value: 7.2% in weight) and insufficient coupling agent. Uncoupled p-aminophenol is a strong skin sensitiser and may trigger allergic skin reactions.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Regulation.

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

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Corrigenda :

Notification A12/1053/18 from Report 2018-030 has been permanently removed at the request of the notifying authority following new test results which show that the product complies.

Notification A11/0084/18 from Report-2018-045 has been modified to correct the product description and applicable legal basis.



Product category

Cosmetics

Notifying country

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Type of risk

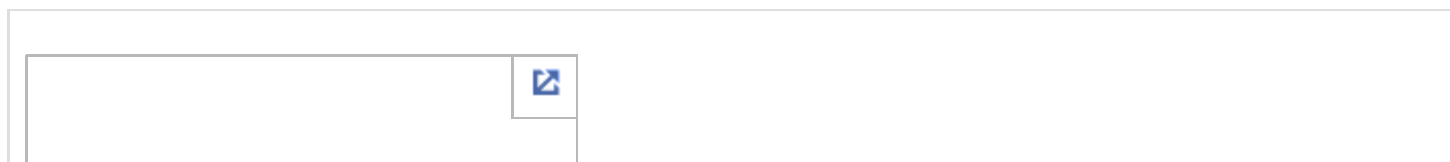
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Alert number: A12/1734/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Oral hygiene product / mouthwash

Brand: Elina med

Name: Anti-Plaque Mundspülung

Type / number of model: Batch No 710001

Batch number / Barcode: 4326470477941

Risk type: Microbiological

The mouthwash contains mesophilic aerobic bacteria (measured quantity 16000 cfu/g) and the presence of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* has been detected.

There is a risk of contracting infection as the solution comes into contact with the mouth and may also come into contact with the hands and eyes.

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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Product category

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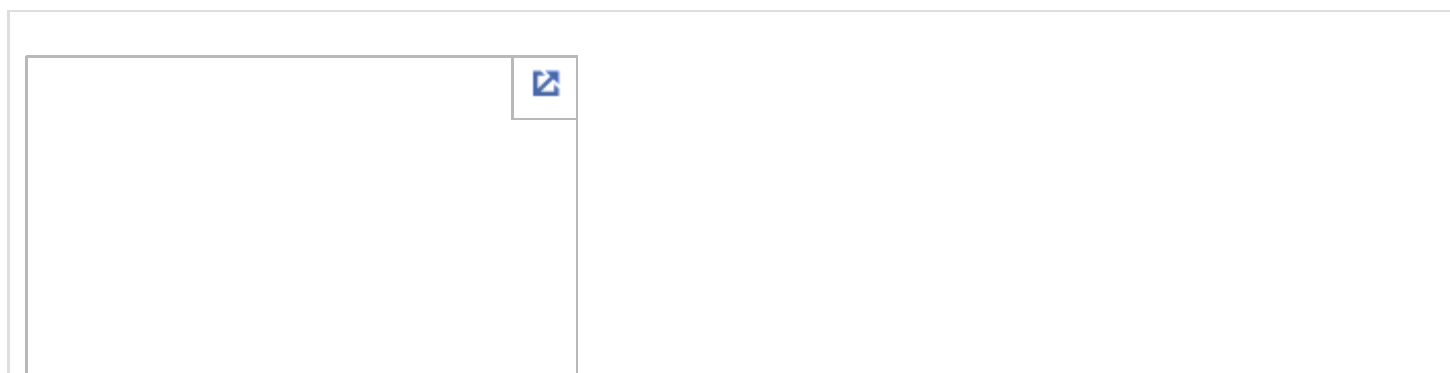
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Alert number: A12/1780/18



Category: Cosmetics

Product: Antiseptic soap

Brand: Zakuro

Name: Black soap

Type / number of model: Unknown

Batch number / Barcode: Batch: 0352309-0172, EAN 8993379255534

Risk type: Chemical

The product contains too much triclocarban as a preservative (measured value: 1.3% in weight) and 4-chloroaniline (measured value: 0.2% in weight).

Aromatic amines can cause cancer and/or allergic reactions.

The product does not comply with the Cosmetics Products Regulation.

Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Retailer): Withdrawal of the product from the market

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