



## Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products

<b>Alert number</b>	A12/0565/18
<b>Category</b>	Chemical products
<b>Risk level</b>	Serious risk
<b>Product user</b>	Consumer
<b>Product</b>	Tattoo ink
<b>Brand</b>	Eternal Ink
<b>Name</b>	BUMBLE BEE
<b>Type / number of model</b>	Unknown
<b>Batch number / Barcode</b>	Batch: 17.12.14
<b>OECD Portal Category</b>	53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene
<b>Description</b>	30 ml bottle of yellow pigment
<b>Country of origin</b>	United States
<b>Alert submitted by</b>	Italy
<b>Counterfeit</b>	<b>THE PRODUCT MAY BE COUNTERFEIT</b>
<b>Risk type</b>	Chemical
<b>Technical defect</b>	The product contains the aromatic amine toluidine (measured values: 29 mg/kg).
<b>Risk</b>	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.
<b>Measures adopted by notifying country</b>	<b>Measures ordered by public authorities (to: Importer):</b> Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
<b>Images</b>	