


Notification reference: A12/0123/19


Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Notifying country	Italy
Product category	Chemical products
Product	Tattoo ink
Brand	ETERNAL INK
Name	Brown
Type / number of model	Colour brown
Batch number/Bar code	Batch number 17589; expiry date 18/07/2020; Color Index 77491
OECD Portal category	53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene
Description	30-ml bottle of brown tattoo ink.
Country of origin	United States
Counterfeit	
Risk type	Chemical
Risk description	<p>Arsenic is carcinogenic. Nickel can cause skin irritation and induce sensitisation or elicit allergic responses.</p> <p>The Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008)1 on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up recommends that the levels of arsenic in tattoo inks do not exceed 2 mg/kg, the levels of zinc in tattoo inks do not exceed 50 mg/kg and that the content of nickel in tattoo inks be as low as technically achievable.</p>
Measures adopted by notifying country	Compulsory measures: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures (addressed to: Importer)
URL link to company recall (if available)	
Products were found and measures were taken also in	
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Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Notifying country	Italy
Product category	Chemical products
Product	Tattoo ink
Brand	Eternal Ink
Name	ROSA - HOT PINK
Type / number of model	Unknown
Batch number/Bar code	Batch number 02/09/16
OECD Portal category	53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene
Description	Bottle of red tattoo ink
Country of origin	United States
Counterfeit	
Risk type	Chemical
Risk description	<p>This aromatic amine can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction.</p> <p>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.</p>
Measures adopted by notifying country	Compulsory measures: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures (addressed to: Distributor)
URL link to company recall (if available)	
Products were found and measures were taken also in	
Images	

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Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Notifying country	Italy
Product category	Chemical products
Product	Tattoo ink
Brand	Eternal Ink
Name	CARAMEL
Type / number of model	Unknown
Batch number/Bar code	batch R-136, expiry date 06/2020
OECD Portal category	53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene
Description	30 ml bottle with brown tattoo ink.
Country of origin	United States
Counterfeit	
Risk type	Chemical
Risk description	<p>Aromatic amines can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction.</p> <p>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.</p>
Measures adopted by notifying country	Compulsory measures: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures (addressed to: Distributor)
URL link to company recall (if available)	
Products were found and measures were taken also in	
Images	

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