



Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products

Alert number	1212/07
Category	Kitchen/cooking accessories
Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Product	Thermal flasks and containers
Brand	"Vacuum Flask"
Name	
Type / number of model	Article No 07/02747 0.23 L.
Batch number / Barcode	
OECD Portal Category	
Description	The asbestos is to be found in the small, grey/off-white cylindrical bodies made of compressed chrysotile asbestos fibrous material visible in the cavity within the double glass casing of the container, which act as spacers.
Country of origin	China
Alert submitted by	Italy
Risk type	Chemical
Risk	The product poses a serious risk of cancer because asbestos fibre, which could be carcinogenic if inhaled, could be released if the casing was broken and the asbestos lozenges were handled. This product does not comply with the Chemicals Restrictions Directive 76/769/EEC.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Measures ordered by public authorities: Withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers ordered by the authorities
Images	A photograph showing a brown cardboard box, a red plastic lid, and a blue vacuum flask with a white top.