



## Safety Gate: Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products

Alert number	0493/09
Category	Electrical appliances and equipment
Type of alert	Products with serious risks
Product user	Consumer
Product	Hair-styler/curler
Brand	VALERA
Name	
Type / number of model	Model Slim Style, item no. 614.01, code no. 56140102
Batch number / Barcode	
OECD Portal Category	
Description	Valera Slim Style silver and black hair-curler set and brush, production codes 0801, 0802 and 0816.
Country of origin	China
Alert submitted by	Greece
Risk type	Electric shock
Risk	The product poses a risk of electric shock because, with time, the plastic on the screw domes deteriorate and become fragile. Therefore, if a certain pressure is applied, the handle of the appliance may open and when the plug of the cord is inserted in the mains supply, live parts may be accessible to the user. The product does not comply with the Low Voltage Directive.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Voluntary withdrawal from the market and recall from consumers by the importer
Images	<p>The images show the Valera hair-curler set, including a brush, a hair-curler, and the product packaging. The packaging is labeled with the following information: Valera 12 CURLER-SET+BRUSH, TYPE 614.01, SLIM-STYLE, CODE 56140102, Made in China. There is also a CE mark on the packaging.</p>