



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

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| Alert number | 0723/11 |
| Category | Motor vehicles |
| Type of alert | Products with serious risks |
| Product user | Consumer |
| Product | Passenger car "Mazda 3" and "Mazda3 MPS" |
| Brand | Mazda |
| Name | |
| Type / number of model | The recall affects vehicles, produced from 7 January 2008 through 22 December 2008. Affected VIN range: JMZ BK1*** 01 714164 – 828410 JMZ BK1*** 81 714210 – 754177 JMZ BK14** 91 754182 – 828411 JM7 BK3*6* 81 421327 – 427505 JM7 BK3*6* 91 433444 – 464116 Note: The asterisk symbol "*" can be any letter or number. |
| Batch number / Barcode | |
| OECD Portal Category | |
| Description | Passenger car |
| Country of origin | Japan |
| Alert submitted by | Greece |
| Risk type | Injuries |
| Risk | The ground terminal of the windscreen wiper motor may have been inadvertently bent during assembly. If this condition exists, then over time the electrical resistance of the motor circuit may increase up to a point which would result in the motor becoming inoperative. The loss of the front windscreen wiper function in adverse weather could potentially increase the risk of a crash. |
| Measures adopted by notifying country | Voluntary corrective action taken by the manufacturer. |
| Products were found and measures were taken also in | Germany, Hungary, The Netherlands, Bulgaria, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Slovenia, Estonia, Spain, Poland, Ireland, Sweden, Portugal, Lithuania |
| Images | No pictures are available |