



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

Alert number	A12/0796/19
Category	Kitchen/cooking accessories
Type of alert	Products with serious risks
Product user	Consumer
Product	Pressure cooker
Brand	TOWER
Name	Unknown
Type / number of model	DSS 22-4 (4 liter), DSS 22-5 (5 liter), DSS 22-7 (7 liter).
Batch number / Barcode	Unknown
OECD Portal Category	72000000 - Home Appliances
Description	Pressure cooker with a clamp-type closure mechanism. The product was sold online, in particular by Amazon.
Country of origin	China
Alert submitted by	France
Risk type	Burns, Injuries
Technical defect	The working pressure of the safety device and the mechanical resistance of the opening systems are inadequate.
Risk	If the lid is opened abruptly, the lid's gasket may be ejected from the lid causing hot liquid to shoot out of the pressure cooker. It is also possible that the upper part of the manometric rod may become partially detached and therefore the safe opening system no longer works properly. The product does not comply with the requirements of the Pressure Equipment Directive and the relevant European standard EN 12778.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Recall of the product from end users
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