



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

Alert number	A12/1300/14
Category	Toys
Type of alert	Products with serious risks
Product user	Consumer
Product	Children's snorkel
Brand	EXIS
Name	Swim snorkel
Type / number of model	Item No.:139Y
Batch number / Barcode	8427582013112
OECD Portal Category	86000000 - Toys / Games
Description	Blue plastic swim snorkel for children with black mouthpiece and pink top. Packaging: plastic colourless transparent bag, with blue-white dolphins and a blue cardboard label.
Country of origin	China
Alert submitted by	Greece
Risk type	Chemical
Risk	The product poses a chemical risk because its mouthpiece contains di-(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) above the permitted level (measured value up to 3.1% by weight) and di-'isononyl' phthalate (DINP) (measured values: 42.9 % by weight). According to the REACH Regulation the phthalates DEHP, DBP and BBP are prohibited in all toys and childcare articles, while phthalates DINP, DIDP and DNOP are prohibited in toys or childcare articles that can be placed in the mouth by children.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
Products were found and measures were taken also in	Sweden
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