

Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products

Alert number	A12/0144/16
Category	Clothing, textiles and fashion items
Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Product	Leather gloves
Brand	H&M
Name	Unknown
Type / number of model	3519/1; colour: light brown
Batch number / Barcode	08760503044186
OECD Portal Category	64000000 - Personal Accessories
Description	Light brown leather gloves for women with a 100% acrylic lining, sold without packaging.
Country of origin	China
Alert submitted by	Luxembourg
Risk type	Chemical
Risk	The amount of chromium (VI) found in the leather is too high (measured value 13.4 mg/kg). Chromium (VI) is sensitising and may trigger allergic reactions. The product does not comply with the REACH regulation.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Measures taken by economic operators: Withdrawal of the product from the market, Withdrawal of the product from the market (By: Distributor, Manufacturer) Measures ordered by public authorities: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures, Temporary ban on the supply, offer to supply and display of the product
Products were found and measures were taken also in	Belgium, Greece, Norway, Spain, The Netherlands
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