



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

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| Alert number                          | A12/0172/19  |
| Category                              | Chemical products  |
| Risk level                            | Serious risk   |
| Product user                          | Consumer   |
| Product                               | Tattoo ink   |
| Brand                                 | Eternal Ink  |
| Name                                  | ROSA - HOT PINK  |
| Type / number of model                | Unknown  |
| Batch number / Barcode                | Batch number 02/09/16  |
| OECD Portal Category                  | 53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene  |
| Description                           | Bottle of red tattoo ink   |
| Country of origin                     | United States  |
| Alert submitted by                    | Italy  |
| Risk type                             | Chemical   |
| Technical defect                      | The product contains the aromatic amine o-anisidine (measured value: 26 mg/kg).  |
| Risk                                  | This aromatic amine can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction. The Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008) <sup>1</sup> on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, recommends that aromatic amines with carcinogenic mutagenic, reprotoxic or sensitising properties should neither be present in tattoos and permanent make-up products nor released from azo-colourants. |
| Measures adopted by notifying country | Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures  |
| Images                                |  |