




<p>42 A12/0790/13</p>	<p>Germany</p>	<p>Category: Chemical products</p> <p>Product: Tattoo ink</p> <p>Brand: Universal Black</p> <p>Name: Sumi Black</p> <p>Type/number of model: Item Code 13296</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Use-by date: 12/2015</p> <p>OECD Portal Category: 53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene</p> <p>Description: Small glass bottle with screw cap; black liquid</p> <p>Country of origin: Unknown</p> <p>No pictures are available</p>	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH), with a benzo[a]pyrene content of 1151 µg/kg, which is classified as carcinogenic.</p> <p>According to the Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008) on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons may not exceed a certain concentration. The level of PAH detected in the sample exceeded that level.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures: Recall of the product from end users</p>	
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<p>32 A12/0724/13</p>	<p>Germany</p>	<p>Category: Chemical products</p> <p>Product: Tattoo ink</p> <p>Brand: Dragonhawk Tattoo</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: 1. True Magenta 2. Dark Red</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>OECD Portal Category: 53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene</p> <p>Description: Tattoo ink in a 1/4 oz. plastic bottle with dropper and protective caps.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains up to 1577 mg/kg of 4-methyl-m-phenylenediamine.</p> <p>According to the Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008) on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, the aromatic amines as 4-methyl-m-phenylenediamine with carcinogenic effects, should neither be present in tattoos and PMU products nor released from azo-colorants.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures: Import rejected at border</p>	
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<p>33 A12/0725/13</p>	<p>Germany</p>	<p>Category: Chemical products</p> <p>Product: Tattoo ink</p> <p>Brand: Classical Tattoo</p> <p>Name: Unknown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Red (Peach), 5 ml</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Unknown</p> <p>OECD Portal Category: 53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene</p> <p>Description: Tattoo ink in a opaque transparent plastic bottle with attached lid and spray nozzle with cap.</p> <p>Country of origin: China</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains up to 1331 mg/kg of 4-methyl-m-phenylenediamine.</p> <p>According to the Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008) on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, the aromatic amines as 4-methyl-m-phenylenediamine with carcinogenic effects, should neither be present in tattoos and PMU products nor released from azo-colorants.</p>	<p>Compulsory measures: Import rejected at border</p>	
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<p>16 A12/0684/13</p>	<p>Germany</p>	<p>Category: Chemical products</p> <p>Product: Tattoo ink</p> <p>Brand: Electric Ink</p> <p>Name: 4011 Light Brown</p> <p>Type/number of model: Article No 401130</p> <p>Batch number/Barcode: Batch: 2161</p> <p>OECD Portal Category: 53000000 - Beauty / Personal Care / Hygiene</p> <p>Description: Opaque brown liquid in small brown bottle with colour printing.</p> <p>Country of origin: Brazil</p> 	<p>Chemical</p> <p>The product poses a chemical risk because it contains a concentration of 710 mg/kg of 3.3'-d-dichlorobenzidine (aromatic amine).</p> <p>According to the Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008)¹ on requirements and criteria for the safety of tattoos and permanent make-up, aromatic amines such as 3.3'-d-dichlorobenzidine should not be present in tattoo ink.</p>	<p>Voluntary measures:</p> <p>Withdrawal of the product from the market</p>
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