



## The Rapid Alert System for Non-Food Products (RAPEX)

### Notification Reference: A12/0347/15

<b>Risk level</b>	Serious risk
<b>Product user</b>	Consumer
<b>Notifying country</b>	Germany
<b>Product category</b>	Jewellery
<b>Product</b>	Earrings
<b>Brand</b>	KiK
<b>Name</b>	4 pairs of ear studs
<b>Type/number of model</b>	Saison:214; WGR621; Color: gold
<b>Batch number/Barcode</b>	79772006211005500100; Batch No.: 064514
<b>OECD Portal Category</b>	64000000 - Personal Accessories
<b>Description</b>	A set of ear studs, consisting of four pairs: two pairs conical, two pairs round, of which one pair is black and one has a stone.
<b>Country of origin</b>	China
<b>Counterfeit</b>	
<b>Risk type</b>	Chemical
<b>Risk description</b>	The products release nickel above the permitted level (measured value: up to 1.46 µg/cm <sup>2</sup> /week). Nickel is a strong sensitizer and can cause allergic reactions if present in articles that come into direct and prolonged contact with the skin. The product does not comply with the REACH Regulation.
<b>Measures adopted by notifying country</b>	<b>Voluntary measures:</b> Withdrawal of the product from the market
<b>Products were found and measures were taken also in</b>	
<b>Images</b>	