



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

### Notification Reference: A12/1065/15

<b>Risk level</b>	Serious risk
<b>Product user</b>	Consumer
<b>Notifying country</b>	Germany
<b>Product category</b>	Toys
<b>Product</b>	Fancy-dress costume
<b>Brand</b>	Famowesta
<b>Name</b>	Mitternachts-Hexe ("Midnight witch")
<b>Type/number of model</b>	Art. Nr. 15770
<b>Batch number/Barcode</b>	4009384157702
<b>OECD Portal Category</b>	86000000 - Toys / Games
<b>Description</b>	Fancy-dress costume set for children, including a foldable black hat, a black and orange robe, two black belts, a set of vampire teeth, packed separately, 10 stick-on artificial black fingernails/claws, a long plastic nose with a wart attached to an elastic band and a short, thick plastic nose. Sample's size: 152 (12-14 years).
<b>Country of origin</b>	India
<b>Counterfeit</b>	
<b>Risk type</b>	Chemical
<b>Risk description</b>	The nose in the fancy-dress costume set contains di-isononylphthalate (DINP) (measured value 23 % by weight) and di-2-ethylhexyl (DEHP) (measured value 1.4% by weight). DEHP may harm the health of children, causing possible damage to the reproductive system. 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.
<b>Measures adopted by notifying country</b>	<b>Voluntary measures:</b> Withdrawal of the product from the market, Destruction of the product
<b>Products were found and measures were taken also in</b>	
<b>Images</b>	