

Alert number **[A12/0566/18](#)**Product **Tattoo ink**Risk type **Chemical**

The product contains the aromatic amines toluidine and anisidine (measured values: 23 mg/kg and 24 mg/kg respectively).

Aromatic amines can cause cancer, cell mutations and affect reproduction. The Council of Europe Resolution ResAP (2008)¹ 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. The product does not comply with the national legislation.

Category **Chemical products**Type **Consumer**Description **Bottle of yellow tattoo ink**Brand **World Famous Tattoo ink**Name **GREAT WALL YELLOW**Batch number **WFGWY 161804**Weekly report number **Report-2018-016**Alert submitted by **Italy**Is the product counterfeit? **No**

Country of origin **United States**

Measures ordered by public authorities **Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
Importer**

Date of entry into force **19/03/2018**