Product Safety Re

Skeleton Zombie Plush		
Aspect	Details	
Images		
Alert Number	2305-0006	
Product Type	Toys – Plush Toy	
Product Identifiers	Brand name and model number were not provided, meaning there are no additional product identifiers.	
Product Description	Soft-filled 'skeleton zombie' character plush contained in a plastic bag. The bag bore a sticker which was marked inter alia with an age and small parts warning with respect to children under three years of age. There was no labelling or marking present on the toy itself and no CE/UKCA mark was present.	
Country of Origin	China	
Counterfeit	Unknown	
Risk Level	Serious	
Risk Type	Chemical	
Risk Description	The product presents a serious chemical risk as the suction cups contain excessive concentrations of phthalates. When tested, it was found to contain $0.2 \pm 0.01\%$ DEHP, giving a potential range of $0.19 - 0.21\%$ DEHP. The sample therefore exceeds the specified maximum limit of 0.1% by mass of the plasticised material, as the sum of the four phthalates. A young child playing with the product is exposed to the phthalates which can potentially harm a child's health via cancer or non-cancer effects. The product also does not possess the required markings and labelling. The product does not meet the requirements of the REACH Regulations 2008 or the Toys (Safety) Regulations 2011.	
Corrective Measures	The import has been rejected at the border and destroyed.	
Online Marketplace	N/A	
Notifier	Local Authority Trading Standards	