

## **Product Recall**

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NEWAO Life Jacket	
Aspect	Details
Images	NEWAO®
Alert Number	2310-0063
Product Type	Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) – Life Jacket
Product Identifiers	Brand: NEWAO WISH ID: 5e59fc1b77e4f9004027c498 Listing name: 'Adult Water Sports Life Jacket Lifesaving Buoyancy Vest Motorboat Fishing Life Vest Surfing Crash Jacket'
Product Description	Dark blue personal flotation device with light blue colour panels and white text logo on front and back. Side entry with neoprene fabric, side plastic zipper closure with Velcro tab and double 38mm black webbing waist strap with black plastic buckle closures.
Country of Origin	China
Counterfeit	No
Risk Level	Serious
Risk Type	Drowning
Risk Description	The product has been assessed as presenting a serious risk of drowning. The product was advertised as a life jacket, but once purchased was identified as a buoyancy aid (which does not provide the same level of protection).  The product was not supplied with the required compliance documentation or markings to demonstrate that they have been adequately conformity assessed. Mandatory third-party conformity assessment by a body authorised for PPE is required by the relevant Regulations for those products which protect against more serious risks, the absence of such independent assessment for such a product may increase the risk to the consumer that the product may not perform as expected when relied upon as a buoyancy aid.  The product does not meet the requirements of Regulation (EU) 2016/425 on Personal Protective Equipment or the Personal Protective Equipment (Enforcement) Regulations 2018.
Corrective Measures	OPSS has required that the products are recalled from end users.  Owners are advised to cease use of the product and contact the distributor they purchased from to request redress.

The OPSS Product Safety Alerts, Reports and Recalls Site can be accessed at the following link: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/guidance/product-recalls-and-alerts">https://www.gov.uk/guidance/product-recalls-and-alerts</a>



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Online Marketplace	Wish – The listing has been removed by the online marketplace.
Notifier	Office for Product Safety and Standards