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| Omouboi Life Jacket | |
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| Aspect | Details |
| Images | <image/> |
| Alert Number | 2311-0109 |
| Product Type | Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) – Life Jacket |
| Product Identifiers | Brand: Omouboi ASIN: B09YXTYJBT Listing name: 'Naucwe Inflatable Snorkel Life Jacket Vest for Adult Men Women Fit 88-220lbs Swimming Float Vest for Kayak Diving Snorkeling Canoeing Water Sport Fishing,One Size , blue' Blue centre front zip with lower 25mm waistbelt and centre fastening plastic |
| Product Description | buckle closure, additional crotch/leg strap supplied separately and can be fitted. |
| 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). When tested, the product did not meet the level of buoyancy required of a buoyancy aid, and therefore may not have performed as expected when relied upon. The product also requires improvements to marking, labelling and documentation. 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. |
| Online Marketplace | Amazon – The listing has been removed by the online marketplace. |
| Notifier | Office for Product Safety and Standards |

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