Product Safety Report

Tool Battery Charger, BAT038	
Aspect	Details
Images	<image/>
PSD Number	2403-0198
Product Type	Electrical appliances and equipment - Tool Battery Charger
Product Identifiers	SKU: 04-05-04-UK eBay item number: 225904653993 eBay listing name: UK Charger for BAT038 BAT048 BAT043 BAT045 7.2V 12V 14.4V Ni-CD Ni-MH Battery
Product Description	A black, rectangular battery charger for various Bosch tools with a wall plug.
Country of Origin	China
Counterfeit	Unknown
Risk Level	High
Risk Type	Electric shock
Risk Description	The product presents a high risk of electric shock as it failed the electric strength test. The insulation broke down when the 3000 V test voltage was applied between the input and the output. The flashover occurred between the capacitor and the transformer. If the product became live, the user would receive an electric shock when trying to remove the product from the charger. The instructions were considered to be inadequate as they did not contain sufficient information to ensure the correct and safe use of the equipment and some of the required documentation and markings were not present. The product does not meet the requirements of the Electrical Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016.
Corrective Measures	The import has been rejected at the border and destroyed.
Online Marketplace	eBay – The listing has been removed by the online marketplace.
Notifier	Local Authority Trading Standards.

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