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Product Safety Report

Italmecc Air Box 2100	
Aspect	**Details**
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PSD Number	2412-0024
Product Type	Machinery - Water Backed Booth LEV System
Product Identifiers	Brand: Italmecc Model/type: Air Box 2100
Product Description	A water backed booth LEV system designed to capture and filter dust produced during stone processing.
Country of Origin	Italy
Counterfeit	No
Risk Level	High
Risk Type	Health risk
Risk Description	Product instructions did not include adequate instructions for installation, specifically, the requirement for ducting extracted air to outside. When used in accordance with the instructions without being ducted to outside, the machine did not effectively control exposure to hazardous substances generated during the intended use of the machine, including respirable dust. This was of particular concern when used to control dust generated by processing materials containing respirable crystalline silica (RCS). Exposure to RCS posed a serious health risk. This product did not meet the requirements of the Supply of Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008.
Corrective Measures	Italmecc S.R.L. stopped supply in GB until the machine instructions were updated and brought into compliance. This corrective action is now complete. The GB supplier provides additional information to persons supplied regarding the installation of ducting with this machine and have agreed to continue to do this, unless alternative equally effective measures are determined by the manufacturer. Users of these machines should ensure that they are ducted to outside when used to control exposure to substances hazardous to health, or use other equally effective measures. Users are to contact their supplier if they have not received a copy of the updated Instructions.

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Online Marketplace	N/A
Notifier	Health and Safety Executive