



Safety Gate: Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products

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Alert number	A12/0038/16
Category	Motor vehicles
Type of alert	Products with serious risks
Product user	Consumer
Product	Motorcycle
Brand	Honda
Name	VFR1200F/FD and VFR1200X/XD
Type / number of model	VFR1200F/FD (Model code: SC63 and SC71) and VFR1200X/XD (Model code: SC70).
Batch number / Barcode	Production period: 02/03/2010 - 02/09/2015.
OECD Portal Category	77000000 - Automotive
Description	Motorcycle
Country of origin	Japan
Alert submitted by	Portugal
Risk type	Injuries
Risk	The drive shaft universal joint bearing may not have been properly assembled and, even if properly assembled, may not be sufficiently durable as a result of manufacturing errors. As a consequence, the universal joint may, in the worst case, break and interfere with the swing arm causing the rear wheel to lock-up. This may result in a crash.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Recall of the product from end users
Products were found and measures were taken also in	Bulgaria, Croatia, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, United Kingdom
Images	No pictures are available