

Case number **A12/00341/22**

Product (what the product is) **Particle filter mask**



Name (on the product or the packaging) **Protective FFP2 NR Face Masks**

Brand (on the product or the packaging) **• Boots**

OECD Portal category (if known) **85000000 - Safety / Protection - DIY**

Is the product (also) sold online? **Yes - Other**

Professional product? **No**

Product Recall

Type/number of model **FC-F2E**

Batch number **15B21**

Bar code **5045092924624**

Product description **White particle filter masks branded 'Boots', sold in packs of 5 items. The masks have the CE marking embossed. Product sold online.**

Packaging description **The product is sold in a dark blue cardboard box, marked with FFP2 and the European standard EN149, and further in an individual pouch; the CE marking is also present.**

Is the product counterfeit? **No**

Is this notification linked to a Business Gateway case?

Type of risk **Health risk / other**

Risk description (technical defect and consequences)

The particle/filter retention of the material (measured values: as low as 66%) and the total filtration capacity of the mask (measured mean values: as low as 44%) are insufficient. Consequently, the product does not fulfil the health and safety requirements; thus, even if combined with other recommended measures, it may not properly protect.

Legal provisions (at EU level) and European standards against which the product was tested and did not comply

The product does not comply with the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Regulation and with the European standard EN 149.

(Overall) risk level **Serious**

Product category **Protective equipment**

Measures **Voluntary measures**

Manufacturer

**Stop of sales
04/10/2021**

Voluntary measures

Importer

**Stop of sales
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Year

2022

Country of origin

Egypt

Alert submitted by

Ireland