



The Rapid Alert System for Non-Food Products (RAPEX)

Notification Reference: A12/0192/16

Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Notifying country	United Kingdom
Product category	Other
Product	Aluminium ladder
Brand	DIY Essentials
Name	Telescopic ladder
Type/number of model	Item number: 310229 Z078A
Batch number/Barcode	5038037391650
OECD Portal Category	80000000 - Tools / Equipment - Hand
Description	Aluminium extending telescopic ladder, 3.2 metres, 10 rungs, 10 sections, width 48.5cm, depth 8cm, height 318 cm, weight 9.4kg. The product is supplied in cardboard box.
Country of origin	China
Counterfeit	
Risk type	Injuries
Risk description	The ladder does not have sufficient mechanical strength and can break during use, leading the user to fall from a height. The product does not comply with the relevant European standard EN 131.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Compulsory measures: Ban on the marketing of the product and any accompanying measures
Products were found and measures were taken also in	
Images	