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FDA Advisory

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Center for Cosmetic Regulation and Research

**Subject : FDA ORDERS BAN AND SEIZURE OF SIXTEEN UNAUTHORIZED COSMETIC PRODUCTS FROM THE MARKET**

Upon verification of the Center for Cosmetic Regulation and Research (CCRR) records, sixteen (16) cosmetic products, mostly from China, that are proliferating in the market have no market authorization from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The FDA has not received any application or issued any certificate of cosmetic notification in conformance with the ASEAN Cosmetic Directive (ACD) and FDA rules and regulations.

The FDA hereby declares that the following cosmetic products are unsafe and pose imminent danger or injury to consumers because they were not manufactured in compliance with the standards and requirements of the Code of current Good Manufacturing Practice or cGMP, and orders their ban or seizure from public sale or distribution:

1. Baiyansu Three-in-One Whitening Set
2. Beauty Girl Green Cucumber 6 Days Double Whitening Soft Essence Cream
3. Bihuayn Whitening Day Cream
4. Care Skin Strong Whitening and Spot Removing Package
5. Gakadi Freckle Removing Cream
6. Huayuenong 12 Days Whitening and Speckle Removing Wrecking Set
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8. White Advance Hydroxytyrosol L-Glutathione Whitening and Anti-Aging Cream
9. Yudiantang Ginseng and Green Cucumber 10 Days Whitening Speckles Removed Essence
10. Yudiantang Green Olive & Papaya Natural Essence 6 Days Specific Eliminating Freckle Whitening Sun Block Cream
11. Yudiantang Sea Pearl and Papaya 6 Days Specific Eliminating Freckle Whitening Cream
12. Specific Eliminating Freckle Spot and Double Whitening Sun Block Cream
13. Yudiantang 10 Days Whitening Speckles Removed Essence, with picture of a cow and papaya
14. Ziyang Day Cream
15. Whitening Cream, with the rest of the label in Chinese characters
16. Label in Chinese characters, gold package with picture of red flower with 3 green leaves

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These products may contain levels of heavy metals, like lead, cadmium, mercury, and arsenic, beyond the allowable limits based on the ASEAN standards. Continuous use of these products may cause adverse or allergic reactions that can result to severe or irreversible skin problem.

The public is hereby advised to use only products that are notified and acknowledged by the FDA and to carefully read the labels of cosmetic products before buying them. All FDA authorized cosmetic products in the market should bear on the label, at least the following information: a) name and address of the local company, b) full ingredient listing, c) batch code, and d) date of manufacture or expiration date.

To verify if a cosmetic product has been issued a certificate of notification, consumers may visit the FDA website at <http://www.fda.gov.ph>. To report any adverse reactions from using cosmetic products, please email us at [report@fda.gov.ph](mailto:report@fda.gov.ph).

  
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