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TO: GENERAL CONSUMING PUBLIC

SUBJECT: Public Health Warning Against the Use of Unnotified Cosmetic Products (Batch 28)

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) advises the public against the purchase and use of the following unnotified cosmetic products whose particulars/details are provided in the attached annex:

1. **BABY KINGDOM® BABY SKINCARE WIPES MILK FLAVOR**
2. **NIVEA VISAGE FACIAL CLEANSING WIPES**
3. **UNIFRESH BABY WIPES**
4. **BABY'S CHOICE MOIST BABY WIPES**
5. **BABY WIPES FRESH SCENTED**
6. **QINQIN BABY GROW WIPES**
7. **DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON WOMAN (GREEN)**
8. **DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON WOMAN (PINK)**
9. **DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON WOMAN (YELLOW)**
10. **DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON (GRAY)**
11. **NYX MATTE LIPSTICK RED COFFEE 12**
12. **TOO FACED MELTED MATTE LIQUIFIED MATTE LONG WEAR LIPSTICK**
13. **WET WIPES (IN FOREIGN CHARACTERS)**

FDA post-marketing surveillance (PMS) activities have verified that the abovementioned cosmetic products have not gone through the verification process of the agency and have not been issued the proper authorization in the form of acknowledged cosmetic notifications. Pursuant to Republic Act No. 9711, otherwise known as the "Food and Drug Administration Act of 2009", the manufacture, importation, exportation, sale, offering for sale, distribution, transfer, non-consumer use, promotion, advertising or sponsorship of health products without the proper authorization from FDA is prohibited.

Accordingly, because unnotified cosmetic products have not gone through the verification process of the FDA, the agency cannot guarantee their quality and safety. The use of such violative products may pose potential health hazards to the consuming public. Potential hazards may come from ingredients that are not allowed to be part of a cosmetic product or from the contamination of heavy metals such as mercury especially in whitening cosmetic products. The use of substandard and possibly adulterated cosmetic products may result to adverse reactions including but not limited to skin irritation, itchiness, anaphylactic shock and organ failure.



In light of the above, the public is advised not to purchase the aforementioned violative products. Moreover, the public is also advised to be vigilant against cosmetic products that might not be duly notified with FDA. Always check if a cosmetic product has been notified with FDA before purchasing it by making use of the embedded *Search* feature of the FDA website accessible at www.fda.gov.ph.

All concerned establishments are warned not to distribute the above-identified violative cosmetic products until they have already been covered by the appropriate authorization (cosmetic notification), otherwise, regulatory actions and sanctions shall be strictly pursued.

All Local Government Units (LGUs) and Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs) are requested to ensure that these products are not sold or made available in their localities or areas of jurisdiction.

For more information and inquiries, please e-mail us at info@fda.gov.ph. To report continuous sale or distribution of the above unnotified cosmetic products, utilize our online reporting facility, **eReport**, at www.fda.gov.ph/ereport, or e-mail us via report@fda.gov.ph, or call us at the Center for Cosmetics Regulation and Research (CCRR) hotline **(02) 857-1979** or **(02) 857-1984**.

Dissemination of the information to all concerned is requested.


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ANNEX
Details on the Unnotified Cosmetic Products

1	PRODUCT NAME BABY KINGDOM® BABY SKINCARE WIPES MILK FLAVOR	PRODUCT DETAILS Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Magnabros Marketing Corporation	PRODUCT IMAGE/S
		Address: Binondo Manila City, Philippines Country of Manufacture: China	
2	NIVEA VISAGE FACIAL CLEANSING WIPES	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated Address: Not Indicated Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated	
3	UNIFRESH BABY WIPES	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Unitop Int'l Group Inc. Address: Unitop Building #242 Sevilla St. cor. Jaboneros St. Binondo Manila, Philippines Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated	
4	BABY'S CHOICE MOIST BABY WIPES	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated Address: Not Indicated Country of Manufacture: China	
5	BABY WIPES FRESH SCENTED	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated Address: Not Indicated Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated	

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6	QINQIN BABY GROW WIPES	<p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated</p> <p>Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p>	
7	DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON WOMAN (GREEN)	<p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: UQlean Incorporated</p> <p>Address: State Center Bldg., 333 Juan Luna St., Binondo Manila</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p>	
8	DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON WOMAN (PINK)	<p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: UQlean Incorporated</p> <p>Address: State Center Bldg., 333 Juan Luna St., Binondo Manila</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p>	
9	DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON WOMAN (YELLOW)	<p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: UQlean Incorporated</p> <p>Address: State Center Bldg., 333 Juan Luna St., Binondo Manila</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p>	
10	DIFRESH DEO ROLL ON (GRAY)	<p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: UQlean Incorporated</p> <p>Address: State Center Bldg., 333 Juan Luna St., Binondo Manila</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p>	

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11	NYX MATTE LIPSTICK RED COFFEE 12	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated Address: Not Indicated Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated	
12	TOO FACED MELTED MATTE LIQUIFIED MATTE LONG WEAR LIPSTICK	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated Address: Not Indicated Country of Manufacture: United States of America (U.S.A.)	
13	WET WIPES (IN FOREIGN CHARACTERS)	Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Not Indicated Address: Not Indicated Country of Manufacture: Japan	