



FDA ADVISORY  
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**TO: GENERAL CONSUMING PUBLIC**

**SUBJECT: Public Health Warning Against the Use of Unnotified Cosmetic Products Containing Banned Ingredient/s (Batch 1)**

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) advises the public against the purchase and use of the following adulterated cosmetic products which tested positive for the presence of **HYDROQUINONE** and **TRETINOIN**, ingredients that are not allowed to be part of a cosmetic (refer to the attached annex for the product particulars/details):

1. **SKIN MAGICAL REJUVENATING CREAM NO. 1**
2. **SKIN MAGICAL REJUVENATING FACIAL TONER NO. 1**
3. **I COSMETICA SKIN CARE ENTERPRISE REJUVENATING TONER**
4. **I COSMETICA SKIN CARE ENTERPRISE REJUVENATING CREAM**
5. **NEW BRILLIANT SKIN ESSENTIAL REJUVENATING FACIAL TONER**
6. **SPEAKS G SKIN ESSENTIAL BRIGHTENING REJUVENATING TONER**
7. **COSMETIC BUFFET BLEACHING CREAM**
8. **COSMETIC BUFFET REJUVENATING TONER**

Products containing Hydroquinone and/or Tretinoin (Retinoic Acid) shall be classified as home remedy, over-the-counter, or prescription drug depending on the amount present as per Administrative Order No. 13 s. 1999.

Accordingly, because these products are not compliant with the existing standards, consumers should be vigilant against their purchase and use. The use of these products can pose potential health hazards to the consuming public and 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](http://www.fda.gov.ph).

All concerned establishments are warned not to distribute the above-identified violative cosmetic products, 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](mailto:info@fda.gov.ph). To report continuous sale or distribution of the above violative cosmetic products, utilize our online reporting facility, **eReport**, at [www.fda.gov.ph/ereport](http://www.fda.gov.ph/ereport), or e-mail us via [report@fda.gov.ph](mailto:report@fda.gov.ph), or call us at the Center for Cosmetics Regulation and Research (CCRR) hotline **(02) 857-1900** local **8113** or **8107**.

Dissemination of the information to all concerned is requested.



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**ANNEX**  
Details on the Unnotified Cosmetic Products

<b>PRODUCT NAME</b>	<b>PRODUCT DETAILS</b>	<b>PRODUCT IMAGE/S</b>
<p><b>1 SKIN MAGICAL REJUVENATING CREAM NO. 1</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Skin Magical Beauty Products Trading</p> <p>Address: 820 Tomas Claudio, Brgy. San Pedro, Morong, Rizal, Philippines</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p> <p>Lot/Batch Number: SM:00004</p>	
<p><b>2 SKIN MAGICAL REJUVENATING FACIAL TONER NO. 1</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Skin Magical Beauty Products Trading</p> <p>Address: 820 Tomas Claudio, Brgy. San Pedro, Morong, Rizal, Philippines</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p> <p>Lot/Batch Number: SM: 00002</p>	
<p><b>3 I COSMETICA SKIN CARE ENTERPRISE REJUVENATING TONER</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <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> <p>Lot/Batch Number: Not Indicated</p>	

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<p>4 <b>I COSMETICA SKIN CARE ENTERPRISE REJUVENATING CREAM</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <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> <p>Lot/Batch Number: 012132013</p>	
<p>5 <b>NEW BRILLIANT SKIN ESSENTIAL REJUVENATING FACIAL TONER</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Brilliant Skin Essentials</p> <p>Address: 2F Natividad St., San Pedro, Morong, Rizal</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Philippines</p> <p>Lot/Batch Number: RC100600128</p>	
<p>6 <b>SPEAKS G SKIN ESSENTIAL BRIGHTENING REJUVENATING TONER</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Speaks G Skin Essentials Product Enterprise</p> <p>Address: Unit 6, Leovino Commercial Bldg., Brgy. San Roque, Circumferential Rd., Antipolo</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Not Indicated</p> <p>Lot/Batch Number: SG: 00004</p>	

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<p>7 <b>COSMETIC BUFFET BLEACHING CREAM</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Cosmetic Buffet</p> <p>Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Philippines</p> <p>Lot/Batch Number: Not Indicated</p>	
<p>8 <b>COSMETIC BUFFET REJUVENATING TONER</b></p>	<p>Manufactured by: Not Indicated</p> <p>Manufacturer's Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Local Company Responsible for Placing the Product in the Market: Cosmetic Buffet</p> <p>Address: Not Indicated</p> <p>Country of Manufacture: Philippines</p> <p>Lot/Batch Number: Not Indicated</p>	