

Rapid Alert System for dangerous non-food products

Alert number	A12/1887/14
Category	Motor vehicles
Risk level	Serious risk
Product user	Consumer
Product	Passenger car
Brand	Nissan
Name	Qashqai
Type / number of model	Model: Qashqai (J11). Type Approval No. e11*2007/46*0963*00.
Batch number / Barcode	The recall concerns vehicles, produced from 19/07/2013 to 17/10/2014 and supplied with a Thule/SK tow bar.
OECD Portal Category	77000000 - Automotive
Description	Passenger car.
Country of origin	United Kingdom
Alert submitted by	Greece
Risk type	Injuries
Risk	The bolted joints fixing the tow-bar kit to the chassis of the vehicle may loosen under specific towing conditions. This is due to non-removal of vehicle under-body wax and/or insufficient torque applied to the bolted joints. In an extreme situation, where the vehicle continues to be driven with loose bolted joints under specific towing conditions, the tow-bar kit may detach from the vehicle.
Measures adopted by notifying country	Measures taken by economic operators: Recall of the product from end users
Products were found and measures were taken also in	Croatia, Denmark, Finland, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Malta, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, The Netherlands, United Kingdom
Images	No pictures available