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## Product Recall Information Notice on non compliant olive oil

Hellenic Food Authority (EFET) and more specifically its Regional Directorate of Central Macedonia, and in collaboration with the B' Chemical Service of Thessaloniki, found out that four olive oil products, which have been distributed in the market with the label "EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL" were characterized as "SUNFLOWER ARTIFICIALLY COLOURED" following relevant laboratory analysis.

The implicated olive oil products are the following:

- A) Product with the trade name "**ELAIODENTRO**" (in Greek: «**ΕΛΑΙΟΔΕΝΤΡΟ**»), in 5 L package and best before date 31-12-2015. The product bears also the additional labeling information "GRYPAKIS NIKOLAOS KALAMATA" (in Greek: «ΓΡΥΠΑΚΗΣ ΝΙΚΟΛΑΟΣ ΚΑΛΑΜΑΤΑ»).
- B) Product with the trade name "**FRYNI**" (in Greek: «**ΦPYNH**»), in 5 L package and best before date 31-12-2015. The product bears also the additional labeling information "KONTOGIORGIS ANTONIS SOUGIA CHANION" (in Greek: «ΚΟΝΤΟΓΙΩΡΓΗΣ ΑΝΤΩΝΗΣ ΣΟΥΓΙΑ ΧΑΝΙΩΝ»).
- C) Product with the trade name "**IRA**" (in Greek: «**HPA**»), in 5 L package and best before date 31-12-2015. The product bears also the additional labeling information "PAPADOPOULOU ELENI PHARON 84 KALAMATA)" (in Greek: «ΠΑΠΑΔΟΠΟΥΛΟΥ ΕΛΕΝΗ ΦΑΡΩΝ 84 ΚΑΛΑΜΑΤΑ»).
- D) Product with the trade name "**DAFNI**" (in Greek: "**ΔΑΦΝΗ**") in 5 L package and best before date 31-12-2015. The product bears also the additional labeling information

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"GRYPAKIS NIKOLAOS - KALAMATA" (in Greek: «ΓΡΥΠΑΚΗΣ ΝΙΚΟΛΑΟΣ – ΚΑΛΑΜΑΤΑ»).

EFET requested the immediate recall / withdrawal of the above products from the internal market as non compliant to legislation and adulterated. Relevant controls are in progress. In addition relevant procedures have been initiated in order to imply administrative fines according to legislation.

Consumers who have in their possession the aforementioned products (photos given below) are asked **not to consume them**.









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