NAIL SALON GUIDANCE CHART - 2021 v1.0 for nail related cosmetics products only

Regulation EC No 1223/2009 on cosmetic products

The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

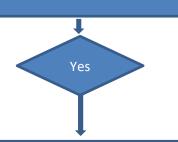


Is it a cosmetic nail product? i.e. a substance or mixture intended for contact with the skin or nails for the purpose of Product is not subject to the cosmetics directive No Cleaning Changing appearance Protecting but maybe subject to **REACH and CLP** (False nails that are already formed in a nail shape and are attached to the regulations or medicines natural nail by glue are not classed as cosmetic products, neither is the glue) control regime Yes Seek regulatory advice from Business Companion website or **HSE or MHRA** Is the container, AND any packaging labelled with these? 1. Name and address within the UK of the responsible person Symbols on cosmetic products 2. Country of origin if not an UK product 3. A weight or volume indication if the contents exceed 5ml or 5g 4. Date of minimum durability -For products with a shelf life of up to 30 months the words 'best used before the end of' or the hourglass symbol must be used with a month and year or a day month and year For products with a shelf life over 30 months a date is not mandatory but Period after Hourglass Reference to there shall be an indication of how many months or years after opening opening symbol symbol enclosed or attached the product can be used without harm by means of the period after information symbol opening symbol followed by the period (unless durability after opening is irrelevant) 5. Particular precautions to be observed in use and any special information for professional use products (see note at end of this section) Products should not be on 6. The function of the product unless this is clear by way of presentation the market and can be 7. A batch number or reference number to identify the product (this may be seized. Distributor should on the packaging only if not practical due to small size of product) be able to produce records under Article 7 Ingredients - a list of ingredients headed 'ingredients' must be present but can be on the packaging only. Where it is impossible for practical reasons to label the ingredients then it may appear on an enclosed or attached leaflet, label, tag, tape

on the packaging only. Where it is impossible for practical reasons to label the ingredients then it may appear on an enclosed or attached leaflet, label, tag, tape or card provided the reference symbol is used. If the product is too small for such a method to be used then it can appear on a notice close to the container in which the products is exposed for sale.

Where it is impossible for practical reasons to label the information in point 5 on the container then it may appear on an enclosed or attached leaflet, label, tag, tape or card provided the reference symbol is used on the container or packaging

(Symbol chart shown to right)



Check ingredients listed for banned or restricted substances

Banned from all products - e.g. Formaldehyde, Dibutyl phthalate Restricted substances See below

- 1. Nail varnishes / products (Max 2% Dimethylol ethylene thiourea, max 25% Toluene)
- 2. Nail hardening products (max 2% hydrogen peroxide, max 5% Formaldehyde,)
- 3. Artificial nail systems (max 0.02% hydroquinone after mixing for use, max 0.7% Benzoyl peroxide after mixing for use, max 0.02% p-Hydroxyanisol after mixing for use)
- 4. Nail cuticle solvent (max 5% Potassium hydroxide/ sodium hydroxide)
- 5. Nail cleaning products prior to artificial nail applications (max 0.3% Triclosan)

Were the goods imported directly from outside the UK by the nail salon operator?

Yes

The importer is
the RESPONSIBLE
PERSON and must
have fulfilled their
obligations under
Article 5 (PIF,
safety assessment,

CPNP registration

etc.)

Every distributor in the supply chain must fulfil their Article 6 obligations and provide records of traceability under Article 7