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White Rabbit Candy recalled because of melamine

Oregon health officials are warning consumers to avoid eating White Rabbit Candy because it may be contaminated with the chemical melamine.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration reported that the candy, imported from China, is distributed to retail stores in Oregon and Washington as well as California, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, New York and Texas.

The distributor, QFCO Inc., of Burlingame, Calif., has voluntarily recalled the product.

The recall is an outgrowth of widespread melamine contamination in Chinese food products made with tainted milk.

White Rabbit Creamy Candy is sold in 8- or 16-oz. packages. All other flavors of White Rabbit Candy, including Assorted (Chocolate, Coconut, and Coffee), Red Bean, Coffee, Corn, Lychee, Mango and Strawberry are sold in 7-oz. packages. All packaging has a logo of a white rabbit on the front with the words "White Rabbit."

The FDA reported that no illnesses have been associated with the candy to date.

Consumers who have purchased White Rabbit Candy are urged to return it to the place of purchase for a full refund or discard it in their trash. Consumers with questions may contact the company at (650) 697-6633.

For more information about FDA recall announcements go to the Web at:
<http://www.fda.gov/opacom/7alerts.HTML>



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