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**PRESS RELEASE**

**Product Recall Information Notice on  
«Transparent wrapping film»**

Hellenic Food Authority (EFET) and more specifically its Regional Directorate of Thessaly, following Official Control Program for Food Contact Materials proceeded to official sampling of a transparent wrapping film used as food contact material, in collaboration with the 4<sup>th</sup> (in Greek "Δ' ") Chemical Service of Athens of General Chemical State Laboratory.

The product showed total migration above the maximum permitted level for its use in contact with margarine, butter and bakery products in the form of paste containing fatty substances in their surface. The product being recalled is "Transparent wrapping film" (in Greek: "Διαφανής μεμβράνη περιτυλίγματος 70 m + 30 m ΔΩΡΟ"), with trade name "SANTORA", in package of 70 meters (containing 70 meters and extra 30 meters of product), which is produced and packaged in Turkey on behalf of "METRO A.E.V.E.", Sorou 1 14451, Metamorfoosi (in Greek: "METRO A.E.B.E., Σώρου 1 14451 Μεταμόρφωση").

EFET requested the immediate recall/withdrawal of the above product by the above mentioned company. Relevant controls are in progress.

Consumers who have in their possession the aforementioned product (photo below) are asked not to use it as wrapping material for margarine, butter and bakery products in the form of paste containing fatty substances in their surface.

