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PRESS RELEASE

Product Recall

“Cooked Pariza NIKAS for toast from fresh pork meat”

EFET has sampled cooked pariza (salami) with the trade name “Cooked Pariza NIKAS for toast from fresh pork meat” (in Greek: “Πάριζα ΝΙΚΑΣ για τوست βραστή από φρέσκο χοιρινό κρέας”) after official control based on complaint.

The sample originated from a 3.45 kg package (stick-shaped salami) (in Greek: “μπαστούνι”, pronounced: “bastouni”), with best before date: 21.6.2013, produced / packaged by NIKAS AVEE company based at the 22nd km of the Athens - Lamia National Road, Agios Stefanos (in Greek: “ΝΙΚΑΣ ΑΒΕΕ”). Horse DNA was detected in the aforementioned product based on laboratory analysis (< 1% and > 0.1% of the total DNA).

EFET requested immediate recall / withdrawal of the total of the above product by the company and further controls are under way in all directions to protect consumers.