

## **Press Release**

Nantes, 28<sup>th</sup> may 2019

Maisons du Monde recalls the ICE CREAM CANDLES referenced 192086 and ICE CREAM MONEY BOX referenced 192687 which may present a risk of ingestion and a danger of suffocation due to the presence of detachable elements.



As a security measure, MAISONS DUMONDE asks its customers who have bought these items to bring them back to the Maisons du Monde store of their choice for a full refund.

The safety of our customers being a priority, Maisons du Monde has also withdrawn the sale of these products, in stores and on its website.

For more information, we invite you to contact Customer Service (free service and call) :

- France: 0 800 80 40 20
- Belgium (French): 080 07 59 63
- Belgium (Dutch): 080 07 59 63
- Luxembourg: 800 25 460
- Switzerland (French): 0800 83 66 05
- Switzerland (German): 0800 83 66 05
- Switzerland (Italian): 0800 83 66 05
- UK: 080 82 34 21 72
- Portugal: 800 833 173
- Germany: 080 01 80 65 33
- Austria:0800 29 52 80
- Italy: 800 87 07 99
- Spain: 900 99 33 52
- The Netherlands: 0 800 02 28 216

The Maisons du Monde teams ask you to accept their apologies for the inconvenience caused.

## About Maisons du Monde

Ma isons du Monde is a creator of inspirational lifestyle universes in the homeware industry, offering distinctive and affordable decoration and furniture collections that showcase multiple styles. The Group develops its business through an integrated and complementary omnichannel a pproach, leveraging its international network of stores, its websites and its catalogues. The Group wasfounded in France in 1996 and has expanded profitably across Europe since 2003, reporting sales of €1,111 million and EBITDA of €148 million in 2018. At 31 December 2018, the Group operated 336 stores in 9 countries including France, Italy, Spain, Belgium, Luxe mbourg, Germany, Switzerland, the United States and the United Kingdom, and derived 40% of its sales outside France. The Group has also built a successful complementary and comprehensive ecommerce platform, whose sales grew by over 30% per year on a verage between 2010 and 2018. This platform, which a ccounted for 23% of the Group's sales in 2018, is available in the countries where it operates stores plus Austria, the Netherlands and Portugal.