

# PRODUCT RECALL INFORMATION NOTICE

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## **AG Barr recalls IRN-BRU Regular and IRN-BRU 1901 750ml glass bottles due to a manufacturing fault which may cause bottle caps to pop off unexpectedly**

AG Barr is recalling their IRN-BRU Regular and IRN-BRU 1901 750ml glass bottles on a precautionary basis because there have been a small number of reports that the bottle caps pop off unexpectedly.

### **Product details:**

**Product:** IRN-BRU Regular

**Pack size:** 750ml Glass Bottle

**'Best before' date:** March 2023

**Batch codes :** C2 2083, C2 2084

### **Product details:**

**Product:** IRN-BRU 1901

**Pack size:** 750ml Glass Bottle

**'Best before' date:** March 2023

**Batch codes :** C2 2082, C2 2087, C2 2088

### **No other AG Barr products are known to be affected**

**Risk:** There is a risk that the bottle caps may pop off unexpectedly which may cause injury.

### **Our advice to consumers:**

If you have bought any of the above products, open the bottles with care to release the pressure. Bottles should be handled carefully and pointed away from the body at arm's length when opening. Consumers should then contact AG Barr at [consumercare@agbarr.co.uk](mailto:consumercare@agbarr.co.uk)

### **Action taken by the company:**

AG Barr is recalling the above products. Point of sale notices will be displayed in all retail stores that are selling these products. These notices explain to customers why the products are being recalled and tell them what to do if they have bought the product. Please see the attached notice.

ENQUIRIES ABOUT THE CONTENT OF THIS PRODUCT RECALL INFORMATION NOTICE SHOULD BE MADE TO: THE SCOTTISH FOOD CRIME AND INCIDENTS UNIT, FOOD STANDARDS SCOTLAND, TEL: 01224 288379; FAX: 01224 285110; E-mail: incidents@fss.scot

**Food Standards Scotland, Old Ford Road, Aberdeen AB11 5RL**

**PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY OF CHANGES TO YOUR CONTACTS**



## IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICE

As a precautionary measure A.G. Barr is recalling certain 750ml IRN-BRU Regular and IRN-BRU 1901 glass bottles from the market because of an issue with caps which may cause them to pop off unexpectedly. We believe this to be an infrequent, intermittent fault in some of our bottles. The liquid in the bottle is good and tastes as you would expect.

The recall affects only 750ml glass bottles with codes shown below. You'll find the code stamped onto the neck of the bottle.

The flavours and batches affected are:



**IRN-BRU Regular**  
MAR 2023, C2 2083  
MAR 2023, C2 2084



**IRN-BRU 1901**  
MAR 2023, C2 2082  
MAR 2023, C2 2087  
MAR 2023, C2 2088

**No other Barr Soft Drinks pack sizes are affected.**

As a precautionary measure we are asking consumers who have the affected batches of IRN-BRU Regular and IRN-BRU 1901 in 750ml glass, to open the bottles with care to release the pressure. The bottle should be handled carefully, pointed away from the body at arm's length.

If you have any questions please email [consumercare@agbarr.co.uk](mailto:consumercare@agbarr.co.uk).

At A.G. Barr p.l.c we take great care to ensure that our products reach our consumers and customers in perfect condition and are sorry that on this occasion a limited quantity of our products has failed to meet expectations.

**29th April 2022**