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Subject: IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL NOTICE

Product: 155 BF / 155 BT Backpack Blowers

The recalled blowers were manufactured from June 1998 through July 2000. The following serial number ranges are effected. The serial number can be found on the decal mounted at the blower housing air outlet.

Serial # Range
6000001- 6001400
7000001- 7005750
8000001- 8007021
9000001- 9000390

Action Required:

Husqvarna is recalling its models 155 BF and 155 BT backpack blowers manufactured on or before July 2000. Husqvarna has recently determined that in a small number of units, the blow-molded plastic may be thinner than the manufacturer's specified demensions. The possibility exists that a fuel leak may occur at the mounting boss of the blower's fuel tank. This poses a potential for fire or burn injuries. Husqvarna has had no reports of fuel leaks, fires, injuries or property damage resulting from this condition.

A new fuel tank kit (part # 695 00 07-64) has been produced to replace the existing fuel tanks on these units. This kit comes complete with the tank, mounting hardware, a pre-applied Husqvarna decal, and a pre-installed grommet with fuel and return lines.

Stop sale of any new units until the new tank kit has been installed. Contact customers of the above listed blowers and arrange to have the tank replaced.

Display the Safety Recall poster in a visible location for customers to see, such as the service department and/or the lawn equipment department.

Please order an appropriate quantity of tank kits (# 695 00 07-64) for the units sold through your place of business and to correct your inventory. DO NOT order just a replacement fuel tank, as all kit components should be replaced together.

All new model 155 blowers shipped from Husqvarna beginning 5-9-01 have the correct fuel tank installed and are identified with a green dot on the outside of the box near the model/serial number. These units are not subject to this recall.

For warranty payment, return the fuel tank assembly and hardware along with the special claim form to Husqvarna for each replacement tank kit installed.

Tank Replacement Instructions:

To replace the tank assembly, empty the old fuel tank and remove the clamp from the return hose. Then remove the fuel line and the return hose from the carburetor. Lay the blower on its back frame and remove the two screws securing the tank to the frame and remove the old tank. Using the supplied hardware, install the new tank assembly. Stand the blower back up and install the new fuel line (black) to the straight nipple and install the new return hose (pink) to the curved nipple on the carburetor. Be sure to install the hose clamp to the return line to properly secure it.