

United States CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION



Philips Lighting Expands Recall of Metal Halide Lamps Due to Fire and Laceration Hazards

Recall date: March 1, 2017 Recall number: 17-100





Recall Summary

Name of product:

Metal Halide Lamps

Hazard:

The outer bulbs can shatter, resulting in hot internal pieces of glass falling from the lamps, posing fire and laceration hazards.

Remedy:

C Replace

Consumer Contact:

Philips Lighting toll-free at 866-253-5503 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, email at ceramicmh@philips.com or online at www.philips.com and click on "For Professionals" and then "Recalls" for more information.

Recall Details

Units:

About 256,000 (in addition, about 87,000 were previously recalled on May 24, 2016).

Description:

This expanded recall involves Philips Energy Advantage Ceramic Metal Halide Lamps model CDM330 manufactured from May 2011 through March 2014. They are designed as energy efficient replacements for traditional 400W quartz metal halide lamps installed in magnetic ballasts and intended for use in high-ceiling industrial, retail and commercial applications. The lamps were sold in both clear and coated versions. Each lamp includes an etching, located either on the base of the lamp or the glass bulb that displays the date code in the format of a number followed by a letter representing the year and month, "Philips", wattage (330W) and the model number (CDM330). Lamps with the following date codes are included in the recall:

May 2011	1E	July 2012	2G	September 2013	3J
June 2011	1F	August 2012	2H	October 2013	зк
July 2011	1G	September 2012	2J	November 2013	3L
August 2011	1H	October 2012	2K	December 2013	ЗМ
September 2011	1J	November 2012	2L	January 2014	4A
October 2011	1K	December 2012	2M	February 2014	4B
November 2011	1L	January 2013	3A	March 2014	4C
December 2011	1M	February 2013	3B		
January 2012	2A	March 2013	3C		
February 2012	2B	April 2013	3D		
March 2012	2C	May 2013	3E		
April 2012	2D	June 2013	3F		
May 2012	2E	July 2013	3G		
June 2012	2F	August 2013	ЗН		

Incidents/Injuries:

The firm has received twelve new reports of lamps shattering including one incident involving a fire. No injuries have been reported.

Remedy:

Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled lamps and contact Philips for a free replacement.

Sold At:

Electrical supply distributors, including Grainger, Rexel and Voss from May 2011 through August 2014 for about \$40.

Distributor(s):

Philips Lighting North America Corp., of Somerset, N.J.

Manufactured In:

United States