
October 2009**Product Safety Alert
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**The Electrical Safety Authority Warns Consumers about
PLATELITE INC. – Electrical Wiring Device Cover Plate with Integral Electroluminescent Night-Light**

Toronto, ON – The Electrical Safety Authority (ESA) is notifying consumers about potentially dangerous Electrical Device Cover Plates sold as replacements for conventional electrical outlet, wall switch and other devices, for use in the home.

Name of Product: Electrical Wiring Device Cover Plate with Integral Electroluminescent Night-Light

Number of units: Unknown

Manufacturer: PlateLite Inc.

ESA attempted to contact the manufacturer as part of ESA's ongoing Investigation with no success.

Date of Manufacture: 2004

Identification: *See photographs on Page 2.*


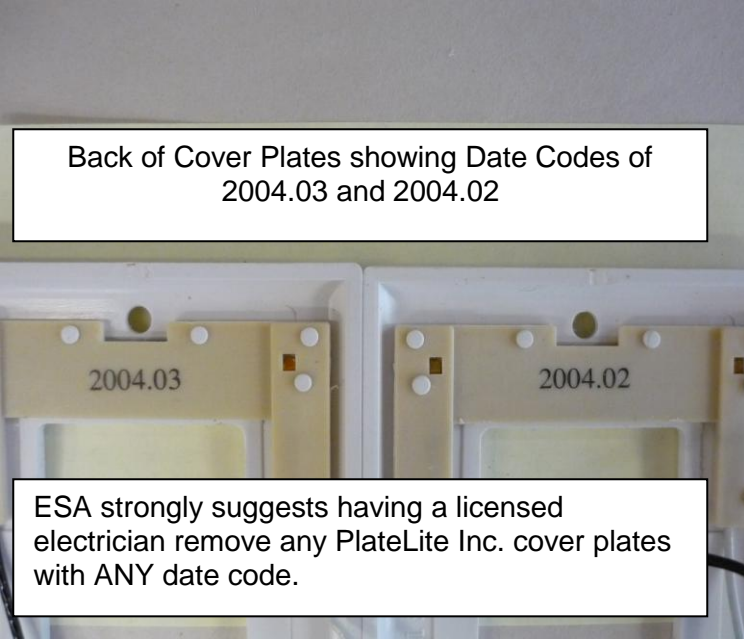
Incidents / Injuries: There has been one report of a fire. The products were tested and certified by Intertek Testing Services in 2004 and subsequently de-listed in 2005. The cETLus certification Mark is clearly visible on the back of the Cover Plate.



Although only one incident of a fire was reported in the Province of Ontario, ESA has decided to release this Product Safety Alert. ESA strongly recommends that all PlateLite Inc. cover plates with a built-in glowing-type night-light be removed by a licensed electrician and destroyed. These devices connect directly to the power source within the electrical box, whether a light switch, dimmer, electrical outlet, etc.

Product Markings: See attached photographs for identification of known production lots.

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Description/Models:

Electrical Wiring Device Cover Plate with Integral Electroluminescent Night-Light	
3-Gang Cover Plate in original packaging – the Night Lights are visible as white stripe below each opening	
	 <p style="text-align: center;">Back of Cover Plates showing Date Codes of 2004.03 and 2004.02</p> <p>ESA strongly suggests having a licensed electrician remove any PlateLite Inc. cover plates with ANY date code.</p>

Electrical Wiring Device Cover Plate with Integral Electroluminescent Night-Light	
3-Gang Cover Plate in original packaging – the Night Lights are visible as white stripe below each opening	
 <p style="text-align: center;">Back of Cover Plates showing Date Codes of 2004.03 and 2004.02</p>	 <p>Close-up of the cover plate showing the ETL logo, 'PlateLite Patent Pending Made in China', and '3048787 120V 60Hz'.</p>

Electrical Safety Authority is requesting consumers to stop using these products immediately.