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**CPSC, Robert Bosch Tool Corp. Announce Recall of Circular Saws**

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WASHINGTON, D.C. - The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission announces the following recall in voluntary cooperation with the firm below. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately unless otherwise instructed.

**Name of Product:** BOSCH Circular Saws

**Units:** 69,000

**Manufacturer:** Robert Bosch Tool Corp., of Mount Prospect, Ill.

**Hazard:** The lower blade guard can malfunction, creating a risk of injury as severe as amputation.

**Incidents/Injuries:** The firm has received three reports of malfunctioning lower guards, including one amputation.

**Description:** The recall circular saws include the BOSCH CS10, CS20 and CS20-XC models, which can be identified on the product nameplate mounted on the top of the motor housing. The recalled models do not have an asterisk (\*) in the serial number box. The circular saw uses a 7¼-inch blade and has a blue handle and motor enclosure, and a metal guarding system. The name "BOSCH" is printed on the blade guard.

**Sold At:** Home Depot, Lowe's and Menards nationwide, as well as independent hardware retailers and industrial distributors, from February 2004 through April 2005 for between \$120 and \$150.

**Manufactured in:** United States

**Remedy:** Consumer should stop using the circular saws immediately and contact Robert Bosch Tool Corp. to receive a repair kit. The kit includes hardware and instructions for installation.

**Consumer Contact:** Robert Bosch Tool Corp. at (800) 856-9683 between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. CT Monday through Friday or visit the BOSCH Web site at [www.boschtools.com](http://www.boschtools.com)

