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UL Warns of Counterfeit AC Adapters

NORTHBROOK, Ill., May 30, 2008 - Underwriters Laboratories (UL) is notifying consumers that the AC adapters identified below bear a counterfeit UL mark for the United States and Canada. These AC adapters have not been evaluated for safety by UL. The adapters are known to be sold with Nintendo Wii game players in Hong Kong.

Name of Product: C Adapter, model PG-WIG17.


Units: Unknown quantity.

Date of Manufacture: Unknown

Manufacturer: Unknown

Identification: The counterfeit adapters are similar to adapters authorized to bear the UL Mark. The counterfeit products have a plug that has rectangular blades and a non-standard configuration. The plug on the authorized products uses the familiar parallel blade configuration.

Identification: *On the product:* The product has a label with a UL Mark for Canada and the United States. It also lists the following information:

AC ADAPTER RVL-002 (USA) MADE IN CHINA PAT.PEND. INPUT: AC100-240V50/60Hz OUTPUT: DC 12V 3.7A		
CLASS 2 POWER SUPPLY FOR USE WITH Wü ONLY UTILISER AVEC LE Wü SEULEMENT	 LISTED	CLASS 2 POWER SUPPLY E82562 26J6

Identification: *On the packaging:* The packaging has the following information:

PEGA
 Wü
 AC ADAPTER
 MODEL PG-WIG17
 MADE IN CHINA

What You Should Do: UL recommends consumers stop using the product immediately and return it to the place of purchase.

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Counterfeit Product and Packaging



Product Authorized to Use UL Mark

