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## Dritz™ Electric Scissors Recalled by Prym Due to Fire and Burn Hazards

**Toronto, ON** – The Electrical Safety Authority is notifying the public that Prym Consumer USA has announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product in the U.S. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately.

**Name of Product:** Dritz Quick Cut™ Electric Scissors

**Distributor:** Prym Consumer USA, of Spartanburg, S.C.

**Hazard:** The electric scissors can overheat, posing fire and burn hazards.

**Incidents/Injuries:** Prym Consumer USA has received two reports of the electric scissors igniting causing minor property damage. No injuries have been reported.

**Description/Models:** The electric scissors are white and blue, about 10” long and include an AC adaptor. “Dritz” is written on the handle on the blue grip.

**Sold by:** Jo-Ann Fabric and Craft Stores and other craft stores nationwide from September 2009 through February 2010 for about \$50 in the U.S only.

**Manufactured in:** China

**Remedy:** Return the scissors to store where purchased or mail directly to Prym Consumer USA for a refund. If mailing to Prym, please include the product, your complete name, mailing address and phone number in the package and mail to Prym Consumer USA Recall Center, 950 Brisack Road, Spartanburg, SC 29303.

**Consumer Contact:** For additional information, contact the firm at 800-255-7796 Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET, by e-mail at [customer.service@prym-consumer-usa.com](mailto:customer.service@prym-consumer-usa.com) or on the firm's website at [www.prym-consumer-usa.com](http://www.prym-consumer-usa.com).

**Remarks:** The affected units were intended for sale and distribution in the U. S .only. However, the recalled units are sold with a power adaptor which is certified to Canadian Standards by UL. For more information about UL product certification process please visit UL Web site at: [www.UL.com](http://www.UL.com).

