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Nidec Motor Corporation Recalls Pool Pump Motors Due to Electrical Shock Hazard

The Electrical Safety Authority is notifying the public that Nidec Motor Corporation has announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product in the U.S. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately.

Name of Product: Ecotech EZ® Variable Speed pool pump motors. Model Nos. M63PWBLE-121, M63PWBLM-128, M63PWBLR-131, M63PWBLN-129

Manufacturer: Nidec Motor Corporation, of St. Louis, Mo. and Emerson Motor Company, a division of Emerson Electric Co., of St. Louis, Mo.

Hazard: The input power terminal box cover is inadequately grounded posing an electrical shock hazard.

Incidents/Injuries: None reported.

Description/Models: The recalled motors are variable speed swimming pool pump motors with a 6.5 inch diameter steel frame painted black with a square or C-flange mounting. The rating plate is on the side of the pump and "EMERSON. CAT.NO.EVSS3" is printed on the plate.

Sold by: Pool motor distributors, pool dealers and pump manufacturers in the United States from September 2010 through August 2011 for about \$1,000; however none were sold to end users in Canada.

Manufactured in: Mexico

Remedy: Customers should stop using the recalled pool pumps immediately and call Nidec Motor Corporation to arrange a free repair.

Consumer Contact: For additional information, contact Nidec Motor Corporation toll-free at (866) 278-6920 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, or visit the firm's website at www.nidec-motor.com

Remarks: The affected units were intended for sale and distribution in the U. S., but no affected units were sold to end users in Canada. However, the recalled units are certified to Canadian Standards by UL. For more information about UL product certification process please visit UL Web site at: www.ul.com

