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AmerTac Recalls LED Night Lights Due to Fire and Burn Hazard

The Electrical Safety Authority is notifying the public that American Tack and Hardware Co. Inc. (AmerTac) has announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately.

Name of Product: LED Night Light

Units: About 2,390 in Canada

Importer: American Tack & Hardware Co. Inc. (Amertac), of Saddle River, N.J.

Hazard: An electrical short circuit in the night light can cause it to overheat and smolder or melt, posing fire and burn hazards to consumers.

Incidents/Injuries: AmerTac has received 24 reports from the United States and 1 report from Canada of the night lights smoking, burning, melting and charring. No injuries have been reported.

Description/Models: The night light being recalled is model number 71190. The night lights are rectangular, about 2-3/16 inches high, 3-1/2 inches wide, and 1-1/4 inches deep. The front housing is either white- or nickel-coloured plastic and has four horizontal vents with a round light sensor above the top vent. The backs of the

night lights are grey plastic with the AmerTac™ logo, 71190 or 71190A, “SY” identification code and “ETL” molded into them. Only models with SY molded on the back are being recalled.

Sold by: Hardware stores, home centers and lighting showrooms for about \$6.

When was distributed: March 2009-October 2010

Manufactured in: China

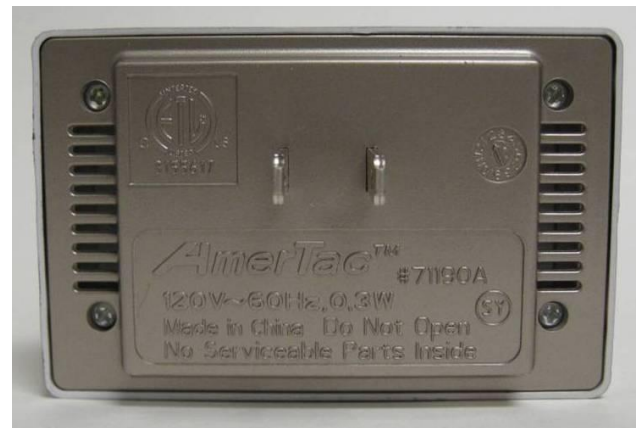
Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled night lights, remove them from the wall sockets and contact the firm for instructions on receiving a full refund.

Consumer Contact: For additional information, contact AmerTac at (800) 420-7511 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. CT Monday through Friday, or visit AmerTac’s website at www.amertac.com or www.recall-center.com.

Remarks: The recalled units are certified to Canadian Standards by Intertek. For more information about Intertek product certification process please visit: www.intertek.com.



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