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Campbell Hausfeld Recalls Air Compressors Due to Fire hazard

Toronto, ON – The Electrical Safety Authority in cooperation with Campbell Hausfeld is notifying the public that Campbell Hausfeld has announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product. Consumers should stop using the recalled product immediately.

Name of Product: Campbell Hausfeld and Husky Air Compressors

Units: Approximately 135,000 in Canada.

Manufacturer/Importer: Campbell Hausfeld, of Harrison, Ohio

Hazard: Protective covers on the compressor’s motor are not made from proper flame retardant material and can ignite, posing a fire hazard to consumers.

Incidents/Injuries: The firm has received 11 reports of fires (including 2 in Canada). No injuries have been reported.

Description/Models: The recall involves the following Campbell Hausfeld and Husky brand air compressors:

Capacity	Model Numbers	Serial Numbers
8-15 gallon	HL410100, HL421000 HL421500, HL431500	Have a prefix of HY, KB, or HU followed by a date code from July 2005 (0705) through March 2007 (0307)

Capacity	Model Numbers	Serial Numbers
4 gallon	HL5402	The first four digits of the serial number have a date code from November 2006 (1106) through November 2007 (1107)

The model and serial number are located on the back of the tank.

Sold by: Home improvement and hardware stores nationwide from September 2005 through November 2007 for between \$170 and \$200.

Manufactured in: China

Remedy: Consumers should stop using the air compressor immediately and contact Campbell Hausfeld for a free repair kit.

Consumer Contact: For further information, contact Campbell Hausfeld at (800) 241-0448 between 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday, or visit the firm's Web site at www.chpower.com

