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Stop Use and Recall: IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED

3M™ PROTECTA® PRO-Stop™ Single Leg Shock Absorbing Lanyards:

CSA product only

As part of 3M Fall Protection’s on-going commitment to delivering high quality safety equipment, we are notifying customers of the following information related to the CSA versions of the 3M™ PROTECTA® PRO-Stop™ Single Leg Shock Absorbing Lanyards. During internal testing, we found that a small percentage of tested 3M™ PROTECTA® PRO-Stop lanyard models did not meet the CSA Z259.11-17 section 5.2.4.1 dynamic requirement of having a maximum arrest force that shall not exceed 1,800 lbf (8kN) and an average deceleration factor, A_g , not greater than 7.0 for all masses permitted. **In the event of a fall from height, a lanyard with a maximum arrest force above 1,800 lbf could result in serious injury to the worker.** To remedy this situation, 3M is launching a Stop Use and Product Recall to replace any CSA versions of 3M™ PROTECTA® PRO-Stop™ Single Leg Shock Absorbing Lanyards that were made in the affected time range. There have been no reports of injuries associated with this notice. The table below describes the part numbers and the manufacturing dates of the affected products:



PRO-Stop™ Single Leg Shock Absorbing Lanyard

Product	Date of Manufacture	Part/Model Numbers
3M™ PROTECTA® PRO-Stop™ Single Leg Shock Absorbing Lanyards (CSA Versions)	Between December 1 st , 2020 - April 7 th , 2021	1340220C 1340230C

Users/Owners: For single leg shock absorbing lanyards with the part numbers in the table above, immediately stop using the product and use the following information to determine if your product is included affected time range for the stop use and recall.

Step 1: Please inspect your 3M™ PROTECTA® PRO-Stop™ Single Leg Shock Absorbing Lanyard label (see photograph below) to confirm that it is one of the affected part numbers listed above and has been manufactured between the dates listed above.



Step 2: Once you have confirmed the part number & affected date, remove the unit from service immediately and contact 3M Fall Protection **Customer Service** Team at 3mcafpserviceaction@mmm.com or call 1-833-998-2243. We will arrange to have your product returned to 3M Fall Protection. As soon as a product solution is available, 3M will replace your device and ship it to you at 3M’s expense pending the returned product passes pre-use inspection. If it does not pass the pre-use inspection, we will dispose of the lanyard and contact you. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact the 3M Fall Protection **Customer Service** Team at 3mcafpserviceaction@mmm.com or call 1-833-998-2243.

Distributors: Please contact our Customer Service department to obtain a summary of all affected parts sold to you at 1-833-998-2243 or at 3mcafpserviceaction@mmm.com. Please forward this “Stop Use & Recall” to any of your customers/users who have purchased the lanyards listed above from you. If you have any inventory of the affected models, please contact our Customer Service department to have them returned.

Kind regards,

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