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**USER ADVISORY NOTICE**

**3M™ 8653ES-HC Drywall Sanding & Fiberglass Respirator**

Dear Valued 3M Customer,

We recently identified that some packages of the *3M™ Drywall Sanding & Fiberglass Respirator* sold in 2-packs as catalog number 8653ES-HC, were missing the user instructions insert referenced on the back of the package for Workplace/Occupational applications. The affected packages only contained the user instructions for Do-It-Yourself/Homeowner use of the product. In addition, these packages were missing the government approval documentation (i.e. NIOSH label). The affected packages may be found at some Home Depot stores.

3M regrets any inconvenience this may cause. Production controls have been modified to address the issue. 3M is requesting that users of the *Drywall Sanding & Fiberglass Respirator* for professional applications contact 3M for a copy of the professional user instructions and the NIOSH approval label if it was not found in the package purchased.

3M remains committed to providing only the highest quality products for our customers. For a copy of the professional user instruction, the government approval label for the product, or if you have any questions regarding this issue, please call 3M Technical Service at 1.800.243.4630 or log onto our website at [www.3M.com/occsafety](http://www.3M.com/occsafety).