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Sears Canada Issues a Safety Notice for Certain Craftsman Air Compressors

Toronto, ON – February 07, 2011 - Sears Canada Inc. (TSX: SCC) today is issuing a safety notice for certain Craftsman air compressors. It has been discovered that the air compressor motor can overheat, posing a fire hazard.

The affected air compressors were sold at Sears Canada retail stores, online at www.sears.ca, and through the Sears Canada catalogue from September 2001 to June 2006. The Sears regular selling price was \$349.99 and \$399.99. The affected model numbers are as follows:

Model Number	Sears Item Number	Tank	Tank Color	Date Range
919-72412	72412	15 Gallon	Red	8/2001 to 8/2003
919-724121	72412	15 Gallon	Red	9/2002 to 5/2005
919-724122	72413	15 Gallon	Red	9/2004 to 1/2005
919-72413	72413	15 Gallon	Red	1/2004 to 3/2005

The model number and manufacture date can be found on the unit name plate on the tank.

In the interest of consumer safety, Sears Canada urges customers who own an affected compressor to cease use immediately and contact the manufacturer DeVilbiss at 1-866-220-5627 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday for information about a free repair. Alternatively customers can also visit the company's website at www.devap.com.

Sears Canada is bringing this matter to the public's attention in the interest of consumer safety and apologizes to its customers for any inconvenience.

Sears Canada is a multi-channel retailer with a network of 197 corporate stores, 219 dealer stores, 31 home improvement showrooms, over 1,800 catalogue merchandise pick-up locations, 108 Sears Travel offices and a nationwide home maintenance, repair, and installation network. The Company also publishes Canada's most extensive general merchandise catalogue and offers shopping online at www.sears.ca.

