

Home Accents Holiday Artificial Christmas Trees recalled due to risk of Burn or Fire hazard

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Starting date: July 23, 2020 Posting date: July 23, 2020

Type of communication: Consumer Product Recall

Subcategory: Household Items Source of recall: Health Canada Issue: Fire Hazard Audience: General Public Identification number: RA-73581

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Summary

- Product: Home Accents Holiday Artificial Christmas Trees.
- Issue: The mode-switching foot-pedal controller may overheat, posing a burn or fire hazard.
- What to do: Consumers should contact Willis Electric Co. Ltd for a replacement of the foot pedal controller.
- Affected products
- What you should do

Joint recall with Health Canada, the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission (US CPSC) and Home Depot Canada.

Affected products

Home Accents Holiday Artificial Christmas Trees

Product description

This recall involves three Home Accents Holiday Artificial Christmas Trees sold by Home Depot. The trees can be identified by the names, description, model numbers, and UPC in the table below.

Recalled products:

Name	Description	Model Number	UPC
Home Accents Holiday 7.5ft 700L Braxton LED Tree (10013434443)	7.5 ft. Pre-Lit Braxton Color Changing 8-Function Artificial Christmas Tree with 700 Micro Dot LED Lights	W14N0128	30539038724
Home Accents Holiday 9ft 900L Braxton LED Tree (1001344021)	9 ft. 900L Micro Dot LED Braxton Color Changing with 8-Function Tree	W14N0152	30539039653

Name	Description	Model Number	UPC
Home Accents Holiday 7.5ft 700L Uptown Tree (1001344022)	7.5 ft. Pre-Lit LED White Uptown Color Changing Artificial Christmas Tree with 700 Micro Dot Lights	W14N0155	30539039691

Hazard identified

The Christmas tree's mode-switching foot-pedal controller may overheat, posing a burn or fire hazard.

As of July 22, 2020, the company has received 2 reports of smokes coming from the trees in Canada, and no reports of injuries. In the United States, the company has received 491 reports of overheating involving the foot-pedal controller, and one report of burn.

Number sold

Approximately 5,095 units of the affected products were sold in Canada, and approximately 99,000 units were sold in the United States.

Time period sold

The affected products were sold from September 2019 to December 2019.

Place of origin

Manufactured in China

Companies

Importer Home Depot Canada Inc.

Toronto CANADA

Distributor Willis Electric Co., Ltd.

Taipei

TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA

Manufacturer Kupoint (Dongguan) Electric Co., Ltd.

Dongguan, Guangdong

CHINA

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What you should do

Consumers should contact Willis Electric Co. Ltd for a replacement of the foot pedal controller.

For more information, consumers may contact Willis Electric Co. Ltd at 1-866-210-5958 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. CDT, Monday through Friday or visit the company's website (http://www.williscorporation.com).

Consumers may view the release by the US CPSC on the <u>Commission's websit (https://www.cpsc.gov/)e (https://www.cpsc.gov/Necalls/2020/Willis-Electric-Recalls-Home-Accents-Holiday-Artificial-Christmas-Trees-Due-to-Burn-Hazard-Sold-Exclusively-at-Home-Depot)</u>.

Please note that the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act prohibits recalled products from being redistributed, sold or even given away in Canada.

Health Canada would like to remind Canadians to report any health or safety incidents related to the use of this product or any other consumer product or cosmetic by filling out the <u>Consumer Product Incident Report Form (https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/advisories-warnings-recalls/report-incident-involving-consumer-product.html)</u>.

This recall is also posted on the <u>OECD Global Portal on Product Recalls website (http://globalrecalls.oecd.org/)</u>. You can visit this site for more information on other international consumer product recalls.

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