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ALERT

**Steam Traps Recalled by Spirax Sarco Due to Retaining Ring
Associated With Design CRN 0E07003.2**

Spirax Sarco Canada Ltd. issued recalls of a number of steam traps as a result of the retaining ring associated with the design. We have not heard of any incidents involving these steam traps. These steam traps are small, and there is a risk of leakage or failure at pressure and high temperatures. We understand that these traps are in use in Alberta.

This CRN has been de-registered per Section 40(4) of the Safety Codes Act, and Spirax Sarco steam traps bearing model numbers UTD30L, UTD30LA, UTD30H, and UTD30HA (TI-P154-01) should be withdrawn from service.

You are urged to review this matter, and to contact Spirax Sarco for further information. Their recall bulletin is attached.

We also like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the cooperation of Spirax Sarco Canada Ltd., in this matter and their strong support on pressure equipment safety.

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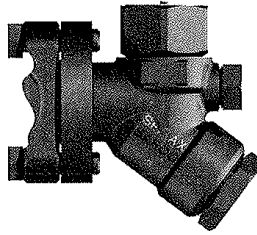


PRODUCT RECALL BULLETIN

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UTD30L, UTD30LA, UTD30H, UTD30HA (TI-P154-01)

CRN OE07003.2



Background/Product Issue:

Spirax Sarco Canada Ltd has notified ABSA that there are design issues with the above noted equipment model numbers, which affect the ability of the equipment to safely retain pressure. Please be advised that the above noted model numbers risk leakage and failure when under pressure and at high temperatures, due to the retaining ring associated with this design.

This product has been widely in use for many years without any catastrophic incidents occurring whatsoever. That said, and notwithstanding that there is no historic evidence of this product leaking in service as a result of this failure, as part of our commitment to product quality and to our customer's safety, we wish to inform our customers of this issue.

Action Required:

Per Section 40(4) of the Alberta Safety Codes Act, this design has been de-registered and the above noted model numbers should be withdrawn from use.

Please contact your local Spirax Sarco service agent for further advice referencing this bulletin.

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