



Public Education Matters

Enhancing Fire Safety Education and Prevention in Your Community

Dear Public Educator/Fire Prevention Officer:

Barbeque Recall

The following **product recall** was issued by Health Canada in July 2009 and is taken from the [Health Canada website](#). Please consider distributing this information in your community so members of the public are aware of the potential fire risk and the corrective action. Pictures of the recalled products are attached.

Product Name

Blue Ember Gas Grills by Fiesta Barbeques.

Full Product Description

This recall involves certain liquid propane and natural gas outdoor barbeque grills sold under the brand name "Blue Ember". The barbeque is a cabinet style grill with two doors, and was sold in two colour combinations: silver and black, or silver and gray.

The words "Blue Ember" are printed on the hood of the grill. The recalled grills can be identified by the following model and serial numbers, which can be found printed on a rating plate at the rear of the grill. Only those Blue Ember grills that have both a model number and a serial number in the table below are included in this recall.

Serial Numbers	Serial Numbers (continued)	Model Numbers
06000003-06000258	07046826-07048617	FG50045
06000273-06001552	07048978-07049361	FG50057
06001568-06001623	07050898-07050997	FG50069
06001749-06002004	07051009-07054080	C1072-30744
06002017-06006184	07054209-07055232	C1072-30754
06006845-06006972	07057025-07057152	
06007101-06008636	07060525-07060680	
06008765-06009660	07060809-07062216	
06009917-06010044	07062345-07062394	
07020701-07021340	07063581-07064220	
07026461-07029020	07064605-07065244	
07031581-07031780	07073549-07074188	
07039133-07039260	07074317-07074572	
07039965-07040220	07074829-07075212	
07042333-07042410	07087237-07089106	
07043113-07043200		

Hazard Identified

If the barbeque grill is not assembled properly, the burner hose may be exposed to excessive heat, posing a fire and burn hazard to users.

In cooperation with the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission (US CPSC) and Health Canada, Fiesta Barbeques is voluntarily recalling these barbeques.

There have been 31 incidents of grill fires associated with the use of this barbecue grill in Canada. The information available to Fiesta indicates that 15 of these incidents were possibly related to the hazard identified above. Fiesta is not aware of any injuries resulting from these 15 incidents.

In the United States, Fiesta has received an additional 161 reports of grill fires. These resulted in nine injuries, including 2 incidents of major burns on different parts of the body, 6 incidents of minor burns, and 1 incident involving temporary hearing loss.

Health Canada has not received reports of injuries or incidents related to the use of these barbecues.

Corrective Action

Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled grill and contact Fiesta Barbeques to obtain a free grease pan assembly and instructions for installing the parts.

Consumers are also advised to not use the grill until the new grease pan assembly has been installed. Consumers should also inspect the gas burner hose and regulator, which will be replaced free of charge if there are signs of damage.

For additional information, consumers may contact Fiesta toll-free at 1-866-956-0396 between 8AM and 5 PM EST Monday through Friday, visit [Fiesta's website](#) or contact Fiesta by e-mail at nmorin@fiestabbq.com.

Consumers may [view](#) the release by the US CPSC.

Number Sold

Approximately 25,366 of the recalled barbecues were sold at Sears, Home Depot, Wal-mart, The Brick Warehouse, and A & P Canada stores, as well as at various other home centres and retailers.

Time Period Sold

The recalled barbecues were sold from November 2006 to May 2009.

Made in China.

Importer

Fiesta Barbeques of Brampton, Ontario.