Spectre Mfg. Inc.

"Capture the Spirit"

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To: All Dealers *11 September 2000*
Reference: Safety recall campaign number 00E-045

It has been discovered by this manufacturing firm that there is a recall campaign in effect for the break-away switch used on our trailers, with a GVWR in excess of 3000 pounds.

This recall effects approximately 120,000 switches shipped between 01 April and 07 July 2000. Without knowing when one of these subject switches could have been received by us, we feel the prudent step is to inspect/replace switches on vehicles with a sequential production number of 001984 through 002484. Only trailers equipped with electric brakes are affected. This will include but not limited to the following model numbers:

- *A) 4000 Series (except model S 4600)*
- *B) 5000 Series (All)*
- *C) 6000 Series (All)*
- *D) Model 7201*
- *E) Model 7300*
- *F) Model 3801-T*

We have identified the outside possibility of 124 affected units. We estimate within this population, no more than 20% would contain the subject switch.

Through our communication with Tekonsha Engineering, we are convinced that this safety recall campaign is being handled both professionally and expeditiously.

We will include their remedy for this recall and their technical service bulletin with this correspondence.

A recommended course of action concerning this campaign is as follows:

- *A) Identify all affected trailers by VIN number. See attached list.*
- *B) Notify purchaser of the affected vehicle. Have purchaser identify break-away switch. If switch has been identified as Tekonsha part number 2011 or any of the part numbers listed in the attached Tekonsha correspondence, have the customer remove the switch and replace with the remedy switch.*
- *C) In the event this procedure is conducted in your service bay or by your service personnel, Tekonsha will reimburse you directly at no more than .25 hours @ $50.00 an hour.*
- *D) Return all defective switches to Tekonsha.*

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Spectre Mfg. Inc. apologizes for and regrets any inconveniences you or your purchaser may incur. However, we feel that these are necessary steps to ensure vehicle and public safety in the use of our product. Any questions concerning this matter can be directed to Tekonsha Towing Systems @ 1-800-325-5868, or Spectre Mfg. Inc. @ (253)537-4969.

Sincerely,

Samuel "Lee" Verrett
President
Spectre Mfg. Inc.

DEALER	STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP	PHONE	MODEL #	BUILD #	VIN #
FREEWAY TRLR SALES	7100 PACIFIC HWY EAST	MILTON	WA	98354	1-800-992-3644	CT-16	2908	4WBUF2029Y1002000
						CT-16	2646	4WBUF1628Y1002198
						3001-T	2647	4WBUF1620Y1002199
						3001-T	2786	4WBUF1625Y1002305
						3001-T	2787	4WBUF1627Y1002306
						CT-14	2793	4WBUF1824Y1002308
						CT-16	2648	4WBUF2021Y1002200
						CT-16	2794	4WBUF2024Y1002309
						6900	2763	4WBUF6133Y1002283
						CT-16	2649	4WBUF2026Y1002201
						CT-16	2650	4WBUF2028Y1002202
						CT-16	2800	4WBUF2028Y1002359
						CT-16	2651	4WBUF202XY1002203
						CT-18	2652	4WBUF2225Y1002204
						CT-16	2699	4WBUF2027Y1002241
						CT-16	2717	4WBUF2022Y1002250
						CT-18	2719	4WBUF2229Y1002260
						CT-16	2751	4WBUF2027Y1002272
						CT-16	2718	4WBUF2024Y1002259
						CT-16	2812	4WBUF2025Y1002321
						6900	2936	4WBUF5339Y1002411
						5202-F	3021	4WBUF4242Y1002470
						CSTM	2620	4WBUF1418Y1002177
						5205-F	3027	4WBUF2429Y1002476
AVE INC	1820 N. WENATCHEE AVE	WENATCHEE	WA	98801	(509)662-2993	CSTM	2619	4WBUF1627Y1002175
						CSTM	2758	4WBUF1628Y1002279
						5202	2593	4WBUF2027Y1002157
						4903	2614	4WBUF2220Y1002174
						4903GT	2605	4WBUF2228Y1002164
						4704	2745	4WBUF2420Y1002270
						4704	2746	4WBUF2422Y1002271
						4902GT	2754	4WBUF2226Y1002275
VB SALES	300 VALLEY AVE NE	PUYALLUP	WA	98372	(253)845-5822	4902	2542	4WBUF2220Y1002112
						4903	2600	4WBUF2222Y1002225
						4903	2607	4WBUF2225Y1002168
						3001T	2759	4WBUF1624Y1002280
						6900	2601	4WBUF483XY1002162
						4903GT	2553	4WBUF2221Y1002121
						4903GT	2606	4WBUF2223Y1002147
						CSTM	2764	4WBUF2037Y1002284

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VR SALES	500 PUYALLUP AVE NE	PUYALLUP	WA	98372	(253)845-5022	4702-18	2608	4W8UF2227Y1002169
						4702	2615	4W8UF2023Y1002173
						CSTM	2873	4W8UF2224Y1002569
						5001T	2837	4W8UF1625Y1002336
						4902GT	2791	4W8UF2224Y1002307
						4903	2815	4W8UF2223Y1002323
						4902	2918	4W8UF2225Y1002400
						4903	2816	4W8UF2224Y1002324
						4902GT	2831	4W8UF222XY1002330
						4903	2830	4W8UF2223Y1002329
						CSTM	2908	4W8UF1623Y1002450
						4903GT	2896	4W8UF2224Y1002453
						4902GT	3009	4W8UF2229Y1002464
						CSTM	2595	4W8UF2222Y1002158
SIGNAL TRLR SALES	1871 BOBS AVE STE E	EVERETT	WA	98205	800-745-5000	4902	2543	4W8UF2222Y1002113
						4903GT	2570	4W8UF2227Y1002138
						4902GT	2568	4W8UF2223Y1002136
						4902	2569	4W8UF2225Y1002137
						4903	2571	4W8UF2229Y1002139
						CSTM	2790	4W8UF1314Y1002312
						4601	2574	4W8UF1811Y1002144
						4902	2673	4W8UF2227Y1002219
						4903	2677	4W8UF2222Y1002223
						4902	2685	4W8UF2228Y1002230
						4902GT	2686	4W8UF2222Y1002239
						4903	2690	4W8UF2229Y1002240
						5002	2845	4W8UF2425Y1002344
						4902	2871	4W8UF2228Y1002367
						4903	2872	4W8UF2222Y1002368
						4902	2674	4W8UF2224Y1002220
						4903	2782	4W8UF2225Y1002302
						4903	2784	4W8UF2229Y1002304
						4902GT	3023	4W8UF2228Y1002472
						4904GT	2971	4W8UF2226Y1002441
						5001	2743	4W8UF1616Y1002269
BBT TRAILER SALES	PO BOX 296	ALBANY	OR	97070	800-969-4075	4601	2541	4W8UF1818Y1002111
						4601	2540	4W8UF1812Y1002110
						4904GT	2545	4W8UF2226Y1002115
LUFT TRLR SALES INC.	5910 IVAN WAY S.W.	ROCHESTER	WA	98579	206-387-7669	6000	2515	4W8UF5357Y1002083
						4903GT	2701	4W8UF2224Y1002243
						4902GT	2675	4W8UF2227Y1002222

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LUFT TRLR SALES INC.	5910 IVAN WAYY S.W.	RODCHESTER	WA	98579	888-307-7669	4904	2393	4W8UF2228Y1001984
TRAILER CITY	1525 NE COLUMBIA BLVD.	PORTLAND	OR	97211	888-696-9559	4602NS	2555	4W8UF2021Y1002123
						4602NS	2556	4W8UF2023Y1002124
						4602NS	2557	4W8UF2025Y1002125
						4902GT	2653	4W8UF2227Y1002205
						4902GT	2814	4W8UG2220Y1002322
						4902GT	2861	4W8UF222XY1002361
						6900	2579	4W8UF5357Y1002147
						4902GT	2841	4W8UF2226Y1002340
						4902GT	2839	4W8UF2224Y1002338
						4903	2762	4W8UF2427Y1002282
						4904GT	2757	4W8UF2221Y1002278
						4902GT	2840	4W8UF2226Y1002339
						4702-18	2846	4W8UF2221Y1002345
						CSTM	2978	4W8UF2826Y1002445
						6100	2997	4W8UF2829Y1002454
						4904GT	2678	4W8UF2220Y1002224
						CT-16	2891	4W8UF2026Y1002375
						CSTM	2973	4W8UF2933Y1002443
						6000	2982	4W8UF2828Y1002446
						4902GT	3001	4W8UF2223Y1002458
						4902GT	3037	4W8UF2224Y1002484
CIRCLE A TRLR SALES	5136 GUIDE MERIDIAN RD	BELLINGHAM	WA	98226	888-642-8422	CT-16	2563	4W8UF2020Y1002131
						4602NS	2562	4W8UF2029Y1002130
						4902GT	2576	4W8UF2224Y1002145
						4702	2736	4W8UF2025Y1002268
						CT-14	2890	4W8UF1826Y1002374
						4902	3019	4W8UF2228Y1002469
KITSAP FARM & GARDEN TRACTOR	3388 BYRON ST.	SILVERDALE	WA		(360)307-9223	4902	2676	4W8UF2225Y1002221
						4902	2838	4W8UF2222Y1002337
LUFT TRLR SALES	2213 CANYON RD	ELLENSBURG	WA	98926	888-342-2213	4902GT	2567	4W8UF2221Y1002135
						4904GT	2767	4W8UF2222Y1002287
						4903GT	2768	4W8UF2224Y1002288
99 WEST TRLR SALES	23995 HWY 99 WEST	NEWBURG	OR	97132	(503)537-9103	4602NS	2946	4W8UF2024Y1002417
						5202-20	2955	4W8UF2225Y1002426
						4602NS	2948	4W8UF2020Y1002419
						4703	2950	4W8UF2222Y1002421
						4903GT	2952	4W8UF2226Y1002423
						4602NS	2947	4W8UF2029Y1002418
						4602NS	3018	4W8UF2022Y1002468

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99 WEST TRLR SALES	23995 HWY 99 WEST	NEWBURG	OR	97132	(503)537-9103	4904GT	2953	4W8UF2228Y1002424

NOTE:
THIS LIST IS IN ORDER BY DEALER AND DATE OF SALE