



Harbor Freight Tools Recalls Chainsaws Due to Serious Injury Hazard

Certain electric chainsaw models fail to shut down when turned off



Name of Product: Portland, One Stop Gardens, and Chicago Electric 14 inch electric chainsaws

Hazard: The power switch can malfunction and allow the chainsaw to continue operating after the switch has been turned to the “off” position.

Remedy: Immediately stop using the recalled chainsaw and return it to Harbor Freight Tools.

Incidents/Injuries: Harbor Freight Tools has received 15 reports of chainsaws continuing to operate after being turned off by the operator, resulting in three laceration injuries including one serious injury to the arm requiring stitches.

Units: About 1,020,000

Recall Date: May 14, 2018

For more information: Call Harbor Freight Tools at (800) 444-3353 or email recall@harborfreight.com.

References: [United States Consumer Product Safety Commission](#) and [Harbor Freight Tools](#)

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