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## Fall Protection Recall

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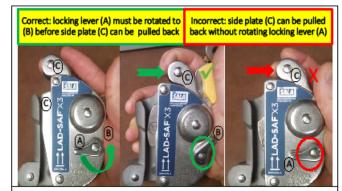
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## INSPECTION NOTICE – 3M<sup>™</sup> DBI-SALA® LADSAF<sup>™</sup> X2 and X3 SLEEVES IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED

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End-users: Immediately conduct an inspection (see below). This inspection is part of the pre-use inspection recommended for all X2 (#6160030) and X3 (#6160054) sleeves as described below. If you find an affected sleeve, remove the sleeve from service and contact our Customer Service department at 800-328-6146 (prompt #2012) or email <u>LADSAFNA@mmm.com</u> to obtain a return authorization. Upon receipt of the affected sleeve, we will ship you a replacement sleeve within 24 hours at no charge.



Proper operation of the sleeve is shown in green above. The locking lever (A) must be rotated to position (B) for the side plate (C) to be pulled backwards. If your sleeve functions in this manner, it is working properly. If you are able to pull the side plate (C) back by pulling on the top roller without first rotating lever (A) to position (B), then the unit should be removed from service (see red example above).

For further information on the operation and use of the Lad-Saf X2 & X3 sleeves, see video at <u>https://youtu.be/ljknN2vkE2w</u> or scan this QR code to view the video on a mobile device.



Distributors: Please contact Customer Service at 800-328-6146 (prompt #2012) or email <u>LADSAFNA@mmm.com</u> to obtain a listing of parts sold to you. If you have any of the affected sleeves in stock, call 800-328-6146 (ext. 2012) or email <u>LADSAFNA@mmm.com</u> to obtain a "QAA" number to return the sleeve to 3M Fall Protection.

Note: Please forward this Inspection Notice to any of your customers who have purchased affected sleeves from you and provide any assistance requested by your customers to complete the replacement process.

3M Fall Protection will post this Notice at <u>www.capitalsafety.com</u>. Please direct any additional questions you may have to 800-328-6146 (ext. 2012) or email <u>LADSAFNA@mmm.com</u>.

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