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Kaz Recalls Stinger Insect Zappers Due to Shock Hazard

Recall Summary

Name of Product: Stinger Insect Zappers

Hazard: The insect kill grid can detach inside the housing, posing a shock hazard.

Remedy: Refund

Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled Stinger Insect Zappers, unplug them, and contact Kaz to return the product for a full refund.

Consumer Contact: Kaz toll-free at 888-480-2880 from 8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET, Monday through Friday or online at www.Kaz.com or www.stingerproducts.com and click on “Recall” for more information.

Recall Details

Units: About 72,000

Description: This recall involves Stinger BK series Insect Zapper electric insect/mosquito zapper including the Stinger Insect Zapper (Model BK 110v3), the Stinger 3-in-1 Insect Zapper (Model BK310v3) and the Stinger 5-in-1 Insect & Mosquito Zapper (Model BK510v3). They are black or gray plastic and stand or hang vertically. The units are about 19 inches high and 6 inches wide and require an extension cord to operate outside. The recalled models have codes ending in YTG and Made in China printed on the silver label on the bottom of the product.

Model Number	Product Name
BK510v3 (ULG510YTG)	Stinger 5-in-1 Insect & Mosquito Zapper
BK310v3 (ULG310YTG)	Stinger 3-in-1 Insect Zapper
BK110v3 (ULG110YTG)	Stinger Insect Zapper

Incidents/Injuries: Kaz has received three reports of units exhibiting internal grid detachment. No injuries have been reported.

Sold at: Home Depot, Ace Hardware, other stores nationwide, and online from April 2018 through August 2018 for between \$30 and \$80.

Importer/Distributor: Kaz USA Inc., Marlborough, Mass.

Manufacturer: Foshan Shi Shunde District Yongtong Electronics Co., Ltd., of China

Manufactured in: China

Photos



Stinger 5-in-1 Insect & Mosquito Zapper (BK510v3).



Stinger 3-in-1 Insect Zapper (BK310v3).



Stinger Insect Zapper (BK 110v3).



This recall was conducted voluntarily by the company under CPSC's Fast Track Recall process. Fast Track recalls are initiated by firms who commit to work with CPSC to quickly announce the recall and remedy to protect consumers.

About U.S. CPSC:

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Federal law bars any person from selling products subject to a publicly-announced voluntary recall by a manufacturer or a mandatory recall ordered by the Commission.

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CPSC Consumer Information Hotline

Contact us at this toll-free number if you have questions about a recall:

800-638-2772 (TTY 301-595-7054)

Times: 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. ET; Messages can be left anytime

Call to get product safety and other agency information and to [report unsafe products](#).

Media Contact

Please use the phone numbers below for all media requests.

Phone: 301-504-7908

Spanish: 301-504-7800