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August 15, 2012

Product Alert

Type of Notification: Product Safety Notification

FM Approvals has been notified by Graco Inc. of a potential safety concern involving FM Approved Graco PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592 and Graco PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312 manufactured between June 2010 and June 2012.

Company Identity:	Graco Inc.
Name:	Graco Inc
Address:	88 - 11th Avenue Northeast.
	Minneapolis, MN 55413

Contact Information:	Product and Customer Service information is available on the internet at: http://www.graco.com/us/en/products.html
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Product Identity:	Graco PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592 and Graco PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312
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Description:	<p>Graco Inc. has identified a potential safety concern affecting Graco PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592 and Graco PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312.</p> <p>Graco has discovered that a revised version of the Graco branding label on the gun shroud cover is conductive. This label can build up a charge that can arc to the grounded manifold, potentially igniting any flammable fumes that may be present.</p> <p>These guns should not be operated until the blue branding label shown below is removed. Each of these PRO Auto Xs Guns/Kits uses two Graco branding labels. Graco has created replacement branding labels that will be available after July 13, 2012.</p>
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Make/Model:	Graco PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592 and Graco PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312
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Nameplate Data	Graco PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592 and Graco PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312
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FM Approval Status:	FM Approved
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Hazard Involved:

Graco Inc has issued a product safety notification regarding FM Approved Graco PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592 and Graco PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312 manufactured between June 2010 and June 2012.

Please read the attached for a complete description of the potential hazard.

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Safety Alert

July 11, 2012

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PRO Auto Xs Automatic Guns and Shroud Kits Metallic Labels

Our records show you have purchased a PRO Auto Xs Gun or a PRO Auto Xs Kit that may have a potential safety issue. We recently discovered that a revised version of the Graco branding label on the gun shroud cover is conductive. This label can build up a charge that can arc to the grounded manifold, potentially igniting any flammable fumes that may be present.

The products affected have blue branding labels (Figure 1) and were manufactured between June 2010 and June 2012:

PRO Auto Xs Guns: 24A206, 244589, 244590, 244591, 244592

PRO Auto Xs Shroud Cover Kits: 24B531, 245312

Do not operate these guns until the blue branding label shown below has been removed. Each of these PRO Auto Xs Guns/Kits uses two Graco branding labels. Graco has created replacement branding labels that will be available after July 13, 2012.

Figure 1: Products Affected.



Blue label, with no part number.
MUST be removed.

Figure 2: Products NOT Affected.



Grey labels are OK.
No Action Required.

Distributors are to identify end users that have purchased these guns and make sure that they receive a copy of this Safety Alert. All current inventory and end user guns with blue labels must be reworked to remove the blue labels.

The replacement label is shown below and has the part number and revision letter in the border.



In summary, please follow these steps:

- 1) Remove the blue Graco branding labels and discard. (Figure 1)
- 2) Contact Graco Customer Service to receive the necessary number of free replacement labels, part number 198729 Rev. D. (Figure 3)

We sincerely appreciate your help with this important matter.

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