

Important Safety Notice – Product Improvement

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Model RS3 Grapple Trucks

Customer: City of Corpus Christi, TX

- Read this letter carefully.

WARNING

Under long-term use, the spindle portion of the head assembly in a Petersen Model RS3 Grapple Truck may develop cracks resulting in failure of the spindle. A spindle failure could result in the boom separating from the pedestal without warning, and could result in serious injury or death.

- The following Petersen Model RS3 Grapple Truck(s) must be taken out of service immediately:

**Petersen Serial #RS3-0197-0765, Truck VIN# H463967
Petersen Serial #RS3-1199-0007, Truck VIN# H249038
Petersen Serial #RS3-0200-0011, Truck VIN# H312613
Petersen Serial #RS3-0300-0012, Truck VIN# H312612
Petersen Serial #RS3-0302-0041, Truck VIN# H267196
Petersen Serial #RS3-0703-0053, Truck VIN# H607106**

- **The head assemblies on the above listed unit(s) must be replaced prior to putting the unit(s) back into service.**
- **Failure to take the Petersen Model RS3 Grapple Truck(s) listed above out of service could cause an accident resulting in severe injuries or death.**
- If you have transferred possession of a Petersen Model RS3 Grapple Truck, notify the current owner immediately. Also, notify Petersen toll free at 800/930-5623, ext. 227.

- You will be contacted by Petersen within the next 2 business days with more information regarding this safety notice and product improvement initiative.
- Please contact us at 800/930-5623 with regard to any questions about this notice.



