## **IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL NOTICE**

## TO: All Dealers

Husky Towing Products has initiated a safety recall on four-part numbers manufactured from 2010 through 2017. The four part numbers are:

- 31569/14-1706
- 31570/14-1707
- 31578/45-0074
- 31581/45-0077

These four parts are associated with the heads of the 16,000 pound KW and 26,000 pound KW fifth wheel hitch products. All product with a "Packed On" date in 2010 through 2017 is affected by this recall. The picture below shows you how to identify the "Packed On" date:



These part numbers may have been assembled without Loctite on three bolts used in the handle guide and the jaw. This condition could result in a user not being able to unlock the jaws to separate the trailer from the hitch or, in the worst case, cause the jaws to open unexpectedly, releasing the trailer from the hitch. Husky Towing Products is not aware of any injuries associated with this potential non-conformity, but we seek your help in addressing the potential hazard out of an abundance of caution.

Owners will be notified by mail about the recall and will be instructed to call Husky's Technical/Warranty Department. We need your help gathering owner information so we can contact the owners with information about the recall and possible repair at your location. Please see page two of this notice for a complete listing of the fifth wheel kit part numbers. Also enclosed is a technical bulletin walking you through the steps in repairing of these heads. There is no cost to owners for this recall and you will be reimbursed for the labor in repairing these heads should you decide to perform the repairs within your shop.

It is a violation of Federal law for you to sell any of the above listed part numbers manufactured prior to 2018 until a replacement part has been provided or a repair has been performed. Repair authorization and tracking must happen through the warranty department for each repair or replacement of each part.

Please use this letter as official notice for these four parts (31569/14-1706, 31570/14-1707, 31578/45-0074 and 31581/45-0077). Replacement parts and new inventory are available. Please work with the Warranty Department to satisfy each customer.

The following is a list of the affected fifth wheel kits that are subject to this recall. We will need owner information current through the date you provide the owner information. A prompt response with the owner information would be greatly appreciated.

## Fifth Wheel Kits with One of these Heads

33013K	or	81-0832
33011K		81-0834
33017K		81-0835
33021K		81-0836
31666K		14-1718
31667K		14-1719
32392K		14-1720
31690K		14-1734
31668K		14-1733
31326K		14-1714
31318K		14-1713

Your assistance with this recall is appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Husky Technical Service at 1-877-544-4449.

Thank you for your support.