



California State Fire Marshal Information Bulletin

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STRIKE FIRST FIRE EXTINGUISHER RECALL

Strike First Corporation voluntarily issued Service Bulletin SB #002. Strike First determined that the valve stem seat in a number of its 2.5lb and 5lb dry chemical fire extinguishers may prevent the extinguisher from discharging properly when activated. As a result of this condition, Strike First has initiated a fire extinguisher retro-fit program. Retro-fit Kits are available free of charge by contacting **Strike First**.

For further information, or to obtain retro-fit kits and instructions on how to retro-fit your Strike First fire extinguisher, contact your local Strike First distributor, or contact Strike First directly: at the following website <http://www.strikefirstusa.com/> or Strike First Corporation of America, 1330 Progress Drive, Front Royal, Virginia, 22630. Telephone: 1-800-255-5515

How to identify affected units

Only Strike First models WBSF-ABC110AP, WBSF-ABC210AP and WBSF-ABC340AP with the following serial numbers are subject to this Notice.

<u>Model number</u>	<u>Affected serial numbers</u>
WBSF-ABC110AP	TC101566-TC108819
WBSF-ABC210AP	TC114969-TC135000 VV822001-VV832000 WH161001-WH167622
WBSF-ABC340AP	TC135894-TC142345

WBSF-ABC110AP



WBSF-ABC210AP



WBSF-ABC340AP



How does the retrofit program work?

Strike First is making available, free of charge, retrofit kits for retrofitting the fire extinguishers that are affected by this Bulletin. Each retrofit kit includes a replacement valve stem assembly, and detailed instructions for removing the existing valve stem assembly from an affected unit and replacing it with the new valve stem assembly. Once the valve stem assembly in an affected unit is properly replaced by a qualified fire extinguisher service organization, the unit will discharge as intended.

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