

IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

Date: March 7, 2017

To: Purchasers of FRAM Model G2 Fuel Filters between July 13, 2016 and December 9, 2016.

Re: **FUEL FILTER SAFETY RECALL: NHTSA RECALL No. 17E006**

THIS NOTICE IS PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY ACT. Champion Laboratories, Inc. has determined that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety may exist in certain FRAM branded Model G2 Fuel Filters.

Fuel filters purchased between **July 13, 2016 and December 9, 2016** may be defective.

Summary of Safety Related Defect

Champion has determined that these pumps may have a manufacturing defect. Connection hoses supplied with the filter may not be properly sized. A fuel leak may occur if a filter is installed with the oversize connection hoses. This leak could pose a risk of fire.

Our Remedy

Champion is working with its customer, FRAM Group Operations LLC, to contact consumers for whom it has information on dates of purchase. If you have not already been contacted, please be advised that Champion will provide a free replacement. If the filter was installed using the hoses supplied with the filter, Champion will pay the cost of installing the replacement. Consumers may contact Customer Service at **1-800-882-0890**. The Customer Service Department is staffed between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Eastern, Monday through Friday. Our customer service staff will provide you with claim processing instructions and assistance

Complaints

If you believe that Champion has failed or is unable to remedy the defect without charge within sixty days of your tender, you may submit a complaint related to this Notice to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590. Alternatively, owners may call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4235 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153) or go to *http://www.safercar.gov*.