

Safety Alert - Cooper Crouse-Hinds Isolating Switch Model GHG 262

Affected RS product

RS 274-7981 only.

Fault

Production fault affecting the contact blocks used within the switch may lead to a temperature rise in excess of the switch's rating under certain circumstances

Affected period

products sold between 01/04/2003 and 08/07/2005

Identification

Customers should check the date code on the product.

Date code is at the bottom left of the label fitted at the bottom of the front face of the product.

The date code is preceded with the text 'Fert.-Nr.

The last digit of the 4 digit date code represents the year.

The middle 2 digits represent the week.

ie. code 0215 represents week 21 of year 2005.

The potentially affected product has date codes of between 0153 and 0155.

Products outside of this range are NOT affected.

Customer Action

If the date code is in the affected range the product should not be used with loads exceeding 8 Amps.

Contact Cooper Crouse Hinds-direct using either the German contact details shown in the Cooper Crouse Hinds letter or the UK contact details shown below.

Customers will be sent replacement contact blocks.

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