# **Safety Action Notice**



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LG 65-inch OLED TVs (certain models) may overheat: product recall

# Summary

A new product recall listing has been added to the Electrical Safety First product checker. The product has been recalled by the manufacturer as it could pose a serious risk to users.

### **Action**

- This notice should be brought to the attention of all appropriate staff and managers.
- Identify affected items, remove them from use and place in a secure guarantine area.
- Contact the supplier for further information and assistance.

## **Equipment Details**

Details supplied by Electrical Safety First

2016: 65-inch LG OLED65E6 2017: 65-inch LG OLED65B7 2017: 65-inch LG OLED65C7 2017: 65-inch LG OLED65E7 2017: 65-inch LG OLED65W7

# Problem / background

Electrical Safety First (ESF) is a campaigning charity that aims to reduce deaths and injuries caused by electricity in UK homes. ESF has highlighted a manufacturer's product recall on a domestic appliance which may be widely used across Scotland's health and social care facilities.

LG Electronics is recalling some 65-inch OLED TVs from 2016 and 2017 that were sold in Europe, as part of a voluntary program announced by the European Commission.

The overheating issue is caused by a flaw in a power board element designed to eliminate interference from impurities in the power supply causing the current in the power supply board to increase to excessive levels.

Full details of the recall are available on the Electrical Safety First website: click here

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Enquiries (and adverse incident reports) in Scotland should be addressed to:

#### Incident Reporting & Investigation Centre (IRIC)

NHS National Services Scotland

Gyle Square, 1 South Gyle Crescent, Edinburgh EH12 9EB

Tel: 0131 275 7575 Email: <a href="mailto:nss.iric@nhs.scot">nss.iric@nhs.scot</a>

Report options are available on the HFS website: <u>How to report an Adverse Incident</u> Further information about reporting incidents can be found in <u>CEL 43 (2009)</u> or by contacting IRIC at the above address.

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