

## **CPSC, LEGO Systems Announce Voluntary Recall to Replace Power Functions IR Speed Remote Control**

Washington, DC – In cooperation with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), LEGO Systems is voluntarily recalling 997 Power Functions IR Speed Remote Control units. Some of the units can pose a thermal burn hazard to users if batteries inside overheat.

LEGO Systems has received 4 reports of batteries overheating. No injuries have been reported.

The remote control units were sold separately (item 8879) or sold in the Emerald Night Train Kit (item K1094) and Power Functions Kit (item K8882).

The remote control units were only sold directly to consumers through <http://shop.LEGO.com> or the LEGO Shop at Home catalog and were not sold at any retail outlets. They were sold to consumers between April 8, 2009 and May 6, 2009.



All consumers who have purchased this item are being asked to immediately stop using the remote control and to check [here](#) to see if it is part of the recall. Purchasers will also be contacted directly by LEGO Systems with information on how to determine if their IR remote control unit is part of the recall and how to receive a replacement unit.

For additional information or answers to any questions, contact LEGO Systems at 1-800-718-1858 between the hours of Monday-Friday 8am-10pm ET and Saturday-Sunday 10pm-6pm ET or visit [www.LEGO.com/service](http://www.LEGO.com/service).