



## User Advisory Notice

### 8233 and 8293 Particulate Respirators – 100 Class

November 20, 2017

Dear Valued 3M Customer,

It has come to our attention that a limited number of 3M™ Particulate Respirator, 8233, N100 and 3M™ Particulate Respirator, 8293, P100 product that shipped recently from our facility do not meet the NIOSH specifications for N-100 class or P-100 class respirators. The NIOSH specification for penetration of 100 class respirators is 99.97%. Approximately 1% of the affected lot could have a penetration as low as 99.96%. Out of an abundance of caution we would like to make you aware of this issue so that you can determine if this will affect your use of these products.

The lots of the potentially affected 8233 and 8293 are outlined in Table 1.

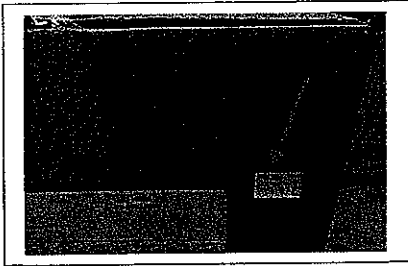
Table 1

Model	ID #	Lots
3M™ Particulate Respirator, 8233, N100	70-0707-0901-2	A17280 A17281 A17282 A17283 A17284 A17285 A17294
3M™ Particulate Respirator, 8293, P100	70-0707-5747-4	A17270 A17271 A17285 A17286 A17290 A17291

The lots can be determined in several ways, as outlined on the next page:



1) Examine the lot code on the outer shipping label of the product carton. Potentially affected product will have a lot code on the outer shipper matching any one of the lot codes in Table 1.



2) Examine the bag that the product is packed in. Potentially affected product will have a lot code on the upper right corner matching any one of the lot codes in Table 1.



If you determine that you possess product with any of the above lot codes and would like to return it, please contact 1-800-355-6682 for replacement instructions. 3M strives to provide the highest quality of products in the marketplace and apologizes for any inconvenience.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call your local 3M representative or Technical Service Helpline at 1-800-243-4630. In Canada please contact the Canadian Service Center at 1-800-267-4414.

Sincerely,

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