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February 24th, 2009

Smith & Wesson Recalls Walther PPK and PPK/S Pistols

On February 20, 2009, Smith & Wesson issued a [RECALL of Walther PPK and PPK/S pistols](#). This recall applies to all Walther PPK and PPK/S pistols manufactured by Smith & Wesson from March 21, 2002, until February 3, 2009. Smith & Wesson has identified a condition that may exist in certain PPK and PPK/S pistols which may permit a round to be discharged without the trigger being pulled. When the manual safety is disengaged, Smith & Wesson's Product Engineering Group has determined that the possibility exists in certain firearms that lowering the hammer may cause a chambered round to fire.



[CLICK HERE](#) for the Serial Numbers of the pistols subject to this recall.

Remedy and Action to Be Taken

Smith & Wesson advises: "STOP USING YOUR PISTOL AND RETURN IT TO SMITH & WESSON AT ONCE. Any unintended discharge of a firearm has the potential for causing injury, and we ask that you stop using your pistol immediately.

When you return your pistol to Smith & Wesson, we will replace the existing hammer block feature with a new part at no cost to you. Your firearm will be returned as quickly and efficiently as possible. When your pistol is returned, you should note a punch dot which appears at the back of the frame. See the photograph below. This marking is verification that the new hammer block has been installed and that your pistol is safe to handle."



FREE Shipping Voucher and Instructions

To receive a UPS pre-paid billable stamp and shipping instructions to arrange for the modification of your pistol, [CLICK HERE](#) or contact Smith & Wesson directly at 1-800-331-0852.

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