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Letter to the following organizations:

Ringette Canada

Hockey Canada

Standards Council of Canada (SCC)

**Subject: Recall process monitoring – Neck Protectors**

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Dear Madam/Sir,

This letter aims to signal the initiation of a recall process by Reebok-CCM Hockey for Reebok-TCPRE model goaltender neck protectors on which the BNQ compliance brand appears by virtue of certificate no. 1684.

The neck protectors are made in China for the company SPORT MASKA INC. (REEBOK-CCM HOCKEY) at the YAYORK PLASTICAL PRODUCTS (SHENZHEN) CO LTD factory and are available under item nos. K101SR TCPRE and K101JR TCPRE.

The products targeted by the recall process failed a mandatory laboratory test as per certification protocol BNQ 9415-970, during the last monitoring activity conducted by the BNQ in February 2014. The failure was later confirmed through other laboratory tests performed in March 2014. The recalled products were removed from the Reebok-CCM Hockey certification range by the BNQ. No incidents or injuries have been reported to Reebok-CCM Hockey relative to the use of these products.

The recall potentially targets 11,515 neck protectors sold in Canada and the United-States between 2012 and 2014.

The BNQ has been supervising Reebok-CCM Hockey's action plan since non-compliance of the neck protectors has been ascertained, and is making sure Reebok takes the recalled products off the shelves and stops using the BNQ compliance brand in relation with the recalled products.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require further information.

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