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To: All TecumsehPower Customers

Subject: Replacement Fuel Tank 37947 Engineering Part Number 1A116-452-95

Please be advised that the above replacement fuel tanks will no longer be available and is out of CPC's control. We at Certified Parts Corporation are sorry for any inconvenience this will cause you.

As a part of CPC's agreement to purchase certain assets of TecumsehPower, we were to be reimbursed for any warranties and were indemnified of any fuel tank failures. Unfortunately, TecumsehPower/Platinum Equity has breached this commitment. CPC has paid claims in good faith to TecumsehPower dealers and end users; regrettably, we can no longer accept or process claims for this fuel tank.

This particular tank has a history of fuel leaks and is subject to further possible Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) actions. TecumsehPower/Platinum Equity voluntarily reported this failure to the CPSC and has worked with them on these failures and the resupply of new replacement tanks. Based on this ongoing potential action by the Consumer Products Safety Commission and potential legal actions, CPC cannot and will not accept responsibility or any liabilities related to these fuel tanks that fail in the field. The responsibility for these tanks remains with TecumsehPower/Platinum Equity.

TecumsehPower/Platinum Equity has chosen to use a third party vendor to replace defective fuel tanks and not use the typical warranty/parts system provided by the TecumsehPower dealer network. Please see Service Bulletin 506 dated 11/01/2010 for information on how to order tanks from their vendor, [tankshiper@gmail.com](mailto:tankshiper@gmail.com). CPC has no connection to this third party.

We again regret this position by our company. If you require further information on this fuel tank, please direct questions to Vic Birchmeier at the contact information below:

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Enclosed you will find Service Bulletin 506

