IMPORTANT RECALL NOTICE

December 2007

SCALPEL CARBON 100

Cannondale Bicycle Corporation is conducting a Recall.

All Scalpel Carbon 100 frames or complete bicycles currently in the field must be returned immediately to Cannondale for evaluation.

Our records indicate that between October 25th and December 7th, 2007 you were shipped Scalpel Carbon 100 bicycle(s) / frame(s) which are subject to this recall. A Cannondale Representative will call you soon to provide you with the details on each of the bikes and frames shipped to you.

The Scalpel Carbon 100 XC race frame uses cutting edge construction techniques. Unfortunately through our extensive testing we have found that a minor percentage of the Scalpel Carbon 100's currently in the field have proven to not meet our strict quality standards. The problem with these particular frames is the bonding of the chainstays to the rear dropouts. These frames could experience a separation of this bond joint over time, resulting in an unridable, unusable and unsafe frame.

Please contact immediately any customer who has purchased one of these bicycles. Ask that they stop riding and bring the bicycle to your shop as soon as possible.

You will soon receive more detailed instructions regarding the exact procedure.

Rest assured that Cannondale is taking the necessary actions to expedite the entire procedure and guarantee that you and your customer get the best possible solution. We need to ensure that each bicycle / frame is up to our premium quality standards and honors our lifetime warranty promise.

We apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your cooperation in this important safety program.

Please call Cannondale Dealer Service with any questions: 00800-123-123-11

