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Cummins Onan: recall identity and repair evidence

Verifying product recalls | Part 1

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PART 01

The decision in brief

The Onan P5000iDF EFI is the model named in CPSC recall 27-087, announced November 12, 2026. For a particular generator, match its model and part number against Cummins campaign 7308. CPSC says to stop using recalled units immediately and arrange a free repair through an authorized service location. The public notice establishes the recall and remedy offer; it does not establish that your unit has been checked or repaired.

Publication date: November 13, 2026. Historical event dates are identified separately. This PDF and the article use the same structured source selection and findings.

PART 02

Executive summary: three questions, three records

A recall can be verified at the product level while an individual unit's status remains unresolved. This case separates the published recall, the match to a particular generator and evidence that the prescribed repair was actually completed. A notice, appointment and completed service record should occupy different fields.

- Recall established: CPSC identifies Cummins Onan P5000iDF EFI dual-fuel portable generators and lists repair as the remedy.
- Unit match unresolved here: CPSC directs owners to check model and part number through campaign 7308. The manufacturer's detailed campaign page could not be retrieved in this review.
- Repair completion unverified: none of the reviewed public materials is a service record for a specific generator. [S1]

The outcome is a bounded public-source dossier, not clearance to operate a unit. A missing identifier or inaccessible campaign page is an open evidence task, not a negative recall result.

PART 03

Identify the campaign and the physical unit

The distributor named in the notice is Cummins Inc., Columbus, Indiana. The product is the dark-gray Onan P5000iDF EFI Dual Fuel Portable Generator. Record CPSC recall 27-087 and the linked Cummins campaign 7308 separately: one identifies the agency notice, the other the manufacturer's campaign. The notice's calendar date is November 12, 2026, despite the 2027 segment in its URL. [S1]

CPSC's label photograph shows model P5000iDF EFI and part number A075C500. It illustrates where to read identifiers on the side of a generator. Treat A075C500 as the identifier visible in that example, not as a complete campaign eligibility list or a substitute for checking the actual unit. Its printed build date also does not establish when an owner purchased a generator. [S2]

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EVIDENCE FIELD	RECORD IT THIS WAY	WHAT IT ESTABLISHES
Agency notice	CPSC 27-087; November 12, 2026	Identity and date of the public recall [S1]
Manufacturer campaign	Cummins 7308, linked from CPSC	The campaign to consult for the affected model/part check [S1]
Actual unit	Photograph its model, part number and unit identifier	A matchable asset record; not yet a campaign determination
Campaign determination	Dated manufacturer or authorized-service confirmation tied to those identifiers	The recorded answer about that unit's applicability
Service completion	Completed work record tied to the same unit and campaign	Documented work, distinct from booking or scheduling

PART 04

Chronology: sales window, announcement and evidence check

These dates describe different events. The sales window is background, the announcement is a public action, and the evidence-check date describes this review.

DATE	SOURCE-BACKED DEVELOPMENT	LIMIT
May 2025-August 2026	CPSC reports the recalled products were sold during this period.	A sales window is not a unit-specific eligibility determination. [S1]
November 12, 2026	CPSC publishes recall 27-087, covering about 2,960 generators and offering a repair.	The estimated affected population is not a count of completed repairs. [S1]
November 13, 2026	This review checks the notice, its identifier image and CPSC program guidance.	The detailed manufacturer campaign page and unit-level service evidence remain unavailable to this review. [S1] [S2] [S3]

No service appointment, repair or manufacturer confirmation for an actual owner was obtained. The workflow below describes the next evidence to collect; it does not report actions already performed.

PART 05

Findings: what the recall proves and what it leaves open

CPSC describes incorrectly installed valves that impede gasoline-tank venting. Pressure can force fuel out or eject the cap, creating fire and burn risks. The notice attributes 11 reports to the firm, including a fuel splash for which no medical attention was needed. Those reported incidents do not supply a failure rate or establish the condition of every generator. [S1]

The stated remedy is a free repair at an authorized Cummins service location after the affected-model/part check. The agency lists 800-286-6467 and links the manufacturer's campaign and service locator. There is no basis here to treat a scheduled appointment, product registration or a generic invoice as proof that campaign work was completed on a particular unit. [S1]

CPSC labels this a Fast Track recall. Its program guidance explains that successful participation avoids a staff preliminary determination that the product contains a defect creating a substantial product

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hazard. That procedural feature does not cancel the recall instructions. Nor does the label establish a court liability judgment or repair completion. [S1] [S3]

The evidence comes from one publisher: CPSC. Its notice, photograph and general program guidance are not three independent confirmations. The notice attributes incident information to the company; underlying engineering tests, individual incident files and a campaign completion report were not reviewed.

We attempted the manufacturer campaign and recall index; direct access returned a challenge, and a browser attempt did not yield usable campaign text. We therefore cannot reproduce the full eligibility criteria or certify whether the manufacturer added an exception or revision. Nothing in the reviewed notice creates an exception for a unit that has not malfunctioned or is operated on propane. Do not infer such an exception from the fuel-tank description. [S1]

PART 06

Decision tree: from notice to documented disposition

1. DO THE ACTUAL UNIT'S IDENTIFIERS MATCH THE RECALLED PRODUCT DESCRIPTION?

- If established: Record the model and part number exactly, preserve the label evidence and continue to the campaign check.
- If unresolved: If the label is missing, unreadable or different, record the uncertainty. Do not infer safety from a failed text match; obtain manufacturer guidance.

2. IS THERE A CURRENT CAMPAIGN DETERMINATION FOR THOSE IDENTIFIERS?

- If established: Preserve its date, source and scope. For an affected unit, follow the agency's stop-use and authorized-repair instructions.
- If unresolved: Keep applicability unresolved and seek confirmation through the contact listed in the official notice. A blocked website is not a finding that the unit is unaffected.

3. DOES THE EVIDENCE SHOW COMPLETED CAMPAIGN WORK ON THAT SAME UNIT?

- If established: Check the completed date, provider, unit identifiers, campaign reference and work described. Record the document-supported disposition and any limits.
- If unresolved: Keep repair completion unverified. An appointment, shipping receipt or general maintenance record is not the missing completion record.

4. DOES A LATER NOTICE OR MANUFACTURER INSTRUCTION CHANGE THE SCOPE OR REQUIRED ACTION?

- If established: Add a dated version and reopen any affected conclusion; retain the earlier evidence.
- If unresolved: State the date and sources checked. Do not turn a bounded search into a guarantee that no update exists.

This tree organizes evidence. It does not authorize use, prescribe a repair or replace manufacturer service instructions.

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PART 07

Reproduce the review in Dossier

- Define the question as an evidence task: “Does this asset fall within campaign 7308, and what record supports its current repair status?” Separate applicability from completion.
- Create source records for the agency notice, label image and program guidance. Preserve original bytes, source URLs and capture times; distinguish the image example from your own unit evidence.
- Create an asset record with exact identifiers. Keep owner contact details and unit-specific records private; the public example needs neither.
- Build the three-event chronology above, then add only documented unit-level events. Label an appointment as scheduled and a completed service record as documentary evidence of completion.
- Attach each finding to its supporting source. Keep missing campaign criteria, unreadable labels and absent service documents as open questions with a specific evidence request.
- Before issuing a report, check that the identifier on any completion record matches the asset, that the work addresses the campaign, and that no newer instruction changes the conclusion. Export the report with the evidence-check date and remaining gaps.

This is a reproducible authoring method, not a claim that records were uploaded, a provider was contacted or a repair was verified in a live Dossier workspace. The downloadable dossier uses the same public-source content as this article.

PART 08

Follow-up evidence that would change the result

- For eligibility: the current, readable campaign 7308 criteria or an authorized manufacturer determination tied to the actual model and part number.
- For completion: a completed authorized-service record identifying the unit, campaign, work and completion date. Resolve missing or inconsistent identifiers before describing it as completed campaign work.
- For campaign-wide performance: a dated original completion report with its denominator and definition of completed remedy. The approximate 2,960-unit recall count alone is not that evidence.
- For changed instructions: a revised CPSC notice or original manufacturer update. Record the changed wording and effective scope without erasing the earlier capture.

The transferable lesson is to keep the public action, asset match and completed remedy separate. The related Pentax recall walkthrough applies that same discipline to medical-device inventory.

PART 09

Questions readers ask

WHICH CUMMINS GENERATOR IS NAMED IN THE NOVEMBER 12 RECALL?

CPSC recall 27-087 names the Onan P5000iDF EFI Dual Fuel Portable Generator. The notice directs owners to check the model and part number through Cummins campaign 7308. A product name alone does not replace that unit check. [S1]

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DOES THE PHOTOGRAPH PROVE EVERY A075C500 GENERATOR IS AFFECTED?

No. A075C500 is visible in CPSC's example label image. The image shows identifier placement; this review did not obtain the manufacturer's full campaign criteria. Keep any claim about a specific unit subject to a current campaign determination. [S1] [S2]

DOES A FREE REPAIR OFFER MEAN THE GENERATOR HAS BEEN REPAIRED?

No. An offer establishes an available remedy in the notice. A unit-specific completion claim needs evidence of completed campaign work, with matching identifiers. This review obtained no such record. [S1]

CAN I KEEP USING A RECALLED GENERATOR BECAUSE IT SEEMS TO WORK?

CPSC instructs consumers to stop using recalled units immediately and arrange the free authorized repair. The notice does not make that instruction conditional on a prior malfunction. Use the official manufacturer contact for an unresolved unit check. [S1]

DOES FAST TRACK MEAN CPSC CLEARED THE PRODUCT AS SAFE?

No. Fast Track is a recall process. CPSC's guidance describes the absence of a preliminary hazard determination for successful participants, not a safety clearance or proof that every affected unit has received its remedy. [S3]

WHAT REMAINS UNVERIFIED AS OF NOVEMBER 13?

The complete manufacturer campaign criteria, any actual unit's applicability and its repair completion remain unverified in this public-source review. The article does not estimate a repair rate or claim that an individual generator is cleared for use.

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PART 10

Linked source register

Titles with a recorded URL link to that source. Entries without a URL identify retained material but do not open an original file. For any court or business record being used in litigation, obtain a certified copy directly from the clerk or filing authority and preserve the retrieval date.

S1 **Cummins portable generator recall 27-087**
Original agency recall notice. Anchor: Recall Date; Description; Hazard; Remedy; Incidents/Injuries; Recall number. November 12 notice, about 2,960 units and repair remedy. Links Cummins campaign 7308. Company-reported incidents; no unit-specific completion evidence. · retrieved 2026-11-13

S2 **CPSC photograph of the generator identifier label**
Image attached to the original notice. Anchor: First two rows: model P5000iDF EFI and part number A075C500. Visually checked. Example label only; not an exhaustive eligibility list or evidence about a reader's unit. Same publisher as S1. · retrieved 2026-11-13

S3 **Learn About the Fast-Track Program**
Original agency program guidance. Anchor: CPSC Fast Track Recall Program; corrective action and preliminary determination paragraphs. General program context, not a campaign-specific technical finding, court ruling or completion report. · retrieved 2026-11-13

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