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A SAFETY BULLETIN

Counterfeit Kirby Morgan® 28 BandMasks® and Spare Parts

Subject: DANGER & fraud posed to users of counterfeit KMB 28 BandMask[®] with counterfeit 455 regulator.

Kirby Morgan Dive Systems Inc.,[®] (KMDSI) has received a counterfeit KMB 28 that is solicited as a Genuine Kirby Morgan product.

KMDSI has inspected and conducted laboratory and man testing on the counterfeit KMB 28 with findings that are well below the KMDSI standard for safety.







The counterfeit KMB 28 BandMask® **VISUALLY APPEARS** to be the same as a genuine KMB 28, but looks are deceiving.

Man testing has proved that the counterfeit KMB 28 has **SEVERE breathing limitations** once it is in the water. This causes KMDSI concern that use **could lead to serious injury or death.**





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This counterfeit is being sold out of China by:

YANTAI HAIYUN DIVING EQUIPMENT CO. LTD. TAIDA MACHINERY INDUSTRY CO., LIMITED

Selling through: made-in-china.com Selling through: Taobao.com

Yantai HONG XU Electronics Co., Ltd.

Yantai Hopetek Electronics Co., Ltd.

Yantai Ankang Food Co., Ltd.

Yantai Beiyang Diving Equipment Co., Ltd.

YantaiLonghai Diving Equipment Co., Ltd.

For the welfare of the diver KMDSI strongly emphasizes the importance of ONLY purchasing KMDSI products directly from an authorized KMDSI dealer. A complete list of our dealers is available on our website: http://www.kirbymorgan.com/dealers.

When purchasing new or used, one can always check KMDSI authenticity by sending serial numbers directly to KMDSI@kirbymorgan.com for verification.

BE ALERT, BE INFORMED; PURCHASE AND USE ONLY GENUINE KMDSI PRODUCTS.

A CAUTION

Use only KMDSI original replacement parts. The use of other manufacturers' parts will interfere with the performance characteristics of your life support equipment and may jeopardize your safety. Additionally, any substitutions will void any warranties offered by KMDSI. When ordering spares, always insist on Kirby Morgan Genuine Parts.

Please contact your local KMDSI dealer or e-mail sales@kirbymorgan.com for more information.

