

Inspection Advisory

Fall Protection Products with Yoke Snaphooks

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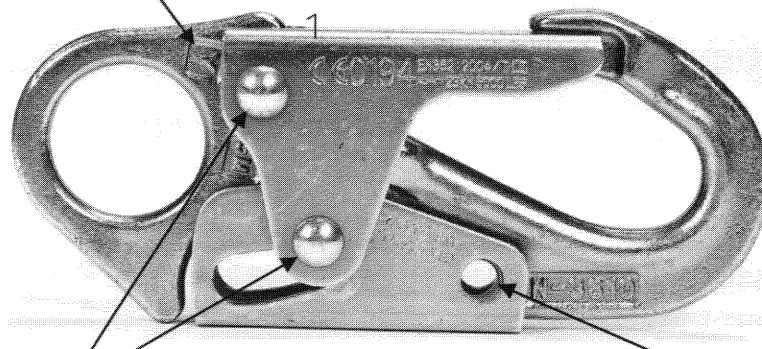
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Dear MSA Fall Protection Customer,

We are issuing this *Inspection Advisory* to you, and apologize for any inconvenience that it may cause.

Yoke Industrial Corporation, the manufacturer of snaphooks used on many fall protection products industry wide, including MSA's, recently notified MSA of an issue involving the potential for missing or improperly installed rivets on Yoke snaphooks. Although the photographs below depict one snaphook model, other Yoke snaphook models are affected. The stamped "Y", as shown below, identifies the snaphook manufacturer.

"Y" (Yoke) Symbol



Rivets in Place

Missing Rivet



Un-spun (un-crimped) Rivet

Properly Secured Rivets