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APPLE RECALL INFORMATION

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Subject: Apple response to request for information to present to NTSB

In response to your request, Apple is providing the following information and giving you permission to provide this to the NTSB for their hearing in July. Please let me know if you have any questions.

2004 Apple Recall

- The type of battery/cells (lithium, lithium-ion or other)
 - Lithium-ion
- The actual manufacturer of the cells
 - LG Chem, Ltd., of South Korea
- The actual manufacturer/assembler of the battery pack
 - Assembled by Gallopwire Enterprise
- The number of cells in each battery pack
 - 6
- The amount of lithium or the equivalent lithium content, as defined by DOT, in each battery pack
 - 3.96 grams of equivalent lithium content (2200 mAH x .3 x 6 cells / 1000)
- A brief description of the damages associated with the recalled batteries
 - 4 incidents of overheating. No injuries. In two incidents, minor damage to the desk.

2005 Apple Recall

- The type of battery/cells (lithium, lithium-ion or other)
 - Lithium ion
- The actual manufacturer of the cells
 - LG Chem, Ltd. of South Korea
- The actual manufacturer/assembler of the battery pack
 - Assembled by Kunshan Delphi Electronic Co.

- The number of cells in each battery pack
 - 6
- The amount of lithium or the equivalent lithium content, as defined by DOT, in each battery pack
 - 4.32 grams of equivalent lithium content (2400 mAH \times .3 \times 6 \times 1000)
- A brief description of the damages associated with the recalled batteries
 - In two incidents in the U.S., there were flames coming from the computer causing damage to the computer, table and some papers.
 Four incidents outside the U.S.; one woman slightly burned her hands.

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