



Important Safety Recall Petzl NOMIC and ERGONOMIC Ice Axes Free Replacement Shaft

March 26, 2026

In cooperation with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission and Health Canada Petzl America, Inc is voluntarily recalling specific batches of NOMIC and ERGONOMIC ice axes.

Hazard: The ice axe shaft can break at the handle during use, posing a fall hazard, which can result in serious injury or death.

Incidents: Petzl has received 26 reports of shafts breaking at the handle. No injuries have been reported.

Affected Products: This recall applies only to:

Model Name and Number	Affected Serial Codes	Manufacturing Period (approximate)
NOMIC U021AA00	17L 0000000 000 through 20F 9999999 999	December 2017–June 2020
ERGONOMIC U022AA00	18F 0000000 000 through 21L 9999999 999	June 2018–December 2021

**Tools outside these code ranges are not included.*



NOMIC

ERGONOMIC

REMEDY INSTRUCTIONS

Stop using any affected NOMIC or ERGONOMIC immediately. Please [click here](https://www.petzl.com/US/en/Sport/Contact?request=product-recall) or scan the QR code to find out if your ice axe is affected and, if so, to obtain a free replacement shaft for your ice axe:



Contact Petzl America

Online:

<https://www.petzl.com/US/en/Sport/Contact?request=product-recall>

Email: returns@petzl.com

Phone: 877-807-3805 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. MT Mon through Fri

We appreciate your prompt attention to this safety notice and your continued trust in Petzl.

Sincerely,
Petzl America, Inc.

**Post until July 24, 2026.*