

## Scout Paramotors USA Safety Bulletin

*“Unauthorized/Amateur assembly of gray-market Scout paramotors”*

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**Issue of Concern** - One or more Scout paramotor components were imported to an unauthorized dealer in the US and assembled/sold as complete units.

**Equipment/components affected** - These paramotors utilized factory OEM frame, cage (“old” carbon and enduro), harness, and “enduro stands.”

**Timeframe/source** - The units in question are believed to have been assembled and sold in the last quarter of 2016 by Parasports Industries / Power2flyUSA / Facebook profile “Kyle Matula.”

**Potential product deficiencies** - The Scout paramotor is a system that relies on proper installation of features and components to assure safety and function. This dealer provided and installed Vittorazi Moster plus engines, but assembly techniques and procedures are unknown. We have reason to believe there were deviations in assembly of components from factory standard. These imports are not genuine Scout paramotors and would not qualify for two-year factory warranty until they have been inspected by an authorized Scout dealer.

**Solution** - If you suspect that you may have unknowingly purchased a non-genuine Scout Paramotor, the important thing is to check in with a Scout dealer and make sure your unit is safely and properly set up. Scout paramotors USA is only concerned with the function of the paramotor and the safety of the user. Regardless of how you obtained the unit, you are now part of the Scout family - and we want to ensure your safety and satisfaction.

Scout Paramotors USA will assist with inspection and provide parts to make the units consistent with genuine, production-line Scout paramotors. Once the units have been identified and updated to standard, Scout paramotors USA will register the paramotors and provide a 2-year factory warranty to the customer (from the time of purchase).

UPDATE - One unit (a Scout Carbon) has been identified and is in the process of being updated. It is believed that there is at least one more in the country - likely a Scout Enduro model. This bulletin will remain published until all units are identified and updated to standard.

-Scout Paramotors USA