

Safety Alert

Internal Loose Connections on Iskra Meters (RM259) Store Code: 4172007

Meter Asset Management have been alerted to a serious metering quality & safety issue, involving loose Internal neutral connections in the Iskra RM259 Meter. This has resulted from a problem in the manufacturer's assembly process.

The **Iskra RM259 Meter (Iskra Type ME168)** seen in Figure 1, is a commonly used Single Phase multi-rate electronic meter, 230v, 20/100A, 50Hz, with integral time switch, aux contact and integral isolator, configured for night/day&24hr rate.



Figure 1

Meter Asset Management are currently investigating the extent of this issue and how many units may have been affected. In the meantime, please be aware **that all stock of this item in Ballycoolin Store and in Local Stores are quarantined.**

What Should I Do

Managers/supervisors:

- Ensure all Network Technicians that are involved in metering installations (e.g. metering, on call) receive a copy of this alert.

Network Technicians:

- Do not book out Iskra RM259 Meters (store code: 4172007) from local stores until further notice.
- Return all Iskra RM259 Meters (store code: 4172007) stored in Vans or other storage locations to the local supply chain stores.
- Always carry out LV commissioning procedures when connecting new installations.

If you require any further information on this Safety Alert, please contact:

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