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It is with profound regret that we make the following announcement about Lotus Yarns Mimi, from China. After 3 years on the market, the yarn has been removed from circulation and sale. Our testing of the yarn revealed that the fiber content is a blend of Angora, Wool and Rayon. When we first considered distribution of this product, we raised questions regarding the fiber and construction of the yarn to Lotus Yarns, and Lotus provided documentation that answered our questions. These documents were available to any of our customers upon request. When it was recently suspected that there was some issue with the yarn content, we sent the yarn out for chemical testing, as well as other Lotus yarns. All of the yarns came back fine, except the Mimi yarn.

As a result of this testing, we have stopped selling Mimi, effective June 1st, and we put a recall into effect as of June 22nd. We have asked our stores to return any Mimi yarn that remains on their shelves for full credit.

We have spoken with many stores and consumers who, despite the fiber content change, feel the yarn is still luxurious and beautiful, and it is a pleasure to knit with, and wear. If you have Mimi yarn and wish to return it through this recall, we ask you to please contact the store you purchased through. If this is not possible, you may return the yarn directly to us. We will issue you a credit that can be used at the store of your choice for any Trendsetter Group product. We will refund your new purchase to your chosen store. A list of stores will be sent with your credit. We ask you to include a copy of the receipt for your purchase, along with an address, email address, and telephone number to contact you if necessary.

Please know that we were dismayed to make this discovery. We have worked with many, many yarns for over 30 years, and we have designed yarns with some of the top mills in the world. We have seen most all of our yarns being produced over the years, and we work with a sense of trust with each of our manufacturers. Unfortunately, in this instance, that trust has been broken. As a consequence, we have instituted a plan to fiber test each and every yarn that we distribute in the future.

Please accept our sincere apology for this error. Our goal is to make things right for each consumer and earn your respect for having the most beautiful yarns and patterns in the world.

Sincerely,



Barry Klein, The Trendsetter Group, Van Nuys, CA.