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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

ODI RESUME

OFFICE OF DEFECTS INVESTIGATION

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Investigation: DP 21-004
Prompted by: Defect Petition
Date Opened: 11/17/2021 **Date Closed:** 06/22/2022
Investigator: Nate Seymour **Reviewer:** Joshua Neff
Approver: Otto Matheke
Subject: Semi-Trailer Side Underride Guards

MANUFACTURER & PRODUCT INFORMATION

Manufacturer: Generic Manufacturer
Products: Van-Type Semi-Trailers (2006-2022)
Population: 2,450,000 (Estimated)

Problem Description: A standard van-type semi-trailer does not offer side underride protection to motorists.

FAILURE REPORT SUMMARY

	ODI	Manufacturer	Total
Complaints:	2	0	2
Crashes/Fires:	0	Confidential	Confidential
Injury Incidents:	0	Confidential	Confidential
Number of Injuries:	0	Confidential	Confidential
Fatality Incidents:	0	Confidential	Confidential
Number of Fatalities:	0	Confidential	Confidential
Other*:	5	Confidential	Confidential

***Description of Other:** EWR D&I reports

ACTION / SUMMARY INFORMATION

Action: Petition is denied, close DP.

Summary:

See the attached evaluation report.