



May 21, 2008

Mr. Daniel C. Smith
Associate Administrator for Enforcement
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
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Washington, DC 20590

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OFFICE OF RECALL
MANAGEMENT DIVISION

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Re: Non-Compliance Report

Dear Mr. Smith:

On March 28, 2008 Fleetwood Enterprises, Inc., decided that a non-compliance to the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards 209 "seat belt assemblies" exists in motor homes as listed below, and is furnishing this notification in accordance with 49 CFR Part 573 Defect and Non-Compliance reports.

The following is the information required by 49 CFR Part 573:

- This report was prepared on May 21, 2008.
 - Fleetwood has assigned 80324 as an identification code to this recall.
- (1) The affected motor homes were manufactured by the following wholly owned subsidiaries of Fleetwood Enterprises, Inc.

Fleetwood Motor Homes of California, Inc. #47
5300 Via Ricardo, P.O. Box 5726
Riverside, California 92517

Fleetwood Motor Homes of Pennsylvania, Inc. #71
Drawer 5
Route 487
Paxinos, Pennsylvania 17860

The agency should contact the following individual with respect to this recall:

Chuck James
Director – Parts & Service
Motor Home Division
1010 Commerce Dr., P.O. Box 1007
Decatur, Indiana 46733
Telephone: 260-728-9564
Fax: 260-724-5988

- (2) The vehicles involved in the recall are certain 2008 model year Jamboree Sport and Tioga Ranger 25G model class C motor homes with the wrap-around booth dinette option. These motor homes were manufactured from May 22, 2007 through February 4, 2008.

These motor homes were built with a Fleetwood identification number range of:
788G84797533 through 788G87173053
789G84797541 through 789G87173051

- (3) Fleetwood reports approximately 186 as the number of Jamboree Sport and Tioga Ranger 25 G model class C motor homes that contain the safety defect.
- (4) Fleetwood estimates that 100% of the affected Jamboree Sport and Tioga Ranger 25G model class C motor homes contain the safety defect.
- (5) On certain 2008 Jamboree Sport and Tioga Ranger 25G model class C motor homes affected by this recall, the seat belts at the two center seating positions located on the wrap-around booth dinette, may be too long to achieve proper adjustment. Lack of adequate seat belt protection increases the risk of personal injury in the event of an accident.
- (6) Not applicable.
- (7) Fleetwood began an investigation in January, 2008 after a retail customer reported the non-compliance.

Fleetwood is not aware of any accidents or injuries that have resulted from this non-compliance.

- (8) Fleetwood will inspect and if necessary replace the two seat belts.
- (9) Fleetwood intends to conduct a dealer notification by e-mail on May 30, 2008 .
Fleetwood intends to conduct a customer notification by UPS traceable on June 5, 2008.

Fleetwood does not foresee any problems with implementing this voluntary recall campaign.

- (10) Copies of subsequent correspondence will be submitted to the NHTSA within five (5) working days of distribution. This correspondence will include:
- I) Letter of dealer notification
 - II) Letter of customer notification
 - III) Service Bulletin

A draft of these documents will be forthcoming for your review. If additional information is required, please contact Shelley Krueger who can be reached by phone at (951) 351-3646 or by e-mail at skrueger@fleetwood.com.

Sincerely,

Chuck James
Director of Parts & Service
Motor Home Division