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DEFECT NOTIFICATION

NHTSA REF # RCAF10V082-2274 (NOVABUS)

This Defect Notification is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act in connection with Campaign Recall releases.

Nova Bus has noticed that their vehicles may present a defect which may relate to motor vehicle safety.

Vehicles targeted by this notification can be identified by their vehicle identification number (VIN). A list of the targeted VINs is annexed at the end of this document.

Cummins, the engine manufacturer, was notified of nonconformity in the heat treatment of the fuel pump head. On vehicles that are targeted by this recall campaign, it was decided to have questionable fuel pumps changed out with no further continued use. Cummins determined that the quality issue was not safety-related.

Cummins is proactively replacing the parts under its warranty campaign process. Nova Bus' reference for this issue is document number CR1467A.

Please notify your Nova Bus service representative once the necessary repairs have been carried out, since we are obliged to notify the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration with regular status reports, due to the seriousness of this situation. We have taken this action in the interest of your continued satisfaction with our products.

If you have any questions about this recall campaign you may call 313-592-3708. If you believe that Nova Bus has failed, or is unable to remedy this defect without charge, within a reasonable time, you may submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 800-424-1953), or on the Internet, visit <http://www.safercar.gov>.

Sincerely,

Jean Fournier
Manager, Warranty and Publications



ANNEX

Vehicles affected by this recall campaign:

Nova Order No	Client	Engine Serial Number	VIN
L545 Unit # 1	(MTA) Metropolitan Transit Authority, New York City, NY. (USA)	73059951	4RKYS92U5A4000001