



MOTOR COACH  
INDUSTRIES

May 26, 2010

«Customer\_Name»

ATTENTION: TECH SERVICE DEPT/MAINT

«Address»

«Address\_2»

«City», «State» «Zip»

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**SUBJECT: SAFETY RECALL OF ARVINMERITOR ADAPTER PLATE BOLT  
UNDER-TORQUE**

Ref.: **ARVINMERITOR NHTSA # 10E-014**  
**MCI NHTSA # 10V-199**  
**TRANSPORT CANADA #TC 2010-153**  
**MCI Service Bulletins 345 & 346**

Attention Owner:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act and the Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Motor Coach Industries, Inc. ("MCI") has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain MCI D, E, and J series coaches containing an ArvinMeritor Unitized Wheel End ("UWE") steer or tag axle identified by ArvinMeritor as potentially containing the safety-related defect. ArvinMeritor has reported that certain UWE steer and tag axles may have had an improper amount of torque applied to the hub/rotor/wheel adapter plate bolts during the assembly process. ArvinMeritor has further advised that insufficient bolt torque could result in a wheel off condition, which in turn could result in a crash or otherwise cause personal injury or property damage. Please see the enclosed ArvinMeritor's Part 573 Defect Information Report dated April 30, 2010, customer notification letter dated May 7, 2010, and Technical Bulletin TP-10110, and MCI Service Bulletins 345 and 346, for further information.

The vehicles that are subject to this notice are the following model year 2010 MCI D, E, and J series coaches (last five VIN digits):

59196 – 59419
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65487 - 65597
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SCHAUMBURG, ILLINOIS 60173  
847-285-2000 PHONE  
866-624-2622 TOLL FREE  
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MCI is conducting a recall to check the torque of the affected hub/rotor/wheel adapter plate bolts and replace the bolts as necessary. Please see the enclosed ArvinMeritor materials and MCI Service Bulletins 345 and 346 for further information. The recall work will be provided at no cost to you.

MCI records indicate that you are the owner or operator of the following vehicle(s) included in this recall:

«Unit\_Numbers»

MCI strongly urges you to have the recall work performed on your vehicle(s) as quickly as possible.

You may contact the MCI Customer Service Line at 1-800-241-2947 if you have any questions about this recall campaign or wish to make arrangements to have your vehicle(s) repaired at an authorized MCI service center. Submittal of MCI Warranty Claim Forms may be completed on MCI's website at <http://fleetsupportiw.mcicoach.com/iwarranty/signon> (click on Customer Care System), or a photocopy of the Warranty Claim Form found in the Warranty Manual can be mailed / faxed to the MCI Warranty Department. Please refer to Service Bulletins 345 and 346, and your OWNER LIMITED WARRANTY MANUAL, for more detailed information.

After contacting MCI Customer Service, if you are still unable to have the safety defect remedied without charge and within a reasonable time, you may submit a complaint:

For the U.S.:

The Administrator  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE.,  
Washington, DC 20590;  
or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236; (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

For Canada:

Road Safety and Motor Vehicle  
Regulation Directorate  
Transport Canada  
Tower C, Place de Ville  
330 Sparks Street  
Ottawa, Ontario  
K1A 0N5  
or call the Transport Canada's Information Centre at 1-800-333-0371.

If you are the lessor of the vehicle(s) identified above, Federal law requires that you forward this notice by first class mail to the most recent lessee(s) known to you, within ten days of your receipt of this notice.

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If you have sold or otherwise transferred the vehicle(s) identified above, please contact the MCI Customer Service Line at 1-800-241-2947 with all of the information you have regarding the current owner/operator of the vehicle(s).

If you had your vehicle repaired for this condition prior to receipt of this notice and incurred any costs, you may be eligible for reimbursement. Please contact the MCI Customer Service Line at 1-800-241-2947 for further information in that regard.

We regret the inconvenience this may cause you, but urge you to implement the recall procedures with respect to your vehicle(s) as soon as possible for your added safety and satisfaction.

Sincerely,

*Motor Coach Industries*  
Warranty Department

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