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SUBJECT: NON-COMPLIANCE RECALL

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The self-latching seat mechanism on certain BE, CE, and RE Bus models built 04/08/2010 thru 07/01/2011 with seats produced by The C. E. White Company[®] with the self-latching cushion option.

DEFECT DESCRIPTION

The C.E. White Company[®] has identified a potential non-compliance issue related to the seat latch mechanism on school bus seats. Specifically, the seat cushion does not lock or latch per the requirement in FMVSS 571.222 5.1.5(a). This requirement indicates that when a 48.4 lb. (22 kg) mass is placed in the center of the cushion, the "self" latch mechanism must latch. To ensure continued compliance, The C. E. White Company[®] is suggesting maintenance to the mechanism.

MODELS INVOLVED

This Non-Compliance recall involves certain BE, CE, and RE Bus models built 04/08/2010 thru 07/01/2011 with seats produced by The C. E. White Company[®] with the self-latching seat cushion option.

PARTS INFORMATION

There will be no parts issued to dealers for this campaign. The customer notification letter will include a packet of white lithium grease and instructions for the repair. Customers also have the option of having an International[®] dealer perform the repair. The repair instructions are as follows.

SERVICE PROCEDURE

Please refer to The C. E. White Company[®] repair instructions included with this letter.

LABOR INFORMATION

File a claim for this under 01 warranty, group 22000 noun 697. Use an SRT of 0.5 hours per vehicle.

NAVISTAR, INC



Title: Slam Latch Repair Bulletin

To: Customers with C. E. White slam latch seats

From: C. E. White Service and Warranty Dept. 419/492-2157

Instruction for field repair:

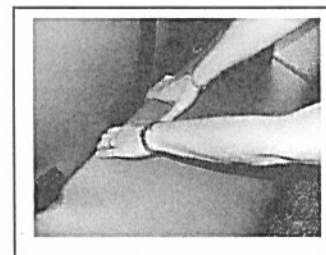
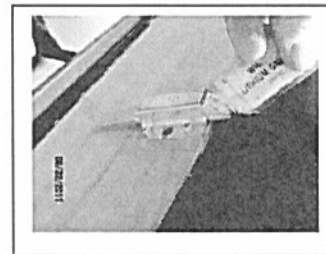
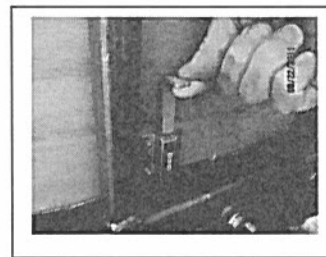
Tools, equipment needed: None

Material needed: White lithium grease (supplied with notice)

Directions:

Note: Each seat equipped with a latch mechanism as shown below needs to be repaired.

- 1) Locate seat requiring repair.
- 2) Release latch mechanism under seat cushion by pulling lever and rotate cushion up (if latch mechanism is not as shown, then seat does not need to be repaired).
- 3) Locate locking mechanism and apply small amount of white lithium grease on latch surface (cover entire surface as shown in picture).
- 4) Rotate seat cushion down and push down until latch mechanism engages seat.
- 5) Pull up on seat cushion to confirm cushion is latched (if not, repeat step 4).



Safety Information for grease: Avoid skin contact (flush with soap and water). Get immediate medical attention if eye contact or swallowed.