

U.S. Department of Transportation

National Highway Traffic Safety
Administration

July 10, 2014

Mr. Phil Hartnagel Senior Manager Product Investigation and Campaigns Chrysler Group LLC 800 Chrysler Drive CIMS 482-00-91 Auburn Hills, MI 48326-2757

Subject: Vanity Lamp Short may Result in Fire

Dear Mr. Hartnagel:

This letter serves to acknowledge Chrysler Group LLC's notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) of a safety recall which will be conducted pursuant to Federal law for the product(s) listed below. Please review the following information to ensure that it conforms to your records as this information is being made available to the public. If the information does not agree with your records, please contact us immediately to discuss your concerns.

1200 New Jersey Avenue SE Washington, DC 20590

NVS-215SM

14V-391

Makes/Models/Model Years:

DODGE/DURANGO/2011-2014 JEEP/GRAND CHEROKEE/2011-2014

Mfr's Report Date: July 1, 2014

NHTSA Campaign Number: 14V-391

Components:

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM:WIRING

Potential Number of Units Affected: 651,130

Problem Description:

Chrysler Group LLC (Chrysler) is recalling certain model year 2011-2014 Dodge Durango and Jeep Grand Cherokee vehicles manufactured January 5, 2010, through December 11, 2013. In the affected vehicles, the wiring for the vanity lamp in the sun visor may short circuit.

Consequence:

If the vanity lamp wiring shorts, there is an increased risk of fire.

Remedy:

Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and repair any damaged wiring, and install a new sun visor spacer that routes the wire, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin in August 2014. Owners may contact Chrysler customer service at 1-800-853-1403. Chrysler's number for this recall is P36.

Notes:

Owners may also contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153), or go to www.safercar.gov.



This recall was the subject of an engineering evaluation, EA14-001, conducted by the Office of Defects Investigation.

Please be reminded of the following requirements:

You are required to submit a draft owner notification letter to this office no less than five days prior to mailing it to the customers. Also, copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall, including a copy of the final owner notification letter and any subsequent owner follow-up notification letter(s), are required to be submitted to this office no later than 5 days after they are originally sent (if they are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or purchaser/owner).

As stated in Part 573.7, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due on, or before, 30 days after the close of the calendar quarter.

Your contact for this recall will be Sarah McShane who may be reached by phone at 202-366-7401, or by email at sarah.mcshane@dot.gov or through the office email at rmd.odi@dot.gov. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Timian

Chief, Recall Management Division Office of Defects Investigations

Enforcement

