

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**14V-586****Manufacturer Name :** Winnebago Industries, Inc**Submission Date :** SEP 22,2014**NHTSA Recall No. :** 14V-586**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Winnebago Industries, Inc

Address : PO BOX 152

605 W. Crystal Lake Rd. Forest City IA 50436

Company phone : 1-641-585-3535

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 3

Estimated percentage with defect : 100

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle : 2008-2012 Winnebago Aspect and Vista

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : The motor vehicles potentially containing the defect were built between September 12, 2007 and February 15, 2012. The specific coaches involved were a 2008, WF726A Aspect, a 2010, WFE32K Vista and a 2102, WFE36D Vista. These coaches were identified using the serial numbers provided by Ricon Corporation and production records showing the coach VIN.

Production Dates : SEP 12, 2007 - FEB 15, 2012

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : Winnebago Industries, Inc. has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists on coaches built with certain Ricon wheel chair lifts. This decision was based on information provided by Ricon Corporation.

Under certain conditions present in some applications, the platforms included in the subject model wheelchair lifts can exhibit cracking of the platform pivot plate while in the stowed position which, if left unchecked, can propagate to the point where separation of the rear portion of the pivot plate occurs rendering the lift potentially inoperable and possibly unsafe for the operator.

In the event that the aforementioned crack occurs on both sides of the platform and is allowed to propagate to the point of material separation on both sides, it is possible for the lift platform to lean against the vehicle lift door(s) and fall out of the vehicle when the door(s) is(are) opened putting the lift operator at risk

Description of the Safety Risk : If the lift is defective and leaning against the lift door(s) and the door(s) is(are) opened, the lift platform could fall from the coach causing bodily injury to a person(s) in close proximity to the lift.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : Ricon Corporation

Address : 1135 Aviation Place

San Fernando CA 91340

Country : US

Chronology :

Winnebago Industries, Inc. discovered the defect as a result of Ricon Corporation contacting Winnebago by Certified mail. Reference Safety Defect Recall Notification 14E-041. Winnebago Industries received this notification on September 16, 2014.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : NR

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Ricon Corporation is conducting their recall under NHTSA No. 14E-041. Winnebago Industries, Inc. will mail owner letters to the owners of the affected coaches directing them to contact Ricon Corporation. Winnebago Industries estimates that the owner letters will be mailed on or about October 3rd, 2014. Ricon Corporation will perform no cost repairs through their dealer network and will be compiling and submitting quarterly reports.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : OCT 03, 2014 - NR

* NR - Not Reported