



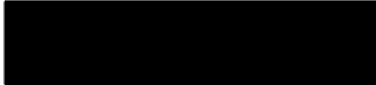
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IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

Subject: Safety Recall 14WKP – Haldex Life Seal® Brake Chamber Improperly Seated
NHTSA # 14V-810
This notice applies to VIN: [REDACTED]



Dear Kenworth Customer,

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

Kenworth Truck Company has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2014-2015 model T270/370, T440/470, T660, T680, T800, T880 and W900 vehicles that were manufactured between May 23, 2014 and January 30, 2015 with Haldex Life Seal® 30/30 Long Stroke Air Brake Actuators. Haldex has informed us that the affected actuators may contain a defective air diaphragm. Specifically, the diaphragm may be improperly seated in the brake chamber, thus preventing a complete attachment to the actuation mechanism of the parking brake section of the Life Seal actuator.

The improperly seated diaphragm could allow air pressure to build internally, which may prevent full release of the actuator unit, and may induce brake drag and may result in overheated wheelend service brakes, increasing the risk of a fire.

The problem is...	Improperly seated rubber diaphragm
Correction...	Replace defective brake chambers
What you must do ...	When parts become available, immediately contact your dealer to schedule an appointment

Kenworth has initiated a recall to remedy the defect, free of charge. Replacement parts from the component manufacturer are not yet available. Once parts become available, you will receive a second letter notifying you that you may take your vehicle to an authorized dealer for repair.

If you require further information about this recall, reimbursement of a pre-notification remedy associated with this recall or experience any difficulty in making arrangements for this repair, please contact: Kenworth Truck Company, P.O. Box 1000, Kirkland, WA 98083-1000, Attn: Quality Services Department, phone 425-828-5000.

If you conclude that Kenworth Truck Company has not enabled you to remedy this defect in reasonable time and without charge, you may submit a complaint to: Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E., 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>

Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days. If you no longer own this vehicle, we would appreciate your advising us of the new owner if you know their name.

We regret any inconvenience that this work may cause you and appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mike Kalkoske
Quality Services Manager