

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

15V-014

Manufacturer Name : Spartan Motors USA

Submission Date : MAY 12, 2016

NHTSA Recall No. : 15V-014

Manufacturer Recall No. : NR



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Spartan Motors USA

Address : 1541 Reynolds Road

Charlotte MI 48813

Company phone : 517-543-6400

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 24

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2015-2015 Spartan Motors Chassis MM

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Chassis affected by this recall are motor home chassis.

Production Dates : OCT 02, 2013 - NOV 19, 2014

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : Front sway bar mounting brackets may break causing the sway bar to detach from the mounting frame.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Should the sway bar become detached increased vehicle sway may occur. This could increase the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : The mounting brackets may not withstand the dynamic loading it may be subject to.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : This could occur without warning.

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR
Address : NR
NR
Country : NR

Chronology :

This information is being provided based on information available at the time of this submission. During a durability test in April a broken sway bar mounting bracket was identified. Between May 2014 and July 2014, warranty data was reviewed. August 2014, roll frequency testing was completed. On January 8, 2015, Spartan determined a safety related defect might exist and filed the defect information report on 1/16/2015.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : A remedy is not yet available and is still being pursued. For this reason, an interim notification may be needed.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : This will be completed when the remedy has been evaluated and determined.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Chassis configurations affected by this recall are no longer in production.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : NR
Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR
Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

* NR - Not Reported