

**Part 573 Safety Recall Report****15V-124****Manufacturer Name :** Blue Bird Body Company**Submission Date :** FEB 27,2015**NHTSA Recall No. :** 15V-124**Manufacturer Recall No. :** R14XE**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Blue Bird Body Company

Address : P.O. Box 937

402 Blue Bird Boulevard Fort Valley GA 31030

Company phone : 478-822-2242

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 406

Estimated percentage with defect : 100

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle : 2016-2016 Blue Bird All American - School Bus (SB)

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM &amp; HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Clamp on intermediate steering column shaft bellows may contact steering shaft floor boot seal and tear floor boot seal and bind steering shaft causing difficulty in steering.

Production Dates : SEP 11, 2014 - JAN 08, 2015

**VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range**

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : Blue Bird Body Company (Blue Bird) is recalling certain 2016 All American School Buses manufactured September 11, 2014 through January 8, 2015. In the affected vehicles, a clamp on the steering shaft may come in contact with the rubber boot at the floor.

Description of the Safety Risk : If the steering shaft clamp comes into contact with the rubber boot, additional effort would be needed to steer the vehicle, increasing the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

**Supplier Identification :**

**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR

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Country : NR

**Chronology :**

NR

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : Blue Bird will notify owners, and dealers will relocate the rubber boot and install a new steering shaft clamp, free of charge. The recall began on July 8, 2014. Owners may contact Blue Bird Customer Service at 1-478-822-2242. Blue Bird's number for this recall is R14XE.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

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

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAR 25, 2015 - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAR 26, 2015 - NR

\* NR - Not Reported