

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**15V-644****Manufacturer Name :** Mack Trucks, Inc.**Submission Date :** OCT 07,2015**NHTSA Recall No. :** 15V-644**Manufacturer Recall No. :** SC0395**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Mack Trucks, Inc.

Address : 2100 Mack Boulevard

PO Box M Allentown PA 18105-5000

Company phone : 610-709-2131

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 448

Estimated percentage with defect : 100

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle : 2011-2014 Mack Pinnacle (CHU, CXU)

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Certain Mack Pinnacle models manufactured from September 20, 2010 through June 17, 2013

Production Dates : SEP 20, 2010 - JUN 17, 2013

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : Reference Fontaine Recall 15E-066 Fontaine Fifth Wheel Company (Fontaine) is recalling certain Ultra LT Fifth Wheel connectors, part number SLTPL4000, manufactured July 29, 2009 to May 27, 2013. Over time, improper coupling techniques may result in cumulative damage to the fifth wheel and its locking mechanism, which in turn may result in the locking mechanism failing to operate or to properly engage.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If the fifth wheel and locking mechanism are sufficiently damaged, the locking mechanism may fail to operate as intended and the trailer may unexpectedly detach from the tractor, increasing the risk of a crash. Mack Trucks has not received reports of vehicle crashes.

Description of the Cause : Reference 15E-066

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : Fontaine Fifth Wheel Company

Address : 7574 Commerce Circle

Trussville ALABAMA 35173

Country : United States

Chronology :

9/11/15 Fontaine informs Mack Trucks of safety recall on their Ultra LT Fifth Wheels. Information sent to Regulatory Affairs, investigation opened

10/2/15 Mack Truck receives owner notification letter from Fontaine and additional documents defining the Fontaine recall

10/7/15 Mack Trucks informs NHTSA that a voluntary safety recall will be conducted to address the trucks

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : inspection as an interim measure and replacement with the Ultra NT model fifth wheel

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Reference 15E-066

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Reference 15E-066

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Mack Trucks will notify owners and provide the instructions as provided by Fontaine, which includes inspection as an interim measure and replacement with the Ultra NT model fifth wheel at no charge to the owner. Mack Trucks plans to have Fontaine administer the repairs and report back completions so that Mack Trucks can file the required progress reports with NHTSA

Planned Dealer Notification Date : OCT 14, 2015 - OCT 14, 2015

Planned Owner Notification Date : NOV 02, 2015 - NOV 02, 2015

* NR - Not Reported