

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**15V-670****Manufacturer Name :** Spartan Motors USA**Submission Date :** NOV 30, 2015**NHTSA Recall No. :** 15V-670**Manufacturer Recall No. :** 15024**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Spartan Motors USA

Address : 1541 Reynolds Road

Charlotte MI 48813

Company phone : 517-543-6400

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 406

Estimated percentage with defect : 0

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle : 2014-2015 Utilimaster Vans

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : VAN

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : Vehicles affected by this recall were altered by Utilimaster.

Production Dates : JUL 11, 2014 - SEP 22, 2015

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : Vehicles, as altered by Utilimaster, do not meet the requirements of FMVSS 110 - S.4.3 (a) which requires a placard that states "The combined weight of occupants and cargo should never exceed XXX kilograms or XXX pounds." A second designated seating position is added by Utilimaster and decreases the payload capacity of the vehicle.

FMVSS 1 : 110 - Tire selection and rims

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Overloading of the vehicle and tires could cause decreased performance of the tires which may increase the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : Due to improper information, the user of the vehicle may not be aware of an overloaded condition.

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

On 9/21/2015 information relating to vehicle labeling was requested by the Quality group at Utilimaster.

On 9/22/2015 a review of the requested information revealed the affected vehicles had incorrect seating capacity information but did have an alteration label.

On 10/9/2015 - Utilimaster/Spartan determined a non-compliance to exist in the affected vehicles

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Labels indicating the correct payload capacity will be supplied at no charge.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Other vehicles altered by Utilimaster may not be equipped with the additional designated seating position.

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

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Due to an unforeseen problem with matching addresses, the mailings have been delayed.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NOV 13, 2015 - NOV 13, 2015

Planned Owner Notification Date : DEC 07, 2015 - DEC 07, 2015

* NR - Not Reported