



# DAIMLER

If applicable, identify the manufacture of the defective or noncompliant component.

## Chronology of Defect / Noncompliance Determination

**Provide the chronology of events leading up to the defect decision or test data for the noncompliance decision:**

In September 2015 Thomas Built Buses received reports of 3 thermal events related to the alternator wiring on new Minotour vehicles from a dealership. Thomas Built Buses immediately began an investigation into the issue and requested that dealerships that received similar Minotour buses hold them and inspect the alternator wiring. On November 10, 2015 DTNA decided to conduct a voluntary recall on certain Thomas Built Buses Minotour vehicles.

## Identify the Remedy

**Describe the defect/noncompliance remedy program, including the manufacture's plan for reimbursement.**

Repairs will be performed by Daimler Trucks North America authorized service facilities. Copies of the reimbursement plan will be submitted as a supplemental report when available.

## Identify the Recall Schedule

**Describe the recall schedule for notifications:**

Customer notification will be made by first class mail using Daimler Trucks North America records to determine the customers affected.

**Planned Dealer Notification Begin Date:** 1/10/2016

**Planned Dealer Notification End Date:** 1/10/2016

**Planned Owner Notification Begin Date:** 1/10/2016

**Planned Owner Notification End Date:** 1/10/2016

**Manufacture's identification code for this recall (if applicable):** FL-694

## Manufactures Comments to NHTSA Staff

Estimated percentage of involve with defect is entered as 0, but actual percentage is unknown.

**DTNA Representative;**



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