

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 16V-133

**Manufacturer Name :** Prevost Cars, Inc.

**Submission Date :** APR 06, 2016

**NHTSA Recall No. :** 16V-133

**Manufacturer Recall No. :** SR16-18



## Manufacturer Information :

**Manufacturer Name :** Prevost Cars, Inc.

**Address :** 35 Boulevard Gagnon  
Ste-Claire, Quebec- Canada 00 G0R  
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**Company phone :** 999

## Population :

**Number of potentially involved :** 1,348

**Estimated percentage with defect :** 20 %

## Vehicle Information :

**Vehicle 1 :** 2012-2016 Prevost H3-41, H3-45

**Vehicle Type :** BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

**Body Style :** OTHER

**Power Train :** DIESEL

**Descriptive Information :** Certain H3-45 and H3-41 passenger coach vehicles manufactured from June 13, 2011 to January 21, 2016, equipped with a coolant hose used for the oil cooled engine retarder and an AHI 7th injector.

**Production Dates :** JUN 13, 2011 - JAN 21, 2016

**VIN Range 1 : Begin :** NR **End :** NR  Not sequential

**Vehicle 2 :** 2011-2016 Prevost H3-VIP

**Vehicle Type :** BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

**Body Style :** OTHER

**Power Train :** DIESEL

**Descriptive Information :** Certain H3-VIP vehicles manufactured from June 29, 2011 to September 22, 2015, equipped with a coolant hose used for the oil cooled engine retarder and an AHI 7th injector.

**Production Dates :** JUN 29, 2011 - SEP 22, 2015

**VIN Range 1 : Begin :** NR **End :** NR  Not sequential

Vehicle 3 : 2012-2016 Prevost X3-VIP

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Certain X3-VIP and X3-VIP "Commercial Use" vehicles manufactured from January 31, 2012 to December 17, 2015, equipped with a coolant hose used for the oil cooled engine retarder and a AHI 7th injector.

Production Dates : JAN 31, 2012 - DEC 17, 2015

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

Not sequential

Vehicle 4 : 2011-2016 Prevost X3-45 Coach

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Certain X3-45 passenger coach vehicles manufactured from June 29, 2011 to January 15, 2016, equipped with a coolant hose used for the oil cooled engine retarder and an AHI 7th injector.

Production Dates : JUN 29, 2011 - JAN 15, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

Not sequential

Vehicle 5 : 2011-2013 Prevost XL2 Entertainer

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Certain XL2 Entertainer vehicles manufactured from July 12, 2011 to June 28, 2013, equipped with a coolant hose used for the oil cooled engine retarder and an AHI 7th injector.

Production Dates : JUL 12, 2011 - JUN 28, 2013

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

Not sequential

## Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : A coolant line may be missing a clip, which can result in the coolant line rubbing against a braided fuel hose at the AHI 7th injector.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If there is contact, the fuel line may become compromised over time, which can result in spraying fuel onto hot exhaust components potentially resulting in an engine fire.

Prevost have received no reports of fires as a result of this condition. Therefore, we consider this as a proactive measure to protect the public and

our customers from the potential risk associated with this defect.

Description of the Cause : Missing clip

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

## Supplier Identification :

### Component Manufacturer

Name : NR  
Address : NR  
NR  
Country : NR

## Chronology :

01/29/16 Prevost Regulatory Affairs department made aware of potential issue from service report.

02/10/16 Prevost reports potential issue to the Volvo Group North America's Regulatory Affairs department.

02/24/16 Product Safety Committee determined that a safety-related defect exists.

03/02/16 Safety-related defect report submitted to NHTSA.

## Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The vehicles will be inspected for abrasion on the AFI line. If abrasion is found the fuel line will be replaced. All vehicles will have the coolant line removed.

Reimbursement for cost incurred by the owner for "prenotification remedies" will be addressed on a case-by-case basis according to the Volvo Group North America's "General Plan for Reimbursement of Pre-notification Remedies" which was published October 28, 2013.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Additional clip added

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : February 9, 2016. Additional clip added

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : Owner notification will occur on or before April 20th, 2016. An advanced copy of the owner notification letter will be submitted for review and approval prior to release.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : APR 20, 2016 - APR 20, 2016

\* NR - Not Reported