

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**16V-139****Manufacturer Name :** Thor Motor Coach**Submission Date :** MAR 04, 2016**NHTSA Recall No. :** 16V-139**Manufacturer Recall No. :** RC000112**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Thor Motor Coach

Address : PO Box 1486

701 County Road 15 Elkhart IN 46516

Company phone : 877-500-1020

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 385

Estimated percentage with defect : 100

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle : 2014-2016 Thor Motor Coach Hurricane

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : Thor Motor Coach Hurricane Motor Home

Production Dates : JAN 30, 2013 - MAR 06, 2015

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2014-2016 Thor Motor Coach Windsport

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information : Thor Motor Coach Windsport Motor Home

Production Dates : JAN 30, 2013 - MAR 06, 2015

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : NR

End : NR

 Not sequential VINs**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : The vehicle exhaust runs too close to a vehicle storage compartment and with no air circulation the heat build-up can melt the storage compartment.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : he storage compartment could catch fire if heated to a high enough temperature.

Description of the Cause : There is not a heat shield between the storage compartment and the exhaust piping of the vehicle.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

- February 26, 2015 – TMC processes claim for melted storage compartment.

- July 15, 2015 – TMC processes second claim for melted storage compartment.

- August 1, 2015 - Issue added to Engineering review of open items.

- February 17, 2016 – ECN processed to add the additional heat shield.

- February 26, 2016 – ECN reviewed at weekly Safety Committee meeting where the decision was made to proceed with a recall.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : TMC will install a heat shield to provide protection to the storage compartment to prevent melting.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : None - New component

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : None - Model is out of production.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : TMC will notify the dealers and owners of the recreational vehicles by letter. A final copy of the owner letter will be provided to NHTSA, along with the dealer repair procedures.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

* NR - Not Reported