Part 573 Safety Recall Report

16V-317

Manufacturer Name : Mobility Works (WMK Inc.)

Submission Date : MAY 11, 2016 **NHTSA Recall No. :** 16V-317

Manufacturer Recall No.: 16E-020



Manufacturer Information:

Manufacturer Name: Mobility Works (WMK Inc.)

Address: 1090 West Wilbeth Road

Akron OH 44314

Company phone: 800-769-8267

Population:

Number of potentially involved : 11 Estimated percentage with defect : 100

Vehicle Information:

Vehicle: 2014-2015 Ford E-Series Vehicle Type: LIGHT VEHICLES Body Style: STATIONWAGON

Power Train: GAS

Descriptive Information: Ford E-Series and Chevy 2500

Production Dates : JAN 01, 2014 - DEC 31, 2015

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin: NR End: NR Not sequential VINs

Description of Defect:

Description of the Defect: Under certain conditions present in some applications, the platforms included on

the subject S-Series model wheelchair lifts can exhibit cracking of the platform pivot plate while in the stow position which, if left unchecked, can propagate to the point where separation of the rear portion of the pivot plate occurs rendering the lift

potentially inoperable and possibly unsafe for the operator.

FMVSS 1:NR FMVSS 2:NR

Description of the Safety Risk: In the event the aforementioned crack occurs on both sides of the platform and

is allowed to propagate to the point of material separation on both sides it is possible for the lift platform to lean against the vehicle lift door(s) and fall out of the vehicle when the door(s) is (are) opened putting the lift operator at risk.

Description of the Cause: NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur: NR

Supplier Identification:

Component Manufacturer

Name: Ricon Corp/A Wabtec Co. Address: 1135 Aviation Place

San Francisco CALIFORNIA 91340

Country: United States

Chronology:

Ricon Corporation would have to provide this information. We received the Notification on Monday, May 9, 2016.

Description of Remedy:

Description of Remedy Program: Ricon will provide a field modification instruction and all material required

to mitigate this recall at no charge.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component: NR

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

Recall Schedule:

Description of Recall Schedule: NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date: MAY 16, 2016 - MAY 20, 2016

Planned Owner Notification Date: MAY 16, 2016 - MAY 20, 2016

* NR - Not Reported