

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

16V-329

Manufacturer Name : Thor Motor Coach**Submission Date :** MAY 13, 2016**NHTSA Recall No. :** 16V-329**Manufacturer Recall No. :** RC000114**Manufacturer Information :****Population :**

Manufacturer Name : Thor Motor Coach

Number of potentially involved : 44

Address : PO Box 1486

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

701 County Road 15 Elkhart IN 46516

Company phone : 877-500-1020

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2017-2017 Thor Motor Coach Tuscany

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Thor Motor Coach Tuscany Motorhome

Production Dates : MAR 15, 2016 - APR 07, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2017-2017 Thor Motor Coach Tuscany ZTE

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Thor Motor Coach Motorhome

Production Dates : MAR 15, 2016 - APR 07, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 3 : 2017-2017 Thor Motor Coach Venetian

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : Thor Motor Coach Motorhome

Production Dates : MAR 15, 2016 - APR 07, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

 Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : The isolator relay cable for the chassis battery was not properly installed in the motorhome.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : The motorhome could experience a sudden unexpected loss of power making it hard to control. Loss of vehicle control could result in a crash.

Description of the Cause : The production associate assembling the motorhome incorrectly installed the isolator relay cable for the chassis battery.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

May 8, 2016 - TMVRV Engineering was made of aware of vehicles losing power by Freightliner. Freightliner had investigated a claim and discovered the issue was being caused by the TMC assembly of the motorhome.

May 9, 2016 - Engineering tested motorhomes and was able to duplicate the loss of power. TMC decided to issue a safety recall to remedy this issue.

May 10, 2016 - All TMC production processes updated to insure the correct installation of the isolator relay cable for the chassis battery..

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The remedy will be to correct install the isolator relay cable for the chassis battery. This will be done at no expense to the vehicle owner.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : None.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Production was corrected on May 10, 2016.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : TMCRV will notify dealers and owners of the motorhomes by letter.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

* NR - Not Reported