

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

16V-377

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Submission Date : MAY 25, 2016

NHTSA Recall No. : 16V-377

Manufacturer Recall No. : 35-05242016-0200



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Address : 55470 CR 1

P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030

Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 6

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2015-2016 Forest River, Inc. Glaval - CONCORDE and CONCORDE II

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Glaval Bus is a Transit Bus manufactured by Forest River, Inc.

Production Dates : DEC 30, 2015 - MAY 13, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin : 3FRNF6FC1FV730222 **End :** 1FDNF6DC2GDA03105 Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : According to a notification received from Ford:
On your vehicle, the parking brake cable union may have been manufactured incorrectly, leading to an increased potential for the union to break. If a vehicle's transmission is not placed in Park, or the vehicle's transmission is not equipped with a Park position, a broken parking brake cable union could result in unintended vehicle movement, increasing the risk of injury.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If a vehicle's transmission is not placed in Park, or the vehicle's transmission is not equipped with a Park position, a broken parking brake cable union could result in unintended vehicle movement, increasing the risk of injury.

Description of the Cause : Cause not identified in the notification from Ford.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None identified in the notification from Ford.

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Ford Motor Company
Address : PO BOX 1904
Dearborn MICHIGAN 48121-1904
Country : United States

Chronology :

On May 24, 2016, the Forest River – Office of Corporate Compliance (OCC) was notified of a safety defect in the parking brake cable unions from the supplier of the chassis, Ford. Ford's notification references NHTSA recall 16V-182.

Ford will be performing the remedy of the parking brake cable unions and will be supplying quarterly completion rates to NHTSA.

Forest River's – Corporate Committee was advised on May 26, 2016 of the recall.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : According to Ford's notification, Ford Motor Company has authorized dealers to replace the vehicles' parking break cable union free of charge (parts and labor).

Ford will be performing the remedy of the parking brake cable unions and will be supplying reporting quarterly completion rates to NHTSA.

What is the Ford's Customer Service Phone Number? 1-866-436-7332

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : None identified in the notification from Ford.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : None identified in the notification from Ford.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Forest River has the utmost urgency in our recalls. Forest River will send suspected VIN numbers to our third party vendor that is licensed to pull data on the current owner of the vehicles once a formal NHTSA I.D. is provided. Forest River intends on pushing the mailing out as soon as NHTSA provides any correction(s) and an Acknowledgement Letter.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : JUL 21, 2016 - JUL 21, 2016

Planned Owner Notification Date : JUL 21, 2016 - JUL 21, 2016

* NR - Not Reported