

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 16V-501

**Manufacturer Name :** Newmar Corporation**Submission Date :** JUN 30, 2016**NHTSA Recall No. :** 16V-501**Manufacturer Recall No. :** 16V 313**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Newmar Corporation

Address : 355 North Delaware Street

PO Box 30 Nappanee IN 46550

Company phone : 574-773-7791

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 742

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle 1 : 1998-2010 Newmar Dutch Star

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

**Descriptive Information :** On certain motorhomes, the exhaust flex tube may be misaligned causing the potential for the flex tube to tear. If the exhaust tube tears, hot exhaust gas could blow against other components or material. If exhaust gas temperatures exceed the flash point of other material or components, it could increase the risk of fire. This may occur without warning.

Production Dates : DEC 12, 1997 - MAY 27, 2015

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2008-2008 Newmar Kountry Star

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

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NR

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 Not sequential

Vehicle 3 : 2008-2009 Newmar All Star

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Body Style :

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Vehicle 4 : 2008-2009 Newmar Ventana

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

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NR

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Vehicle 5 : 2009-2010 Newmar Dutch Aire

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

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NR

**End :** NR

Not sequential

Vehicle 6 : 2014-2015 Newmar King Aire

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

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NR

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Not sequential

Vehicle 7 : 2015-2015 Newmar Essex

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

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VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

## Description of Defect :

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FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

**Description of the Safety Risk :** If exhaust gas temperatures exceed the flash point of other material or components, it could increase the risk of fire.

**Description of the Cause :** NR

**Identification of Any Warning that can Occur :** NR

**Supplier Identification :****Component Manufacturer**

Name : Spartan Motors  
Address : NR  
NR  
Country : NR

**Chronology :**

Newmar was given notice on June 23, 2016 of a potential defect by Spartan Motors. Newmar is giving notice of defect June 30, 2016 for a recall.

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : The alignment of the exhaust tube will need to be inspected. If a misalignment is identified, the tube will be aligned appropriately. If there is a tear in the exhaust tube, it will be replaced. The inspection and if needed, the exhaust tube replacement will be performed free of 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 : AUG 29, 2016 - AUG 29, 2016

Planned Owner Notification Date : AUG 29, 2016 - AUG 29, 2016

\* NR - Not Reported