

**Part 573 Safety Recall Report****16V-674****Manufacturer Name :** Utility Trailer Manufacturing Company**Submission Date :** SEP 16, 2016**NHTSA Recall No. :** 16V-674**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :****Population :**

Manufacturer Name : Utility Trailer Manufacturing Company

Number of potentially involved : 66

Address : 17295 E. Railroad Street

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

City Of Industry CA 91748-1022

Company phone : 818-965-1541

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle 1 : 2015-2017 Utility Flat Bed FS2CHA

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Utility Trailer Flat Bed FS2CHA - Aero Industries Conestoga XP with RAD style rear closure.

Production Dates : JAN 01, 2015 - SEP 16, 2016

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

 Not sequential**Description of Noncompliance :**

Description of the Noncompliance : Rivets may become loose if blunt object forcibly hits the RAD.

Rivets may become loose if trailer is backed into a dock with RAD closure in the open position.

Rivets may fatigue over time due to improper use of the RAD as a handle to move the system. Handle on the rear bow should be used for this purpose.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : This defect could result in the RAD falling off the rear bow assembly causing a road hazard increasing the risk of crash. The intermediate issue may be an insecure clamping of the rear curtain.

Description of the Cause : The defect involves rivets loosening or pulling out on the rear RAD closure.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

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

Name : Aero Industries  
Address : 4243 Bradbury Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46241 INDIANA 46241  
Country : United States

**Chronology :**

Notice received on 09/12/2016 at Utility Corp no other information was received.

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : Aero Industries has created a repair kit to provide a secure connection. The repair will consist of adding a bolt, nut and washer to the top and bottom of each side of the RAD curtain closure. The repair kit includes instructions, nuts and bolts as well as the proper drill bit and Allen wrench to make this repair. The repair kit will be provided at no cost. No parts need to be returned to Aero.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Remedy kit includes nuts and bolts to replace the rivets indicated by Aero.

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

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : NR  
Planned Dealer Notification Date : SEP 19, 2016 - SEP 23, 2016  
Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

\* NR - Not Reported