OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

16V-741

Manufacturer Name: Toyota Motor Engineering & Manufacturing

Submission Date: OCT 12, 2016 NHTSA Recall No.: 16V-741 Manufacturer Recall No.: G01



Manufacturer Information:

Manufacturer Name: Toyota Motor Engineering &

Manufacturing

Address: 19001 South Western Avenue

Torrance CA 90501

Company phone: 1-800-331-4331

Population:

Number of potentially involved: 91,585 Estimated percentage with defect: NR

Vehicle Information:

Vehicle 1: 2016-2017 Toyota Prius

Vehicle Type :
Body Style :
Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information: (1) Although the involved vehicles are within the above production period range,

not all vehicles in this range were sold in the U.S.

(2) No other Toyota or Lexus vehicles sold in the U.S. use the same Parking Brake

Cable Assemblies as the subject vehicles.

Production Dates: AUG 06, 2015 - OCT 03, 2016

Description of Defect:

Description of the Defect: The subject vehicles are equipped with a foot-operated parking brake system

containing a parking brake cable and a crank lever which, upon activation, transmit the force of the parking brake pedal to the brake caliper piston. Over time, during normal operation of the vehicle, the cable could disengage, causing the parking brake to become inoperative. If the parking brake does not engage and the transmission is left in a gear other than 'Park' while the ignition is on and the driver leaves the vehicle, the vehicle could roll away, increasing the

risk of a crash.

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: If the parking brake does not engage and the transmission is left in a gear

other than 'Park' while the ignition is on and the driver leaves the vehicle, the

vehicle could roll away, increasing the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause: NR

Identification of Any Warning NR that can Occur:

Supplier Identification:

Component Manufacturer

Name: Chuo Spring Co., LTD

Address: 68 Aza Kamishiota, Marumi-cho, Midori-ku

Nagoya-shi FOREIGN STATES 458-8505

Country: Japan

Chronology:

Please see the attached Part 573 Defect Information Report for full chronology.

Description of Remedy:

Description of Remedy Program: All known owners of the involved vehicles will be notified by first class

mail to return their vehicles to a Toyota dealer. Toyota dealers will install a clip at the parking brake cable end to prevent the cable from disengaging from the rear brake caliper crank lever. As the owner notification letters

will be mailed out well within the active period of the Toyota

New Vehicle Limited Warranty ("Warranty"), all involved vehicle owners for this recall would have been provided a repair at no cost under Toyota's

Warranty.

How Remedy Component Differs NR

from Recalled Component:

Identify How/When Recall Condition NR

was Corrected in Production:

Recall Schedule:

Description of Recall Schedule: Notifications to owners of the affected vehicles will occur by December

11, 2016. A copy of the draft owner notification letter will be submitted as soon as available. Notifications to distributors/dealers were sent on October 11, 2016. Copies of dealer communications will be submitted as

they are issued.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : OCT 11, 2016 - OCT 11, 2016

Planned Owner Notification Date: DEC 11, 2016 - DEC 11, 2016

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