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IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

May 02, 2016

Subject: SAFETY RECALL NOTICE & OWNER NOTIFICATION LETTER

Reference: NHTSA Transaction # 16-002745-17784-10, Recall 16V259

This notice applies to your vehicle: VIN 1FDUF5HT8DEB04834, Crane Serial # 7500131132

Dear IMT Vehicle Owner: County of Eau Claire

Ref: IMT Series III Crane Valve Bank Cover

This applies to your crane if it was manufactured between April 4, 2013 and January 22, 2016.

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

IMT has decided that 2013-2016 IMT Dominator-Propane, Dominator I, Dominator II, Dominator III, and Dominator IV vehicles fitted with Series III Crane Models 6000, 7500, 8600, 9500, 10000, 12000 and 14000 that were built with a certain valve bank cover exhibit a defect that relates to motor vehicle safety.

Why is a recall being conducted?

IMT has identified that certain Series III cranes were built with a valve bank cover that can crack. Under certain road conditions the cracks can propagate and eventually cause the cover to break. If not repaired, a broken valve bank cover can detach from the vehicle and create a possibility of a road hazard which could result in a vehicle crash or injury.

What are we doing about the problem?

MTE will provide instructions that describe how to replace the existing cover with a new cover. MTE will provide you with a new valve bank cover at no cost.

What should you do?

- Contact your MTE site (Marshfield, WI) to arrange delivery of the replacement part for your crane.
- The replacement of the valve bank cover should be performed by your own service technicians or by an MTE installation site at your earliest opportunity.
- MTE anticipates that you will continue to place your vehicle in service until the recall action can be completed. As an interim safety precaution, the valve bank cover should be periodically inspected for cracks forming. If cracks are forming, the cover should be removed.
- The repair should take less than 30 minutes. The process for reimbursement will be administered by MTE Marshfield.
- If you have any questions or require further assistance, contact MTE Marshfield at 1-800-882-1900.



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What if you no longer own this vehicle?

If you no longer own this vehicle, please contact MTE at 1-800-882-1900 to assist us in updating our records.

Who should you contact if you have further questions or concerns?

If you have further questions, please contact MTE at 1-800-882-1900 to allow us to assist you.

If you have leased this vehicle to another person, federal regulations require you to send a copy of this notice to your lessee by first-class mail within ten days of your receipt of this notice.

If you have already replaced the cover due to this issue, you may be entitled to reimbursement if you incurred any out of pocket cost due to this matter. For further information, please contact MTE Warranty Support at the number listed above.

If MTE fails or is unable to remedy this defect without charge and within a reasonable time, you may submit a written complaint to:

The Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE.,

Washington, DC 20590;

or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153);

or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

We apologize for any inconvenience this safety recall may cause, but your safety is our first concern.

Sincerely,

Monroe Truck Equipment, Inc.

Monroe, WI