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Defect Information Report

(Section 573.6)

FL-728

Date of Submission: November 8, 2016

Manufacturer: Daimler Trucks North America LLC
P.O. BOX 3849
Portland, Oregon 97208

Type of Report: ☒ Safety Defect ☐ Non-Compliance

Vehicle Information

Model Yr. Start: 2017 Model Yr. End: 2017

Make: Freightliner

Model: Cascadia, Business Class M2, 122SD

Production Dates: Begin: 1/24/2016

End: 10/10/2016

Descriptive Information:

Certain 2017 vehicles manufactured from January 24, 2016 to October 10, 2016 with Goodyear G399A LHS 295/75R22.5 LRG tires.

Number potentially involved: 863 Estimated percentage of vehicles with defect: 100%

Defect / Noncompliance Description

For this Defect/Noncompliance:

Describe the defect or noncompliance:

Goodyear recall 16T-013 states "A cure anomaly resulting in incomplete adhesion which could lead to partial tread separation."

If a noncompliance, provide the applicable FMVSS:

☐ Check if this recall only affects products in certain geographic regions.

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Describe the safety risk:

Goodyear recall 16T-013 states "A partial tread separation could lead to vehicle damage or a motor vehicle crash."

If applicable, identify the manufacture of the defective or noncompliant component.

Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company
200 Innovation Way
Akron OH 44316

Chronology of Defect / Noncompliance Determination**Provide the chronology of events leading up to the defect decision or test data for the noncompliance decision:**

In late September 2016, DTNA is made aware of Goodyear Tire Recall and opens an investigation. October 2016, DTNA decided to initiate a voluntary safety recall.

Identify the Remedy**Describe the defect/noncompliance remedy program, including the manufacture's plan for reimbursement.**

DTNA will inspect and replace affected tires where required. Repairs will be performed by Daimler Trucks North America authorized service facilities. Copies of the reimbursement plan will be submitted as a supplemental report when available.

Identify the Recall Schedule**Describe the recall schedule for notifications:**

DTNA will notify affected customers. Customer notification will be made by first class mail using Daimler Trucks North America records to determine the customer affected.

Planned Dealer Notification Begin Date:	1/06/2017
Planned Dealer Notification End Date:	1/06/2017
Planned Owner Notification Begin Date:	1/06/2017
Planned Owner Notification End Date:	1/06/2017

Manufacture's identification code for this recall (if applicable): FL-728

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