

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

17V-108

Manufacturer Name : Winnebago Industries, Inc

Submission Date : AUG 22, 2017

NHTSA Recall No. : 17V-108

Manufacturer Recall No. : NR



Manufacturer Information :

Population :

Manufacturer Name : Winnebago Industries, Inc

Number of potentially involved : 1,058

Address : PO BOX 152
605 W. Crystal Lake Rd. Forest City IA
50436

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Company phone : 1-641-585-3535

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2016-2017 Winnebago Travato

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : On January 8th, we intercepted a internet communication from a customer claiming to have developed and LP leak. Customer stated that she took the coach to her dealer and they found that the LP line had been in contact with the emergency brake cable causing it to rupture. We began an in house audit, and placed all in house product on rework campaign # 597. 76 units were inspected in house, 2 units were found to have the condition.

Production Dates : APR 17, 2015 - JAN 24, 2017

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : An LP line may be coming in contact with a movable part, the emergency brake cable.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If the LP line is in contact with the emergency brake cable, the LP line can be ruptured causing an LP leak. An LP can result in fire/explosion, property damage, personal injury or death.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning NR
that can Occur :

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR
Address : NR
NR
Country : NR

Chronology :

1-8-2017 OR notified Compliance Mgr. of a number of complaints in the field.
1-12-2017 Rework Campaign 597 issued.
1-30-2017 Started defining population of affected 200s
2-2-2017 Safety Committee met at 1:30PM meeting
2-14-2017 Michael Happe, President & CEO approved the recall
2-20-2017 Entered 573 on NHTSA portal

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : LP hose coming in contact with emergency brake cable
Dealer will inspect each potentially affected unit, reposition and clamp the LP hose to avoid contact with the brake cable.
Winnebago will reimburse any customer who has paid to have this condition corrected.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : LP hose is no longer in contact with the brake cable

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : On 1-12-2017, the operator installing and clamping the LP hose was provided additional training as to the proper routing and clamping of the cable per manufacturing drawings. On-going inspection to ensure longevity of the correction.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Dealer letters are to be sent by the first week of March, 2017, once all Dealer letters are in the mail it is estimated that the Owner notifications will be in the mail approximately two weeks later.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAR 07, 2017 - MAR 07, 2017

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAR 16, 2017 - MAR 16, 2017

* NR - Not Reported