

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

17V-319

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Submission Date : MAY 15, 2017

NHTSA Recall No. : 17V-319

Manufacturer Recall No. : 400-05102017-0407



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Address : 55470 CR 1

P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030

Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 9

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2018-2018 Forest River, Inc. Palomino - PAT251RBSS

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Palomino is a division of Forest River, Inc. which manufactures recreational vehicles.

Production Dates : MAR 31, 2017 - APR 13, 2017

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : The subject vehicles' Federal Placards indicate an incorrect Tire and Rim combination. The Federal Placard indicates the rear tire and rims are ST225/75R15D Tires with 65 PSI and a rim designation of 15X6.0JJ, while the subject vehicles' rear axle indicates ST205/75R14C Tires with 50 PSI and a rim designation of 14X5.5JJ. The correct tire and rim combination is ST225/75R15D Tires with 65 PSI and a rim designation of 15X6.0JJ.

FMVSS 1 : 110 - Tire selection and rims

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : The placards do not indicate the correct tire/rim combination which could lead to the installation of incorrect replacement tires, potentially increasing the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : Due to an error in the data system the tire and rim combination data tables did not match and incorrect information was printed on the placards.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR
Address : NR
NR
Country : NR

Chronology :

On May 10, 2017, Forest River's Office of Corporate Compliance (OCC) received a report from Palomino of a potential issue involving the Federal Placards. Forest River initiated an investigation including a review of the printed federal placards and the size of tires and rims installed.

On May 12, 2017, Forest River's Corporate Committee decided to conduct a recall to address this issue.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Forest River will provide new Federal Placards, free of charge to both Owners and Dealers.

What is the Forest River Customer Service Phone Number? (269)
432-3271

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The remedy placard will have the tire and rim designations and PSI/kPa on the Federal Placard.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : The condition was corrected through a data entry revision during the week of May 10, 2017.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Forest River has the utmost urgency in our recalls. Forest River will send suspected VIN numbers to our third party vendor that is licensed to pull data on the current owner of the vehicles once a formal NHTSA I.D. is provided. Forest River intends on pushing the mailing out as soon as NHTSA provides any correction(s) and an Acknowledgement Letter.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : JUL 11, 2017 - JUL 11, 2017

Planned Owner Notification Date : JUL 11, 2017 - JUL 11, 2017

* NR - Not Reported