

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 17V-615

**Manufacturer Name :** Great Dane Trailers

**Submission Date :** DEC 01, 2017

**NHTSA Recall No. :** 17V-615

**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR



## Manufacturer Information :

**Manufacturer Name :** Great Dane Trailers

**Address :** 602 E Lathrop Avenue  
Savannah GA 31415

**Company phone :** 912-232-4471

## Population :

**Number of potentially involved :** 90

**Estimated percentage with defect :** 100 %

## Vehicle Information :

**Vehicle 1 :** 2018-2018 Great Dane Everest

**Vehicle Type :** TRAILERS

**Body Style :** OTHER

**Power Train :** NR

**Descriptive Information :** The recall population was determined based upon component serial numbers supplied by component manufacturer Meritor.

**Production Dates :** MAR 19, 2017 - SEP 30, 2017

**VIN Range 1 : Begin :**

NR

**End :** NR

Not sequential

## Description of Defect :

**Description of the Defect :** Trailer Axles and MPA/MTA Suspensions found to have caliper bolts that did not meet torque specifications. The suspect axles and suspensions were assembled at the Meritor Frankfort site between January 1, 2017.

**FMVSS 1 :** NR

**FMVSS 2 :** NR

**Description of the Safety Risk :** Improperly torqued bolts may become loose, potentially leading to altered brake performance.

**Description of the Cause :** NR

**Identification of Any Warning that can Occur :** NR

## Supplier Identification :

**Component Manufacturer**

Name : Meritor  
Address : 2135 West Maple Road  
Troy 48084-7186  
Country : NR

**Chronology :**

September 29, 2017: Received Safety Recall letter dated September 21, 2017, from Meritor informing Great Dane of component recall 17E049  
October 03, 2017: Filed notice of defect with NHTSA

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : Meritor will accept warranty claims for inspecting, tightening, and replacement of any resultant component damage associated with this notice directly from the vehicle manufacturers (OEM). To obtain credit for the claim; the repair facility should file with its OEM and the OEM will reimburse the repair facility for the work. Meritor will reimburse the OEM through its standard warranty process.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Meritor provided the serial numbers of affected components

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : The condition was corrected after Meritor ceased shipping affected components on August 4, 2017

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : The first customer notice was mailed 12/1/17, we will send the remaining notices 12/4/17. The Dealer notification will take place electronically 12/04/17.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : DEC 04, 2017 - DEC 04, 2017

Planned Owner Notification Date : DEC 01, 2017 - DEC 04, 2017

\* NR - Not Reported