

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

17V-779

Manufacturer Name : Travel Lite RV

Submission Date : JUL 27, 2018

NHTSA Recall No. : 17V-779

Manufacturer Recall No. : NR



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Travel Lite RV

Address : 71319 CR 23

New Paris IN 46553

Company phone : 8313000

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 163

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2018-2018 Travel Lite Rv F-23 TH & F-23 RB

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Lippert Components found that they installed the wrong hitch coupler on the frame from the Travel Lite F-23Th and F-23RB. The hitch that was installed is a 2" Class III hitch coupler and it should have been a 2 5/16" Class III hitch coupler.

Production Dates : APR 03, 2017 - NOV 17, 2017

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

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FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Because the coupler is under rated for the weight of the GVWR for the trailer the trailer could become unhitched from the tow vehicle

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 :

After reviewing chassis frame prints it was found that the 2" coupler on the Travel Lite RV 24TH and 23RB models was not rated to handle the GVWR of these 2 models. At this time it was concluded that the hitch coupler needed to be 2 5/16" ball coupler to handle the weight of the unit.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : NR
How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR
Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : All dealer and retail letters sent out week of March 19, 2018
Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAR 19, 2018 - MAR 23, 2018
Planned Owner Notification Date : MAR 19, 2018 - MAR 23, 2018

* NR - Not Reported