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Interim Recall Notice
NHTSA #17V-314 Non-School Buses
NHTSA #17V-317 School Buses

IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL This notice applies to your vehicle(s)

Subject: TBB Freedman Davenport Lap Belt

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Daimler Trucks North America LLC, on behalf of its wholly owned subsidiary, Thomas Built Buses, Inc., has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists on specific Saf-T-Liner EFX and HDX buses manufactured October 28, 2011, through January 9, 2017.

Seat lap belts may have been anchored to the seat instead of to the bus structure. If anchored this way, the seat belt may not meet the requirements of FMVSS 210, Seat Anchorage Requirements, and increase the risk of injury in the event of a crash.

This is the first of two notices you will receive regarding this subject. This letter is to inform you of an upcoming Recall to correct the issue noted above. Parts for the repair are being procured. Until they are available, you may continue to operate your vehicle.

The second notice will inform you when the final remedy is available. **When you receive the second notice**, please contact your authorized Thomas Built Buses dealer to schedule the Recall for your vehicle.

If you do not own the vehicle that corresponds to the identification number(s), which appears on the Recall Notification, please return the notification to the Warranty Campaigns Department with any information you can furnish that will assist us in locating the present owner.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. If you have any questions or require further information, please contact the Warranty Department at (336) 889-4871, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday. You may wish to submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20590; or call the Vehicle Safety Hotline at (888) 327-4236 (TTY: 800-424-9153); or to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

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