

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 18E-116

**Manufacturer Name :** TAP Worldwide, LLC

**Submission Date :** DEC 14, 2018

**NHTSA Recall No. :** 18E-116

**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR



## Manufacturer Information :

**Manufacturer Name :** TAP Worldwide, LLC

**Address :** 400 West Artesia Blvd

Compton CA 90220

**Company phone :** 999

## Population :

**Number of potentially involved :** 96

**Estimated percentage with defect :** 100 %

## Equipment Information :

**Brand / Trade 1 :** Poison Spyder Customs

**Model :** Tire Carrier Delete Plate

**Part No. :** 19-04-012P1

**Size :** NR

**Function :** NR

**Descriptive Information :** The subject part is a mounting plate, allowing for the relocation of the vehicle's license plate on the tailgate. The mounting plate is intended to be used on vehicles not equipped with a tailgate-mounted spare tire.

**Production Dates :** JUN 01, 2018 - DEC 01, 2018

## Description of Noncompliance :

**Description of the Noncompliance :** TAP Worldwide, LLC has determined that the Poison Spyder Tire Carrier Delete Plate does not comply with FMVSS 108 because the plate does not provide a license plate lamp and could interfere with the center high-mounted stop light positioning. TAP Worldwide, LLC has also determined that the subject Poison Spyder Tire Carrier Delete Plate does not comply with FMVSS 111 because the plate renders the rear visibility system inoperable.

**FMVSS 1 :** 108 - Lamps, reflective devices, and assoc. Equipment

**FMVSS 2 :** 111 - Rearview mirrors

**Description of the Safety Risk :** An inoperable center high mounted stop lamp may not properly alert following vehicles that the vehicle is coming to a stop, which increases the risk of crash. Additionally, when reverse gear is selected, the rear camera view is rendered inoperable by the subject Posion Spyder Tire Carrier Delete Plate. Because the rear view is rendered inoperable, if the driver does not check his or her surroundings before reversing, there is an increased risk of crash.

Description of the Cause : NR  
Identification of Any Warning NR  
that can Occur :

## Supplier Identification :

### Component Manufacturer

Name : TAP Manufacturing, LLC  
Address : 2360 Boswell Road  
Chula Vista CALIFORNIA 91914  
Country : United States

## Chronology :

On December 7, 2018, TAP Worldwide, LLC determined that a noncompliance with FMVSS 108 and 111 existed due to the subject product rendering inoperable the backup camera, license plate lamp, and center high mounted stop lamp.

## Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : TAP Worldwide, LLC will provide replacement Poison Spyder Tire Carrier Delete Plates that will include the original equipment backup camera and will not interfere with the license plate lamp or center high mounted stop lamp.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The replacement Poison Spyder Tire Carrier Delete Plate will not render inoperable the backup camera, license plate lamp, or center high mounted stop lamp.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

## Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Owners and dealers will be notified at the same time, on or before February 12, 2019.  
Planned Dealer Notification Date : FEB 12, 2019 - FEB 12, 2019  
Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

**Purchaser Information :**

The following manufacturers purchased this defective/noncompliant equipment for possible use or installation in new motor vehicles or new items of motor vehicle equipment:

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Company Phone : NR

\* NR - Not Reported