

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 18V-168

**Manufacturer Name :** Supreme Corporation

**Submission Date :** APR 16, 2018

**NHTSA Recall No. :** 18V-168

**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR



## Manufacturer Information :

**Manufacturer Name :** Supreme Corporation

**Address :** 2581 East Kercher Road  
Goshen IN 46528

**Company phone :** 999

## Population :

**Number of potentially involved :** 33,321

**Estimated percentage with defect :** 1 %

## Vehicle Information :

**Vehicle 1 :** 2003-2018 Supreme Signature Van, Iner-City, Kold King, Service Body

**Vehicle Type :** BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

**Body Style :**

**Power Train :** NR

**Descriptive Information :** All units with a fire extinguisher produced in last 10 years

**Production Dates :** JAN 02, 2003 - FEB 08, 2018

**VIN Range 1 : Begin :**

NR

**End :** NR

Not sequential

## Description of Defect :

**Description of the Defect :** Certain vehicles were equipped with Kidde Corporation fire extinguishers that are subject to USCPSC recall number 18-022. The fire extinguishers can become clogged or require excessive force to discharge and can fail to active during a fire emergency. In addition, the nozzle can detach with enough force to pose an impact hazard.

**FMVSS 1 :** NR

**FMVSS 2 :** NR

**Description of the Safety Risk :** In the event of a fire, if the fire extinguisher does not work correctly, there is an increased risk of injury.

**Description of the Cause :** NR

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

## Supplier Identification :

**Component Manufacturer**

Name : Kidde Fire Systems  
Address : 16W361 S Frontage Rd #125  
Burr Ridge 60527  
Country : NR

**Chronology :**

On or about February 1st internal inventory audit discovered that Supreme had in its possession extinguishers that were under recall. Supreme was not able to determine which vehicles these were installed in or verify if Supreme had received these extinguishers previously. On February 19th it was determined that in an abundance of caution Supreme will recall all units produced within the last fifteen years with a fire extinguisher installed.

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : Supreme will notify owners, instructing them to contact Kidde to get a replacement fire extinguisher, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin in April 2018. Owners may contact Supreme customer service at 1-800-352-4921 or Kidde customer service at 1-855-271-0773 or they may also visit [www.kidde.com](http://www.kidde.com) and click on "Product Safety Recall" to order replacement fire extinguishers free of charge.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

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

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : Supreme corporation will obtain Polk information on end user's current registered address and provide owner notification before 4/30/2018.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAR 23, 2018 - MAR 23, 2018

Planned Owner Notification Date : APR 30, 2018 - APR 30, 2018

\* NR - Not Reported