

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

18V-320

Manufacturer Name : Keystone RV Company

Submission Date : MAY 23, 2018

NHTSA Recall No. : 18V-320

Manufacturer Recall No. : 18-321



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Keystone RV Company

Address : PO Box 2000
2642 Hackberry Drive Goshen IN
46527

Company phone : 574-535-2100

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 94

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2019-2019 Keystone Cougar 28SGS, 27RLS

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Fifth wheels

Production Dates : APR 03, 2018 - APR 17, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin : 4YDF28S20KV500101 End : 4YDF27R26KV500698 ☒ Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : It has been determined that the vehicles in the recall population may have a propane compartment that was not sealed properly when built.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If the compartment is not properly sealed, and if there were a propane gas leak from the propane container, it is possible for propane gas to enter the living area. Excessive exposure may cause serious personal injury.

Description of the Cause : The compartments were not properly sealed along the bedroom floor and along the pass-through compartment during a new design change.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : If propane gas enters the living area the safety alarms inside of the fifth wheel will alert the occupant.

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR
Address : NR
NR
Country : NR

Chronology :

4/19/2018 – Report was made that propane compartment was not properly sealed.
4/20/2018 – Investigation opened. All affected Cougar fifth wheels were put on hold and the propane compartment was inspected and sealed.
5/2/2018 – Keystone Safety Committee reviewed the information and concluded that the data reviewed indicated a unanimous vote for a voluntary recall. Investigation called for to determine affected unit range.
5/9/2018 – Investigation concluded and scope completed.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The remedy is seal the inside of the compartment along the floor line and side wall, and along the pass-through compartment wall and side wall.
How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NA
Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Units were quarantined, inspected then repaired as indicated by inspection.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Keystone will notify the dealers and owners of the recreational vehicles by letter. A final copy of the owner letter will be provided to NHTSA, along with the dealer repair procedures.
Planned Dealer Notification Date : JUL 09, 2018 - JUL 09, 2018
Planned Owner Notification Date : JUL 09, 2018 - JUL 09, 2018

* NR - Not Reported