

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

18V-414

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Submission Date : OCT 15, 2018

NHTSA Recall No. : 18V-414

Manufacturer Recall No. : 48-0756



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Address : 55470 CR 1

P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030

Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 301

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2016-2018 Forest River, Inc. Prime Time - WCF28SGX

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : On June 13, 2018, the Prime Time Division discovered that the Federal Placard had incorrect tire PSI information. Using the production schedule records, Prime Time was able to determine the affected vehicles.

Production Dates : SEP 25, 2015 - OCT 01, 2017

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : The FED Tag indicates a ST225/75R15/E tire with a PSI of 65. The correct PSI for this ST225/75R15/E is 80 PSI.

FMVSS 1 : 110 - Tire selection and rims

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : The operator may under-inflate the tire based on the information printed on the Federal Placard. Under-inflating a tire may lead to pre-mature tire degradation, a tire blowout, reduced handling, and potentially increase the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : The incorrect tire specification was selected which led to incorrect information being printed on the Federal Placards.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

On June 13, 2018, Forest River's Prime Time Division contacted Forest River's Office of Corporate Compliance ("OCC") concerning a tire pressure discrepancy on a Federal Placard and an investigation to understand better the issue including what the tire, rim, and axle rating(s) should be, and what had been printed on the Federal Placard. Using the production schedule records, Forest River was able to determine the affected vehicles.

Forest River reviewed internal data and found no warranty claims or customer complaints potentially related to this issue.

On June 15, 2018, Forest River's Corporate Committee decided to conduct a recall.

On 10/12/2018 During an internal audit we discovered 1 vehicle should be removed from this scope, a clerical error was made during reporting. All consumers with affected product were properly notified.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Forest River will provide the Owner and Dealer of current record with the new Federal Placard for installation, free of charge.

What is the Forest River Customer Service Phone Number?
574-862-1025

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The new Federal Placard will indicate the correct PSI.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : The issue was corrected in manufacturing the week of October 1, 2017.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Forest River has the utmost urgency in our recalls. Forest River will send

suspected VIN numbers to our third party vendor that is licensed to pull data on the current owner of the vehicles (as needed) once a formal NHTSA I.D. is provided. Forest River intends on pushing the mailing out as soon as NHTSA provides any correction(s) and an Acknowledgement Letter.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : JUL 29, 2018 - JUL 29, 2018

Planned Owner Notification Date : JUL 29, 2018 - JUL 29, 2018

* NR - Not Reported