

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

18V-770

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.**Submission Date :** DEC 05, 2018**NHTSA Recall No. :** 18V-770**Manufacturer Recall No. :** 35&5C-0897**Manufacturer Information :****Population :**

Manufacturer Name : Forest River, Inc.

Number of potentially involved : 182

Address : 55470 CR 1

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

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Company phone : 1-800-348-7440

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2018-2019 Forest River Inc. 2018-2019 Berkshire BEA34QS-360, BEA37A-380, BEA38A-360, BEA39A-360, BEA39B-360, BEA40BH-380, BEA40C-380, BEA43B-450, BEA43C-450, BEA43C-450, BEA45A-450, BEA45B-450

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - Certain vehicles equipped with air disc brakes where the brake caliper mounting bolts may be incorrectly torqued at the Meritor York axle Assembly plant

2018-2019 Berkshire BEA34QS-360 Qty 9, BEA37A-380 Qty 17, BEA38A-360 Qty 6, BEA39A-360 Qty 23, BEA39B-360 Qty 1, BEA40BH-380 Qty 1, BEA40C-380 Qty 17, BEA43B-450 Qty 5, BEA43C-450 Qty 10, BEA45A-450 Qty 36, BEA45B-450 Qty 3,

Production Dates : JAN 22, 2018 - OCT 30, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2018-2019 Forest River Inc. Starcraft S1A404RB-360, S1A407FW-360, S1A409BG-360, ST59006, ST59010

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - Certain vehicles equipped with air disc brakes where the brake caliper mounting bolts may be incorrectly torqued at the Meritor York axle Assembly plant.

2018-2019 StarCraft PS2 S1A404RB-360 Qty 11, S1A407FW-360 Qty 5, S1A409BG-360 Qty 15, ST59006 Qty 7, ST59010 Qty 1

Production Dates : MAR 21, 2018 - OCT 15, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Vehicle 3 : 2019-2019 Forest River Inc. Glaval Legacy S2W0942A

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - Certain vehicles equipped with air disc brakes where the brake caliper mounting bolts may be incorrectly torqued at the Meritor York axle Assembly plant.

2019 Glaval Legacy S2W0942A Qty 3

Production Dates : OCT 19, 2018 - OCT 19, 2018

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - certain vehicles, the brake caliper mounting bolts may be incorrectly torqued. This could result in caliper bolts loosening

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - Insufficiently torqued bolts may not provide adequate clamping force between the brake caliper and brake anchor plate, potentially resulting in reduced brake effectiveness. Reduced brake effectiveness could lead to a vehicle crash.

Description of the Cause : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - the specified process to fully torque fasteners may not have been followed to so proper torque cannot be guaranteed.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 - None

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 – September 2018, DTNA received a report of a brake caliper with low torque on a vehicle at the Mt. Holly Manufacturing plant. The axle assembly plant was audited. The audit revealed that on certain vehicles the specified process to fully torque fasteners may not have been followed to so proper torque cannot be guaranteed. October 2018, out of an abundance of caution DTNA decided to initiate a voluntary safety recall for specified vehicles equipped with air disc brakes where the brake caliper mounting bolts may be incorrectly torqued.

On 10/29/2018 Forest River's Office of Corporate Compliance (OCC) was notified of this recall FL794 by mail via DTNA

On 11/12/2018 Complete model population was identified, and reported as amendment.

On 12/5/2018 Forest River received a final notice from DTNA with a list of additional affected VINs, Amend population from 170 to 182. All owners will be notified.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 – Potentially affected vehicles will be inspected and repaired as necessary. Repairs will be performed by Daimler Trucks North America (DTNA) authorized service facilities. Copies of the reimbursement plant will be submitted as a supplemental report when available.

Forest River Inc. understands that DTNA responsible for reporting.

What is the Forest River Customer Service Phone Number? (574)
642-3112

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 – Not reported

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : As Per DTNA's Recall Notification 18V703 & 18V702 – Not reported

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 : OCT 31, 2018 - DEC 10, 2018

Planned Owner Notification Date : OCT 31, 2018 - DEC 10, 2018

* NR - Not Reported