



New Safety Recall Advanced Communication – U41

FCA US LLC (FCA US) has announced a safety recall on certain 2018 model year (DP) RAM 4500/5500 Cab Chassis vehicles.

VINs identified as being involved in this campaign are currently live and searchable. **Stop sale is in effect for the above-identified vehicles**.

<u>IMPORTANT:</u> Some of the involved vehicles may be in dealer new vehicle inventory. Federal law requires you to complete this recall service on these vehicles before retail delivery. Violation of this requirement by a dealer could result in a civil penalty of up to \$21,000 per vehicle. Involved vehicles can be determined by using the VIP inquiry process.

REASON FOR THIS SAFETY RECALL

Some of the above vehicles may have been built with primary and secondary brake tube hoses that were produced with no anti-corrosion plating on the ferrules. Anti-corrosion plating is required to meet FCA US LLC long-term durability corrosion requirements. The ferrules on both brake hoses, in certain circumstances, may prematurely corrode and develop a brake fluid leak simultaneously and potentially result in a partial or complete loss of brake function. Loss of brake function can cause vehicle crash without prior warning.

SERVICE ACTION

FCA US will conduct a voluntary safety recall to inspect the brake tube hoses for the Julian date code marking and replace if needed. Dealers will be notified of the launch of this safety recall by way of established communication methods. This recall is estimated to launch in 2nd Quarter of 2018.

We ask that you please take the time to ensure that your personnel are aware of this communication and are prepared to execute a customer friendly process for inquiries regarding involved vehicles.

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