OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

19V-258

Manufacturer Name: Forest River, Inc. **Submission Date:** MAR 29, 2019 NHTSA Recall No.: 19V-258 Manufacturer Recall No.: 29-0987



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Manufacturer Information:

Population:

Manufacturer Name: Forest River, Inc.

Number of potentially involved: 146

Address: 55470 CR 1

Estimated percentage with defect: 100 %

P.O. Box 3030 Elkhart IN 46515-3030

Company phone: 1-800-348-7440

Vehicle Information:

Vehicle 1: 2017-2019 Forest River Inc. Rockport Work Trucks

Vehicle Type: BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style: Power Train: NR

Descriptive Information: n July, 2017 during the 2018 vehicle model change, the manufacturing plant did not

install an inline fuse for the cargo and compartment lights.

2017-2019 Rockport Work Truck Models

RP5A1670 RP5A1870 RP5A1470 2 1 1 RP5A1870 7 RP5F1470 1 RP5A1670 2 RP5F1470 3 RP5F1770 1 RP5F1470 2 RP5F1670 1 RP83975 1 RPAA1266C 2 RP83975 4 **RPAA1670** 3 RPAA1270C 1 **RPAA1270** 2 RPAA1670LE 1 RPAA129690 RPAA1270C 1 RPAF1266W 1 **RPAA1470** 1 RPAA1470 1 RPAF1466W 11 **RPAA1576** 1 RPAA1476C 1 RPGSA95-9 1 **RPAA1670** 2 RPAA16703 RPGSA95C-B14 1 RPAA1670LE 2

RPAA1676 2 RPGSA95C-B16 3 RPAF1066W

RPAA18703 RPAF1066WN 2 RPAF1070C RPAF1266W 1 **RPAF1266** 1 4 RPAF1270 RPAF1266W 12 RPAF1466W RPAF1266WN 1 RPAF14FX **RPAF1270 RPAF1670** RPAF12FX RPAF16FX 1 RPAF1466W 3 RPAF18FX RPAF14FX 2 RPGSA95-12 RPAF1666W RPGSA95B-B14

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Production Dates: JUL 28, 2017 - MAR 22, 2019

VIN Range 1: Begin: NR End: NR

Description of Defect:

Description of the Defect: The inline fuse is missing for the cargo and compartment lights.

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: With a missing inline fuse, the wires are unprotected from excess current

which may result in melting wires, increasing the risk of a fire, injury or

property damage.

Description of the Cause: The manufacturing plant misunderstood the wiring instructions and did not

install the inline fuse.

Identification of Any Warning None

that can Occur:

Supplier Identification:

Component Manufacturer

Name: NR Address: NR

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Country: NR

Chronology:

On 3/20/2019 during an inspection a direct short was found within a truck on the production line. It was determined that the wiring instructions were misunderstood by the manufacturing plant.

On 3/25/2019 Using production records the plant was able to determine the affected vehicle population.

On 3/29/2019 Forest Rivers' Corporate Recall Committee voted to recall

Description of Remedy:

Description of Remedy Program: Forest River Inc. will provide all parts and labor free of charge to the

dealerships and vehicle owners. A dealership will be required to conduct this remedy which is to install an inline fuse with a label identifying the

amperage of fuse.

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

522-7599

was Corrected in Production:

How Remedy Component Differs The vehicles produced will now be equipped with an inline fuse.

from Recalled Component:

Identify How/When Recall Condition The week of March 20th, 2019 Production started installing an inline fuse.

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: MAY 08, 2019 - MAY 08, 2019 Planned Owner Notification Date: MAY 08, 2019 - MAY 08, 2019

^{*} NR - Not Reported