OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

Not sequential

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

19V-520

Manufacturer Name: Corp. Micro Bird Inc.

Submission Date: JUL 15, 2019 NHTSA Recall No.: 19V-520 Manufacturer Recall No.: NR



Manufacturer Information:

Manufacturer Name: Corp. Micro Bird Inc.

Address: 3000, Rue Girardin

Drumondville, Quebec 00 J2E 0A1

Company phone: 819-477-2012

Population:

Number of potentially involved : 52 Estimated percentage with defect : 100%

Vehicle Information:

Vehicle 1: 2019-2019 Micro Bird MBII

Vehicle Type :
Body Style :
Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information: Relocation of ground in propane-powered buses equipped with a main battery cut-off

switch

Production Dates: MAR 20, 2019 - JUN 30, 2019

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR

Description of Defect:

Description of the Defect: In propane-powered vehicle equipped, as per supplier instructions, the

propane conversion controller grounding wire is attached directly on the main battery ground post. When the vehicle is equipped with a main battery cut-off switch, if the main battery cut-off switch is activated, under certain conditions, the sleeve of the grounding wire may melt and cause failure to the propane

module

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: If the sleeve of the grounding wire melts, a short circuit may happen, possibly

causing a fire to ignite in the engine compartment

Description of the Cause: NR Identification of Any Warning NR

that can Occur:

Supplier Identification:

Component Manufacturer

Name: NR Address: NR

NR

Country: NR

Chronology:

During normal inspection of a propane-powered vehicle, it was noticed that under certain conditions, some equipment were still active while the main battery cut-off switch was activated. Study allowed to determine that the problem came from the grounding when the main battery cut-off switch was activated. It was decided, even if the risks of fire were marginal, to recall the vehicles having this configuration.

No report, accident, injury or fatality has been reported to Micro Bird regarding the situation

Description of Remedy:

Description of Remedy Program: NR

How Remedy Component Differs NR

from Recalled Component:

Identify How/When Recall Condition NR

was Corrected in Production:

Recall Schedule:

Description of Recall Schedule: Official instructions with list of vehicles will be sent to the affected dealer

after this filing.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: JUL 11, 2019 - JUL 16, 2019

Planned Owner Notification Date: NR - NR

^{*} NR - Not Reported