

## **New Safety Recall Advanced Communication – W01**

FCA US LLC (FCA US) has announced a safety recall on certain 2020 Model Year (JL)  $Jeep_{\otimes}Wrangler$  vehicles.

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

Vehicles impacted by a stop sale are eligible for reimbursement allowance through the Recall Floorplan Reimbursement Policy (RFPRP), which can be requested upon recall claim submission.

**IMPORTANT:** 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 a front axle left side lower control arm bracket that may not have been in the correct location during the welding process. An off location weld may allow the lower control arm to separate from the axle. A separation of the bracket from the axle may cause a reduction in directional control and/or allow the lower control arm bracket to hit the ground while. This condition could cause a crash without prior warning.

## SERVICE ACTION

FCA US will conduct a voluntary safety recall to inspect the quality of the axle bracket weld and replace the front axle and left side lower control arm 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 1st Quarter of 2020.

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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