

January 27, 2022

«Customer» «Address» «City», «State» «Zip»

## **IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL NOTICE: 21V960**

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#### This notice applies to your vehicle(s): «VIN»

Dear KME Vehicle Owner:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

#### Why is a recall being conducted?

KME decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain model year 2012-2022 KME vehicles manufactured from April 2019 through October 2021.

Vehicles included in this recall have engine fuel tubes between the fuel rail and the injector for cylinders 4, 5, and 6 that may be susceptible to cracking, resulting in a high-pressure fuel leak.

A high-pressure fuel leak in the presence of an ignition source may increase the risk of a fire. Fuel leaks may be detected during maintenance. An operator may smell fuel or observe a mist due to the fuel leak.

#### What are we doing about the problem?

Vehicles subject to this recall are to be inspected and repaired by a Cummins certified dealer or technician. The subject fuel tubes for cylinders 4, 5 and 6 will be replaced with new fuel tubes and vibration isolators will be added to the fuel tubes. There is no cost to owners for this remedy. The estimated repair time will be 2 hours.

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#### What should you do?

Please contact your local Cummins Service Center to perform the remedy. You may contact Cummins customer service at (800) 286-6467.

If you need further assistance with this notification, please contact your KME Dealer or KME Customer Service at (570) 669-2815.

INCLUDED WITH THIS LETTER IS AN OWNER RESPONSE CARD TO BE FILLED OUT AND RETURNED TO KME. Please have your Truck VIN or GSO available. After the repair has been completed, please fill in the appropriate information on the enclosed Owner Response Postcard, sign it, and return it to:

<u>Mail</u>: KME, One Industrial Complex, Nesquehoning, PA 18240 <u>E-mail</u>: **bpolgrean@kmefire.com** <u>Fax</u>: (570) 669-5182

#### What if you no longer own this vehicle?

If you are not the current owner of the vehicle, please indicate this on the Owner Response Postcard and return the card to us.

Federal law requires any lessor who receives a notification of a safety related defect or noncompliance pertaining to any leased motor vehicle shall send the notice to the lessee within 10 days. If you are no longer the owner of this vehicle, please provide us with any contact information so we may contact the new owner.

If you have already paid to have your vehicle repaired for this condition, you may be eligible for reimbursement of the charges you paid for the repair or replacement of components. To learn more about what you need to do to obtain reimbursement, contact our customer service department at (570) 669-5230.

If after having attempted to take advantage of this recall you believe you have not been able to have your vehicle remedied without charge and within a reasonable amount of time, you may submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Ave., S.E., Washington, D.C., 20590; or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <a href="http://www.safercar.gov">http://www.safercar.gov</a>.

We apologize for any inconvenience this safety recall may cause, but your safety is our first concern.

Sincerely,

KME, Inc.

From: <u>«Customer»</u> (Customer name)

To: KME Fire Apparatus One Industrial Complex Nesquehoning, PA 18240

#### RE: NHSTA Recall No. 21V960

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ KME GSO(s) or VIN(s)\_\_\_\_

- □ This vehicle was inspected and repaired according to instructions.
- □ This vehicle was inspected and determined to not need repair.
- This vehicle was sold to: \_\_\_\_\_\_Name, Address, City, State/ZIP
- □ This vehicle was stolen.
- □ This vehicle was destroyed.

**Owner's (or Former Owner's) Signature** 

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