#### OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 22V-808

**Manufacturer Name:** Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)

NHTSA Recall No.: 22V-808

Manufacturer Recall No.: ZB5



#### **Manufacturer Information:**

Manufacturer Name: Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)

Address: 800 Chrysler Drive

CIMS 482-00-91 Auburn Hills MI

48326-2757

Company phone: 1-800-853-1403

## **Population:**

Number of potentially involved : 44,212 Estimated percentage with defect : 5%

#### **Vehicle Information:**

Vehicle 1: 2022-2022 Dodge Challenger

Vehicle Type:

Body Style : 2-DOOR Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Some 2022 MY Dodge Challenger vehicles may have been built with a tire pressure

monitor system ("TPMS") sensor that prematurely discharges its battery, making the

TPMS sensor inoperative.

The suspect period began on January 25, 2022, when containment inspection began, and ended on August 11, 2022, when the suspect TPMS sensors were no longer used

in production. The suspect period was determined using supplier and vehicle

production records.

Similar vehicles not included in the recall were previously recalled under 22V-504 or

built with TPMS sensors manufactured with updated software.

The total affected vehicles for this model is 15,718.

Production Dates : JAN 25, 2022 - AUG 11, 2022

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR ☐ Not sequential

Production Dates: JAN 27, 2022 - AUG 11, 2022

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

Not sequential

Vehicle 2: 2022-2022 Dodge Charger Vehicle Type: Body Style: 4-DOOR Power Train: NR Descriptive Information: Some 2022 MY Dodge Charger vehicles may have been built with a TPMS sensor that prematurely discharges its battery, making the TPMS sensor inoperative. The suspect period began on January 25, 2022, when containment inspection began, and ended on August 16, 2022, when the suspect TPMS sensors were no longer used in production. The suspect period was determined using supplier and vehicle production records. Similar vehicles not included in the recall were previously recalled under 22V-504 or built with TPMS sensors manufactured with updated software. The total affected vehicles for this model is 24,113. Production Dates: JAN 25, 2022 - AUG 16, 2022 VIN Range 1 : Begin : End: NR Not sequential Vehicle 3: 2022-2022 Chrysler 300 Vehicle Type: Body Style: 4-DOOR Power Train: NR Descriptive Information: Some 2022 MY Chrysler 300 vehicles may have been built with a TPMS sensor that prematurely discharges its battery, making the TPMS sensor inoperative. The suspect period began on January 27, 2022, when containment inspection began, and ended on August 11, 2022, when the suspect TPMS sensors were no longer used in production. The suspect period was determined using supplier and vehicle production records. Similar vehicles not included in the recall were previously recalled under 22V-504 or built with TPMS sensors manufactured with updated software. The total affected vehicles for this model is 4,381.

End: NR

## **Description of Noncompliance:**

Description of the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard ("FMVSS") 571.138 states that "...each

Noncompliance : vehicle must be equipped with a tire pressure monitor system" that detects

"when one or more of a vehicles tires is significantly under-inflated and illuminates a low tire pressure warning telltale." The tire pressure system in

the suspect vehicles may not detect low tire pressure.

FMVSS 1: 138 - Tire pressure monitoring systems

FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: If the TPMS light illuminates because the battery in the sensor prematurely

discharges, it could mask an actual low tire pressure condition, possibly resulting in tire failure, which can cause a vehicle crash without prior

warning.

Description of the Cause: NR

**Identification of Any Warning None** 

that can Occur:

## **Involved Components:**

Component Name 1: Tire Air Pressure Sensor

Component Description: Sensor - Tire Air Pressure

Component Part Number: 68487472AA

## **Supplier Identification:**

#### **Component Manufacturer**

Name: Huf Baolong Electronics North America Co

Address: 13555 Bishops Court, Suite 320

**Brookfield Wisconsin 53005** 

**Country: United States** 

### **Chronology:**

- On June 22, 2022, the FCA US TSRC organization recognized a vehicle build issue existed on certain vehicles related to the TPMS sensor battery life, potentially causing a noncompliance with FMVSS 138.
- On July 7, 2022, FCA US determined, through the Vehicle Regulations Committee, to conduct a voluntary

safety recall on the affected vehicles built without part inspection.

- From July through October 2022, FCA US monitored field performance of vehicles built with inspected TPMS sensors. During that time, six failed TPMS sensors from vehicles that were previously inspected, were returned and confirmed to have discharged batteries.
- On October 20, 2022, FCA US determined, through the Vehicle Regulations Committee, to conduct a voluntary safety recall of the affected vehicles which were inspected prior to release.

## **Description of Remedy:**

Description of Remedy Program: FCA US will conduct a voluntary safety recall on all affected vehicles to

inspect and replace the TPMS sensors as needed.

FCA US has a longstanding policy and practice of reimbursing owners who have incurred the cost of repairing a problem that subsequently becomes the subject of a field action. To ensure consistency, FCA US, as part of the owner letter, will request that customers send the original receipt and/or other adequate proof of payment to the company for confirmation of the

expense.

How Remedy Component Differs The remedy component will be TPMS sensors that do not prematurely

from Recalled Component: discharge.

Identify How/When Recall Condition NR was Corrected in Production:

#### **Recall Schedule:**

Description of Recall Schedule: \*\*10/27/2022: FCA US will notify dealers and begin notifying owners on

or about 12/16/2022.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: DEC 16, 2022 - DEC 16, 2022 Planned Owner Notification Date: DEC 16, 2022 - DEC 16, 2022

\* NR - Not Reported