

New Safety Recall Advanced Communication – ZA6

FCA US LLC (FCA US) has announced an equipment safety recall on certain Mopar aftermarket rear brake hoses, right rear 68371722AA, right rear 68371722AB, and left rear 68371723AB, intended for use on 2019 and 2020 Model Year (DP) Ram 4500/5500 Cab Chassis vehicles.

REASON FOR THIS SAFETY RECALL

Some of the above rear brake hoses manufactured and sold as aftermarket equipment may have been manufactured with an orifice diameter that is not within specification. A brake hose that does not meet constriction requirements may be more susceptible to hose assembly rupture. A ruptured brake hose could result in reduced braking performance, which may increase the risk of a crash without prior warning.

The condition described above does not comply with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 106 S5.3.1 Constriction requirement states: "Except for that part of an end fitting which does not contain hose, every inside diameter of any section of a hydraulic brake hose assembly shall be not less than 64 percent of the nominal inside diameter of the brake hose." Brake hoses that have an out of specification orifice diameter have an inside diameter that is less than the 64 percent requirement.

SERVICE ACTION

FCA US will conduct a voluntary safety recall on rear brake hoses. If installed on a vehicle, FCA US will remove the affected hose and install a new hose. If not installed on a vehicle, FCA US will inspect the production date label to determine if the hose is affected and replace if needed. The remedy for this condition is not currently available. Dealers will be notified of the launch of this safety recall by way of established communication methods. This recall is estimated to launch in 4th Quarter of 2022.

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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