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**IMPORTANT: Safety Notice** 

# SAFETY – RECALL – 22V-785

Dear Final Stage Manufacturer,

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

The Shyft Group, Inc. has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain model year 2023, K2 model Spartan RV chassis.

## What is the problem?

The Shyft Group, Inc. has decided that certain 2015 through 2019 model year, and 2021 through 2023 model year, MM and K2 model Spartan RV Chassis brand motor home chassis fail to conform to the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 121 – Air Brake Systems.

## What is the risk to motor vehicle safety?

The combined volume of air in the air brake system may be insufficient.

In increased braking events, there may be inadequate air volume for the service brakes which may lead to other unintended consequences that could increase the risk of a crash.

A low air pressure telltale may illuminate, in addition to an audible alarm, in the event air pressure falls below a certain threshold.

## What should the final stage manufacturer do?

On the attached document, you will find a list of Spartan RV chassis that have been sold to you. If you agree the identified chassis, contains a safety defect, you are reminded of your responsibility to notify the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) in accordance with 49 C.F.R. 573. It is a violation of federal regulation to sell a vehicle subject to a safety recall without the recall first being remedied.

## What will Shyft do?

Spartan RV Chassis will replace one of the air reservoirs with a larger capacity reservoir. The repair is expected to up to 2 hours and will be performed at no charge.

We will notify owners of the affected vehicles and direct them to the nearest service center to have the remedy applied.

For additional assistance, you may call Spartan RV Chassis Customer Product and Support at 1-800-543-4277 We regret any inconvenience this situation may cause. The Shyft Group, Inc. and its brands are committed to customer safety and satisfaction.

Sincerely,

Spartan RV Chassis