



U.S. Department of Transportation
**National Highway Traffic Safety
Administration**

1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20590

April 17, 2023

Mr. Andrew Sefzik
Alamo Group Inc.
1627 E. Walnut St.
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78255

NEF-107MR
23V-256

Subject: Water Tank Strap May Detach From Vehicle

Dear Mr. Sefzik:

This letter serves to acknowledge Alamo Group Inc.'s notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) of a safety recall which will be conducted pursuant to Federal law for the product(s) listed below. Please review the following information to ensure that it conforms to your records as this information is being made available to the public. If the information does not agree with your records, please contact us immediately to discuss your concerns.

Makes/Models/Model Years:

SUPER PRODUCTS/CAMEL/2014-2019
SUPER PRODUCTS/MUD DOG/2014-2019

Mfr's Report Date: April 7, 2023

NHTSA Campaign Number: 23V-256

Components:

EQUIPMENT:RECREATIONAL VEHICLE/TRAILER:PLUMBING:POTABLE:STORAGE TANK

Potential Number of Units Affected: 563

Problem Description:

Alamo Group, Inc. (Alamo Group) is recalling certain 2014-2019 Super Products Camel and Mud Dog vehicles. The tie rod could disconnect from the water tank strap, allowing the water tank strap to detach from the top of the vehicle.

Consequence:

A water tank strap falling to the ground while in transit can become a road hazard and increase the risk of a crash.

Remedy:

Dealers will inspect and replace the tank tie rods as necessary, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed June 6, 2023. Owners may contact Super Products customer service at 1-800-837-9711.

Notes:

Owners may also contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153), or go to www.nhtsa.gov.

Please be reminded of the following requirements:



You are required to submit a draft owner notification letter to this office no less than five days prior to mailing it to the customers. Also, copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall, including a copy of the final owner notification letter and any subsequent owner follow-up notification letter(s), are required to be submitted to this office no later than 5 days after they are originally sent (if they are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or purchaser/owner).

As stated in 49 U.S.C. § 30118(f), submission of eight consecutive quarterly reports followed by three annual reports is required. As described in 573.7, submission of the first of eight consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due on, or before, 30 days after the close of the calendar quarter. The first of three consecutive annual status reports will be due on, or before, 1 year after the eighth quarterly report was submitted.

Alamo Group Inc.'s contact for this recall will be Michelle Rice who may be reached by email at michelle.rice@dot.gov. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,



Alex Ansley
Chief, Recall Management Division
Office of Defects Investigation
Enforcement