

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

23V-063

Manufacturer Name : Daimler Trucks North America, LLC**Submission Date :** JUN 21, 2023**NHTSA Recall No. :** 23V-063**Manufacturer Recall No. :** FL964**Manufacturer Information :****Population :**

Manufacturer Name : Daimler Trucks North America, LLC

Number of potentially involved : 192

Address : 4747 N. Channel Avenue
Portland OR 97217-3849

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Company phone : 800-745-8000

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2021-2023 Freightliner Coronado

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : On certain vehicles equipped with a foldable upper bunk assembly, the mounting pivot bolt used to secure the upper bunk properly may not have been fully torqued to specification potentially allowing the bunk to come loose from one point of connection.

Production Dates : AUG 28, 2020 - JAN 12, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : On certain vehicles with a foldable upper bunk assembly, the mounting pivot bolts of the upper bunk may not have been fully torqued to spec to properly connect that mounting point.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : A loose mounting pivot bolt may result in the upper bunk falling potentially injuring the occupant using the bottom bunk.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : Occupants will likely notice the insecure mounting when lifting or lowering the upper bunk, which is done with the vehicle stationary and thus not subject to road vibration.

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Upper bunk assembly

Component Description : BUNK ASSY-CORONADO,W/UPH

Component Part Number : A18-48852-000

Component Name 2 : Upper bunk assembly

Component Description : BUNK ASSY-CORONADO,W/UPH

Component Part Number : A18-48852-001

Component Name 3 : Upper bunk assembly

Component Description : BUNK ASSY-CORONADO,W/UPH

Component Part Number : A18-48852-002

Component Name 4 : Upper bunk assembly

Component Description : BUNK ASSY-CORONADO,W/UPH

Component Part Number : A18-48852-003

Component Name 5 : Upper bunk assembly

Component Description : BUNK ASSY-CORONADO,W/UPH

Component Part Number : A18-48852-004

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : AMD Plastics

Address : 185 W. Main Street
Suite F New Concord Ohio 43762

Country : United States

Chronology :

In late October, 2022 DTNA identified a warranty claim on an upper bunk assembly falling (albeit with no

notice of injury nor death) and opened an preliminary investigation. In November, 2022, after identifying additional reports, DTNA opened an investigation to further review with its bunk suppliers. Investigative work continued through December and early to mid-January. In late-January, 2023 DTNA received a report back from the supplier identifying that the bolt may not have been properly torqued. At no time prior to this report did DTNA reasonably believe that the supplied bed assembly was out of specification. Promptly after receiving this notification, on February 3, 2023 DTNA decided to initiate a voluntary safety recall for vehicles equipped with the bunk assembly built with under torqued bolts. In early May DTNA updated the Chronology with to clarify that there 5 warranty claims total between the dates of October 2021 and October 2022, with no other reports, and no death or injuries reported. In June 2023, upon reviewing the DIR for FL974, DTNA noticed a typo and amended the DIR to correct it.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Vehicles will be updated with the correct bolts and torque. Repairs will be performed by Daimler Truck North America authorized service facilities. Details of the reimbursement plan will be included in the owner's notification letter.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

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

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Customer notification will be made by first class mail using Daimler Trucks North America records to determine the customers affected.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : APR 05, 2023 - APR 05, 2023

Planned Owner Notification Date : APR 05, 2023 - APR 05, 2023

* NR - Not Reported