

Recall Annual Report

23V179



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Manufacturer Name: Kia America, Inc.

NHTSA Recall No. / MFR Recall No.: 23V179 / SC265

Recall Subject: Tow Hitch Harness Fire While Parked or Driving

Owner Notification Beginning Date: May 16, 2023

Annual Reports

Report #	Submission Date	Update Date	Reporting Period	Recall Population	Total Remedied	Total Unreachable	Total Removed
1	Apr 20, 2026	Apr 20, 2026	2025-2 to 2026-1	3,555	2,726	36	22

Quarterly Reports

Report #	Submission Date	Update Date	Report Quarter	Recall Population	Total Remedied	Total Unreachable	Total Removed
8	Apr 23, 2025	Apr 25, 2025	2025-1	3,555	2,546	35	17
7	Jan 29, 2025	Feb 03, 2025	2024-4	3,555	2,453	35	17
6	Oct 28, 2024	Oct 28, 2024	2024-3	3,555	2,308	26	17
5	Jul 12, 2024	Jul 17, 2024	2024-2	3,555	2,176	25	15
4	Apr 25, 2024	Apr 30, 2024	2024-1	3,555	1,956	25	15
3	Jan 17, 2024	Jan 19, 2024	2023-4	3,555	1,661	24	13
2	Oct 27, 2023	Oct 31, 2023	2023-3	3,555	1,088	22	7
1	Jul 20, 2023	Jul 20, 2023	2023-2	3,555	291	12	5

This document last updated: Apr 27, 2026

Definitions:

Reporting Period: The reporting period the manufacturer is reporting recall completion figures.

Report Quarter: The quarter the manufacturer is reporting recall completion figures (e.g. 2012-3 means the 3rd quarter of 2012).

Recall Population: The total number of products recalled by the manufacturer.

Total Remedied: The total number of products either remedied, inspected without needing remedy, or returned to inventory.

Total Unreachable: Products deemed unreachable as owner notifications were unable to be delivered.

Total Removed: Products that have been scrapped, stolen, or exported.

