



## **IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL**

This notice applies to your vehicle,

**January 18, 2024**

### **SAFETY RECALL N848: TReK Brake Caliper Adrift**

**Vehicles Affected: 2023MY Land Rover Defender**

**National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) Recall Number: 23V-789**

#### **Dear Land Rover Owner:**

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the *National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act*. Land Rover has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2023MY Defender vehicles.

Your vehicle is included in this Recall action.

#### **What is the reason for this program?**

A concern has been identified on certain 2023 model year Land Rover Defender 130 vehicles modified for the TReK Off-Road Competition. The brake calipers may not be reinstalled properly, allowing the brake calipers to detach.

Detached brake calipers can reduce braking ability and cause structural wheel damage, increasing the risk of a crash.

#### **What are the warning signs of this condition?**

Customers may experience poor, inconsistent or no brake performance, as well as noise emanating from the wheel hub area.

#### **Are there any precautions that may be taken to minimize the safety risk until the corrective measures are implemented?**

Until such time as the recall is completed, customers are advised to be extra vigilant when operating the vehicle.

#### **What will Land Rover and your authorized Land Rover Retailer do?**

Affected vehicles will have their brake calipers removed and reinstalled following the correct procedure. There will be no charge to owners for this repair.

#### **What should you do?**

Please contact your preferred authorized Land Rover retailer and provide them with your Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) and request a service date to complete the work required under Program Code 'N848'.

**Attention Leasing Agencies:** If you are a vehicle lessor, Federal Regulations require you to forward this notice to your lessee within TEN (10) days.

#### **How long will it take?**

The work will be carried out as quickly and efficiently as possible in order to minimize inconvenience to customers and is expected to take approximately three (3) hours although your retailer may need your vehicle for a longer time. Your retailer can provide you with a better estimate of the overall time for the service visit.



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**What if I have previously paid for this concern?**

If you have already paid for this concern before the date of this letter, Land Rover is offering a refund. To qualify for a refund, please provide your authorized Land Rover retailer with the original paid receipt.

To avoid delays, please do not send the receipt to Jaguar Land Rover North America, LLC.

**Moved or no longer own this Land Rover vehicle?**

If you are no longer the owner of this vehicle, Land Rover would appreciate the name and address of the new owner (if known); please fill out and return the enclosed return postage-paid card.

**What should you do if you have further questions?**

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this Program, please contact the Service Manager at your authorized Land Rover retailer for assistance. If you have any queries or concerns that your local Retailer cannot address, please contact the Land Rover Customer Relationship Centre at 1-800-637-6827, **Option 9**, and one of our representatives will be happy to assist you.

You may also contact us by email using the following address: [lrweb2@jaguarlandrover.com](mailto:lrweb2@jaguarlandrover.com). Please include your full name, address, and VIN of your vehicle in your email.

**If you have the need to contact Land Rover by mail, please use the following address:**

Jaguar Land Rover North America, LLC  
ATTN: Customer Relationship Center  
100 Jaguar Land Rover Way  
Mahwah, NJ 07495

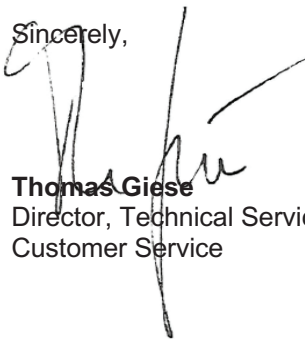
If your retailer fails or is unable to remedy this defect without charge and within a reasonable amount of time, you may submit a complaint to the:

Administrator  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE  
Washington, D.C. 20590

Or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at **888-327-4236 (TTY: 800-424-9153)**; or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

Land Rover appreciates your confidence in our product and wish to do everything we can to retain that confidence. We recognize this service visit may be an inconvenience to you. Land Rover, in cooperation with your authorized Land Rover retailer, will strive to minimize any inconvenience to you caused by this program.

Sincerely,



**Thomas Giese**  
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