

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24E-021

Manufacturer Name : Lippert

Submission Date : MAR 05, 2024

NHTSA Recall No. : 24E-021

Manufacturer Recall No. : NR



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Lippert

Address : Attn: Pamela VanderMel
PO Box 2888 Elkhart IN 46515

Company phone : 5743126040

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 540

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Equipment Information :

Brand / Trade 1 : Lippert / Utility

Model : Hub Oil Seal

Part No. : 276712 2.25 ID

Size : NR

Function : HD Oil Seal

Descriptive Information : Lippert substituted the seal to a different vendor. The orientation of the seal is different and not detected prior to install.

Production Dates : DEC 08, 2023 - FEB 08, 2024

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : It has been decided that a substituted oil seal from a different vendor was improperly installed and over time will allow oil in the sealed hub to leak on to the braking system.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Under certain conditions during travel, the improperly installed seal may allow the oil to leak leading to an increased risk of vehicle crash.

Description of the Cause : The seal was mounted incorrectly.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : Visible oil leakage on the wheel.

Involved Components :

Component Name : Hub Oil Seal

Component Description : 2.25 ID SHAFT X 3.376 OD, 8K UNITIZED OIL

Component Part Number : :276712

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Lippert

Address : 2020 Blakesley Pkwy
Bristol Indiana 46507

Country : United States

Chronology :

01.09.2024 – Lippert production detected the problem.

01.10.2024 – Lippert open an investigation to the possible causes.

02.22.2024– Investigation completed, no claims reported. Set date to meet with the Safety Committee.

02.26.2023:- Safety Committee reviewed the information and concluded that the data reviewed indicated a unanimous vote for a voluntary recall. Investigation called for to determine affected unit range.

03.5.2024: Lippert Files 573 to launch Recall.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : As an equipment supplier we will notify the OEM's of the effected components sold. We will assist the OEM's as needed in their notification to dealers and/or consumers.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The hub seals will be placed in the correct orientation.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Old style seals were removed from production. Installation procedures were changed to correctly install the seal properly. and property trained on installation.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : APR 26, 2024 - APR 26, 2024

Planned Owner Notification Date : APR 26, 2024 - APR 26, 2024

Purchaser Information :

The following manufacturers purchased this defective/noncompliant equipment for possible use or installation in new motor vehicles or new items of motor vehicle equipment:

Name : AXLE & TRAILER PARTS LLC

Address : 4720 PINSON VALLEY PKWY
Birmingham AL 35215

Country : US

Company Phone : 2053244404

Name : BIG TEX TRAILERS-CALDWELL (ID)

Address : 312 W SIMPLOT BLVD
CALDWELL ID 83605

Country : US

Company Phone : 2084590842

Name : BIG TEX TRAILERS-WILLS POINT (TX)

Address : 20675 US HIGHWAY 80
Will Point TX 75169

Country : US

Company Phone : 9034344115

Name : BWISE TRAILERS DBS

Address : 1002 WAYNE AVE
CHAMBERSBURG PA 17201

Country : US

Company Phone : 7172610922

Name : CONQUR INDUSTRIES INC

Address : 4805-57 Ave
P.O. Box 359 Twin Hills 00

Country : CA

Company Phone : 7806030008

Name : HITACHI GLOBAL AIR POWER

Address : 3700 E MICHIGAN BLVD
MICHIGAN CITY IN 46360

Country : US

Company Phone : 2198615267

Name : HORIZON TRAILERS MEXICO S DE RI DE CV
Address : CARR ESTA DE RUBIO A OJO DE LA YEGUA
KM 37.8 NUM 473 CAMPO 6 Riva Palacio 00
Country : MX
Company Phone : 526251009647

Name : LIBERTY STEEL FABRICATION INC
Address : 1861 MAIN ST
Fyffe AL
Country : US
Company Phone : 2566233027

Name : MINDEN MACHINE SHOP INC
Address : P.O. Box 356
Minden NE 68959
Country : US
Company Phone : 3088320220

Name : NOVAE CORP-MIDSOTA
Address : 314 Blattner DR
Avon 00 56310
Country : NR
Company Phone : 3202075162

Name : NTI/ LTD
Address : 2000 7th Ave N
Clear Lake IA 50428
Country : US
Company Phone : 6413573922

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Address : 2000 7th Ave N
Clear Lake IA 50428
Country : US
Company Phone : 6413573922

Name : PJ TRAILERS-MT ORAB
Address : 200 Front Street
Mount Orab OH 45154
Country : US
Company Phone : 9374444295

Name : PJ Trailers-Summer
Address : 1811 Farm Road 75486
Summer TX 75486
Country : US
Company Phone : 9035750300

Name : SOUTHLAND TRAILER CORP
Address : 1405 41 ST N
LETHBRIDGE, AB T1H 6G3 Lethbridge 00
Country : CA
Company Phone : 4033294888

Name : TRAILER SERVICES OF FLORIDA
Address : 53 BIRCHWOOD DR
Palm Coast FL 32137
Country : US
Company Phone : 3862377210

Name : TROYER BROTHERS INC
Address : 6691 W state Road 124
Decatur IN 46733
Country : US
Company Phone : 2605652244

Name : U-DUMP TRAILERS LLC
Address : 2610 NW 10TH ST
Ocala FL 34475
Country : US
Company Phone : 3523518510

Name : XCEL FABRICATION & DESIGN LTD
Address : 24 Clearview DR
Tillsonburg 00 N4G 4G8
Country : CA
Company Phone : 5196883193

Name : NTI/ABU
Address : 6691 W state Road 124
Decatur IN 46733
Country : US
Company Phone : 2605652244

* NR - Not Reported