

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24V-305

Manufacturer Name : Reading Truck Body LLC**Submission Date :** APR 29, 2024**NHTSA Recall No. :** 24V-305**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Reading Truck Body LLC

Address : 825 E Wyomissing Blvd

Reading PA 19611

Company phone : 18004582226

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 54

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2022-2024 Reading Truck Body RM-78 11 RM78-14

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : PICKUP TRUCK

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : All RM-78 crane bodies produced.

The other bodies produced have a tail lamp mounted 12 inches lower.

Production Dates : JUL 06, 2022 - APR 19, 2024

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

 Not sequential**Description of Noncompliance :**

Description of the Noncompliance : Tail lamp mounted height exceeds the maximum height per FMVSS 108 of 72" by 3".

FMVSS 1 : 108 - Lamps, reflective devices, and assoc. Equipment

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Does not comply with FMVSS 108 max height

Description of the Cause : The first bodies of this new product were mounted on Ford F700 chassis and passed the design validation inspection. Subsequent orders were not checked and we have changed our validation process to include all chassis choices

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : NR

Component Description : NR

Component Part Number : NR

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

Distributor advised of the non-compliance found during vehicle registration inspection on 4/15/2024 on a class 7 chassis.

Investigation of CAD data and OE chassis data confirmed that certain class 6 and 7 chassis would result in a non-compliance on 4/25/2024

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Tail lamp will be relocated 6" lower to ensure compliance, with all costs to repair covered under warranty with no cost to customer.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Tail lamp will be relocated 6" lower

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Quality alert was issued and all bodies on ground place in quarantine to not ship.
Design change will be released 4/30/2024 to correct this in all ne bodies produced.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAY 06, 2024 - MAY 24, 2024

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAY 06, 2024 - MAY 27, 2024

* NR - Not Reported