

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24V-918

Manufacturer Name : Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)**Submission Date :** DEC 10, 2024**NHTSA Recall No. :** 24V-918**Manufacturer Recall No. :** D7B**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)

Address : 800 Chrysler Drive
CIMS 482-00-91 Auburn Hills MI
48326-2757

Company phone : 1-800-853-1403

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 2,135

Estimated percentage with defect : 1 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2021-2023 Jeep Renegade

Vehicle Type :

Body Style : SUV

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Some 2021 and 2023 MY Jeep Renegade vehicles may have been built with a reverse gear lamp configuration with the incorrect bumper backup lamp assembly.

The suspect period began on September 16, 2021, when the first vehicle was built with the incorrect bumper backup lamp assembly, and ended on December 13, 2023, when vehicles were no longer being built with the incorrect bumper backup lamp assembly. Vehicle production records were used to determine the suspect period.

Similar vehicles not included in this recall do not have backup lamps in the bumper or were built before or after the suspect period.

Production Dates : SEP 16, 2021 - DEC 13, 2023

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

 Not sequential**Description of Noncompliance :**

Description of the Noncompliance : Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard ("FMVSS") 49 CFR 571.108 S7.6.2.1. FMVSS 108 Table 1-a requires that backup lamps shall be "1 White Additional lamps permitted to meet requirements." Vehicles in the suspect population may have been built with the incorrect bumper backup lamp assembly.

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

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Reduced visibility of backup lamps could result in pedestrians and/or approaching vehicles being unaware of the position and direction of the vehicle, which may cause a vehicle crash without prior warning.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning None
that can Occur :

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Lamp

Component Description : Backup Lamp

Component Part Number : 68255511AA / 68255512AA

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : OLSA Poland

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Kostrzyn nad Odr Foreign States 66.470

Country : Poland

Chronology :

On July 10th, 2024, the Stellantis Europe Customer Experience ("CX") organization was notified of a potential issue related to some Jeep Renegade vehicles built with incorrect bumper backup lamp assemblies.

From July 2024, through November 2024, Stellantis Europe CX organization conducted an analysis of the vehicle build history and determined that the affected vehicles may have been built with incorrect bumper backup lamp assemblies.

On November 28, 2024, the Stellantis Europe CX organization recognized a vehicle build issue existed on certain vehicles that can lead to the incorrect bumper backup lamp assembly to be installed, potentially resulting in a noncompliance with FMVSS No. 108.

On December 03, 2024, Stellantis Europe S.p.A determined, through the Vehicle Regulations Committee, to conduct a voluntary safety recall of the affected vehicles.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : FCA US will conduct a voluntary safety recall to inspect, and if necessary, replace the bumper backup lamp assembly.

FCA US submitted its General Reimbursement Plan relating to reimbursement to owners and purchasers for costs incurred for remedies in advance of the manufacturer's notification of safety-related defects and noncompliance with Federal motor vehicle safety standards in October 2024. Owners and purchasers may be eligible for reimbursement in accordance with that plan.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : This recall is not related to a part defect, but rather an assembly issue that resulted in the incorrect backup lamp being installed which does not meet FMVSS requirements. The remedy will be to inspect, and if necessary, replace the bumper backup lamp assembly.

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

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : **12/10/2024: FCA US will notify dealers on or about 12/17/2024 and begin notifying owners on or about 01/30/2025.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : DEC 17, 2024 - DEC 17, 2024

Planned Owner Notification Date : JAN 30, 2025 - JAN 30, 2025

* NR - Not Reported