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Hello,

Volvo Truck's Product Safety Committee has voted that certain Heavy Duty Vehicles may have been built with a safety related defect on the draglinks. The issue with draglinks is pertaining to the ball stud with improper heat treatment. This could result in a sudden loss of steering. **The committee also determined that owners must be notified and instructed to not drive their vehicles until recall repairs have been completed.**

Once, we have an approved remedy (repair) another communication will be sent out.

Here is a high level summary of the issue:

Description of the defect:

Volvo Heavy Duty vehicles have been built with draglinks containing a ball stud with improper heat treatment. This could result in a sudden loss of steering.

Make, Model, and Model Year:

Volvo, Models VNR, VNL, VHD & VNRE, MY 2025.

Period during which vehicles were manufactured:

April 11, 2024 through May 24, 2024.

Population:

594 with an estimated defect rate of 100 % (482 U.S. 107 Canada, 6 TBD).

Product Safety Committee Decision Date:

May 30, 2024 Product Safety Defect Determination was made. The committee also determined that the owners should be notified and instructed to Do Not Drive until repairs have been completed.

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