



U.S. Department of Transportation  
**National Highway Traffic Safety  
Administration**

**1200 New Jersey Avenue SE  
Washington, DC 20590**

August 13, 2025

25T015

James Donovan  
Sumitomo Rubber Industries, Ltd.  
3 Garnett Drive  
White Plains, NY 10604

**Subject:** Motorcycle Tires May Have Reduced Traction

Dear James Donovan:

This letter serves to acknowledge Sumitomo Rubber Industries, Ltd.'s notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) of a safety recall which will be conducted pursuant to Federal law for the product(s) listed below. Please review the following information to ensure that it conforms to your records as this information is being made available to the public. If the information does not agree with your records, please contact us immediately to discuss your concerns.

**Tire Brand/Tire Line/Tire Size:**

DUNLOP/TT93GP PRO MS/120/80-12 55J  
DUNLOP/TT93FGP PRO/100/90-12 49J

**Mfr's Report Date:** August 12, 2025

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 25T015

**Components:**

TIRES:TREAD/BELT

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 57

**Problem Description:**

Sumitomo Rubber Industries, Ltd. (Sumitomo) is recalling certain Dunlop TT93FGP PRO and TT93FGP PRO MS motorcycle tires, size 120/80-12 55J and 100/90-12 49J. During manufacturing, some of the sidewall compound may have contaminated the tread surface, reducing the tire's traction.

**Consequence:**

Tires that do not provide sufficient traction increase the risk of a crash.

**Remedy:**

Dealers will replace the tires or provide reimbursement, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed on September 15, 2025. Owners may contact Sumitomo customer service at 1-800-845-8378.



**Notes:**

Owners may also contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-888-275-9171), or go to [www.nhtsa.gov](http://www.nhtsa.gov).

**Please ensure the following requirements are met:****Risk Identification Not Supplied**

Identify and describe the risk to motor vehicle safety related to the defect or noncompliance as required by 49 CFR 573.6 (c)(5). All filings should state an increased risk of either a crash, injury, or fire, and should be provided in an amended Part 573 Recall Report through the NHTSA Recalls Portal.

**AMENDED 573 REQUIRED.**

**Please be reminded of the following requirements:**

You are required to submit a draft owner notification letter to this office no less than five days prior to mailing it to the customers. Also, copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall, including a copy of the final owner notification letter and any subsequent owner follow-up notification letter(s), are required to be submitted to this office no later than 5 days after they are originally sent (if they are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or purchaser/owner).

Please be reminded that under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a)(3), it is illegal for a manufacturer, to sell, offer for sale, import, or introduce or deliver into interstate commerce, a motor vehicle or item of motor vehicle equipment that contains a safety defect once the manufacturer has notified NHTSA about that safety defect. This prohibition does not apply once the motor vehicle or motor vehicle equipment has been remedied according to the manufacturer's instructions.

As stated in 49 U.S.C. § 30118(f), submission of eight consecutive quarterly reports followed by three annual reports is required. As described in 573.7, submission of the first of eight consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due on, or before, 30 days after the close of the calendar quarter. The first of three consecutive annual status reports will be due on, or before, 1 year after the eighth quarterly report was submitted.

Sumitomo Rubber Industries, Ltd.'s contact for this recall will be Sarah Shiver who may be reached by email at [SARAH.SHIVER@DOT.GOV](mailto:SARAH.SHIVER@DOT.GOV). We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

*Alex Ansley*

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Chief, Recall Management Division  
Office of Defects Investigation  
Enforcement