



R25DH

IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

NHTSA Recall Number: 25V-003 School Bus
NHTSA Recall Number: 25V-004 Non-School Bus

DATE: February 17, 2025
TO: U.S. DEALERS
SUBJECT: R25DH: FMVSS 108 Non-Compliance – High & Low Beam Reversed Operation

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Blue Bird Body Company has decided

- Certain model year 2024-2025 Blue Bird All American School Buses
 - manufactured from June 24, 2024 through July 30, 2024
- Certain model year 2025 Blue Bird All American Non-School Buses
 - manufactured on June 26, 2024

vehicles may fail to conform to the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard **FMVSS 108, Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment**.

This notice applies to your bus(es) identified by both Blue Bird Body Number and Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) on the enclosed yellow cover sheet. If you no longer own the subject bus(es), please complete the appropriate section of the yellow cover sheet and return to Blue Bird in the enclosed pink postage prepaid envelope.

It has been determined certain Blue Bird All American (T3FE/T3RE) School Buses and a Non-School Bus fail to comply with FMVSS 108, Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment. Due to the reversal of wires, high beam indication on the instrument cluster is active when low beams are on and inactive when high beams are on.

Blue Bird shall conduct a voluntary safety recall to correct this noncompliance.

Corrective Action:

To correct this condition, Blue Bird will notify the affected dealers and owners and will provide repair instructions. Recall R25DH should be repaired, per R25DH Recall Repair Instructions. You may request parts at campaignparts@blue-bird.com **Parts are currently available.**

Labor Reimbursement:

Blue Bird will reimburse the labor cost of the repairs related to this recall at no cost to you the Dealer or to the vehicle owner. The standard repair time (SRT) to accomplish this repair in accordance with the R25DH remedy procedure(s) is outlined below.



Repair Option and allowable labor time for this campaign is outlined as follows:

Blue Bird will reimburse the labor cost of the repairs related to this recall at no cost to the Dealer or to the vehicle owner. **The standard repair time (SRT) to accomplish the repair in accordance with the R25DH remedy procedure is outlined below.**

R25DH: Repair

- 0.3 hours (18 minutes)

Administering the Recall and Parts:

Recall R25DH should be repaired, per R25DH Recall Instructions. You may request parts at campaignparts@blue-bird.com **Parts are currently available.**

If Blue Bird's records indicate bus(es) subject to this recall were delivered in your service area, a list of affected bus(es) will be enclosed. The bus(es) will be identified by Blue Bird Body Number and Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) on the enclosed yellow cover sheet. **Dealers should verify correct owners and assure that complete mailing and shipping addresses are provided for each listed owner.**

It is the dealer's responsibility to verify the correct owner name, address, and telephone number is provided for each listed vehicle. Any corrections or updates should be made in ClaimsCenter. Addresses that cannot be updated should be forwarded to the Recall Administrator.

Federal law requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.

Dealers are reminded of their responsibilities under Section 154 of The National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1991. Dealers are required to complete modifications on units in their inventory before delivering to the final owner. Reference Blue Bird Body Company Distributor Memo No. 42-92.

If you have in your possession or have sold a bus that was purchased from another Dealer, which may be affected by this recall, please notify Lisa Hancock at 478-822-2242 or lisa.hancock@blue-bird.com Questions regarding this recall campaign should be directed to Lisa Hancock, as well.

Sincerely,

Lisa Hancock

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