

PREVOST SAFETY RECALL SR25-85  
NHTSA SAFETY RECALL #25V-469  
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## **IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL**

This notice applies to your vehicle(s), see VIN list below.

Dear Customer,

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

Prevost Car US Inc. has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2023 to 2025 Volvo Bus 9700 motorcoaches.

### **DEFECT DESCRIPTION**

On certain vehicles, metallic debris within the electrical connectors of the Automatic Fire Suppression System (AFSS) may cause a short circuit, resulting in a false activation signal. In this event, the AFSS may issue a false warning to the driver, command an unwarranted engine shutdown, and discharge a fire suppression agent in the engine compartment.

### **SAFETY RISK**

An unexpected loss of drive power caused by an unwarranted AFSS activation can increase the risk of a crash. Additionally, a loss of drive power may also require a passenger evacuation in an uncontrolled traffic situation, which may increase the risk of injury.

### **IDENTIFICATION OF ANY WARNING THAT CAN PRECEDE**

The driver will receive a visible and audible alert prior to the engine shutdown.

### **REMEDY PROGRAM**

Prevost will inspect and remove any metallic debris from the AFSS connectors. Letters will be sent to customers to inform them on how to proceed. Prevost will execute this correction

free of charge (parts and labor) for the customers. In case a customer has already inspected and corrected this defect before the safety recall has been launched, this customer will be reimbursed according to Prevost reimbursement plan.

According to our records, you are the registered owner of the following vehicles involved in this safety recall SR25-85:

«VIN1»	«VIN2»	«VIN3»	«VIN4»
«VIN5»	«VIN6»	«VIN7»	«VIN8»
«VIN9»	«VIN10»	«VIN11»	«VIN12»
«VIN13»	«VIN14»	«VIN15»	«VIN16»
«VIN17»	«VIN18»	«VIN19»	«VIN20»
«VIN21»	«VIN22»	«VIN23»	«VIN24»
«VIN25»	«VIN26»	«VIN27»	«VIN28»
«VIN29»	«VIN30»	«VIN31»	«VIN32»
«VIN33»	«VIN34»	«VIN35»	«VIN36»
«VIN37»	«VIN38»	«VIN39»	«VIN40»
«VIN41»	«VIN42»	«VIN43»	«VIN44»
«VIN45»	«VIN46»	«VIN47»	«VIN48»
«VIN49»	«VIN50»	«VIN51»	«VIN52»
«VIN53»	«VIN54»	«VIN55»	«VIN56»
«VIN57»	«VIN58»	«VIN59»	«VIN60»
«VIN61»	«VIN62»	«VIN63»	«VIN64»
«VIN65»	«VIN66»	«VIN67»	«VIN68»
«VIN69»	«VIN70»	«VIN71»	«VIN72»
«VIN73»	«VIN74»	«VIN75»	«VIN76»
«VIN77»	«VIN78»	«VIN79»	«VIN80»
«VIN81»	«VIN82»	«VIN83»	«VIN84»
«VIN85»	«VIN86»	«VIN87»	«VIN88»
«VIN89»	«VIN90»	«VIN91»	«VIN92»
«VIN93»	«VIN94»	«VIN95»	«VIN96»
«VIN97»	«VIN98»	«VIN99»	«VIN100»

## WHAT YOU NEED TO DO

Please make an appointment to your nearest Prevost Service Center and refer to Safety Recall SR25-85 to receive the remedy.

Optionally, you may have the work performed by qualified personnel of your choice, following Safety Recall SR25-85 available on Prevost Technical Publications web site at this address: <http://techpub.prevostcar.com/en/>

The time to inspect and repair your vehicle if required is approximately one hour (1.0 h).

## PART AND LABOR CLAIM

Prevost will reimburse you as described in SR25-85 procedure. Please file an online warranty claim following normal campaign procedures if you are a registered customer, otherwise, contact the Prevost Warranty Department at 1-866-870-2046 for reimbursement instructions.

## **NOTICE REGARDING LEASED VEHICLES**

If you are a Lessor of vehicles subject to this Notice, you have an obligation under Federal Law to send a copy of this Notice to all Lessees within 10 days.

## **PRE-NOTIFICATION REMEDIES**

If you have previously paid for repairs as a result of this issue, you may be entitled to recovery of those expenses. PrevoSt Car US will reimburse the claimant by check for the reasonable amount paid for repairs (i.e. the cost of parts, labor, disposal fees and taxes) that addressed the defect as stated in the safety recall notification. *To qualify, repairs must have been completed no earlier than one year prior to the release of the recall and no later than 10 days after the release of the recall mailing of the initial customer notification letter pertaining to the recall.* To get reimbursed, please file an online warranty claim following normal Campaign procedures if you are a registered customer, otherwise, contact the PrevoSt Warranty Department at 1-866-870-2046 for reimbursement instructions.

## **REIMBURSEMENT OF PRE-NOTIFICATION REMEDIES**

When a PrevoSt vehicle is affected by a safety recall and the owner/purchaser (claimant) has the safety-related defect or FMVSS regulatory noncompliance remedied at their own expense prior to receiving the manufacturer notification of the safety recall, PrevoSt Car (US) Inc. will reimburse the owner/purchaser for the reasonable amount paid (i.e. the cost of parts, labor, disposal fees and taxes) that addressed the safety-related defect or FMVSS regulatory noncompliance as described in the safety recall notification. To qualify, repairs must have been completed no earlier than one year prior to the release of the safety recall (notification to the government) and no later than 10 days after the last mailing of the initial customer notification letter pertaining to the recall. To get reimbursed, please file an online warranty claim following normal campaign procedure if you are a registered customer, otherwise, please contact the PrevoSt Warranty Department at 1-866-870-2046 for reimbursement instructions.

## **CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR OWNERSHIP**

If your address has changed, or you no longer own the vehicle(s), please help us update our records. Use the link below to access the PrevoSt Warranty Support web page <https://prevostcar.com/contact/warranty>

Click on the link '[Change of address or ownership](#)', fill the form, save it and email the file to [prevost.warranty@volvo.com](mailto:prevost.warranty@volvo.com)

## **ASSISTANCE**

If you need assistance, please contact your nearest PrevoSt Service Center. You will find the PrevoSt Parts & Service Centers location at this address:

<https://prevostcar.com/contact/parts-service-center>

## **COMPLAINTS**

You may submit a complaint if you believe that Prevost Car US has failed or is unable to remedy the defect without charge or within a reasonable time.

You may submit the complaint to the Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration located at 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590, USA or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at: 1-888-327-4236, (TTY): 1-888-275-9171 or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

We regret any inconvenience this may cause to your operations but hope you will appreciate our sincere efforts to demonstrate Prevost's commitment to provide our customers with the best possible product.

Truly yours,

Prevost Service Team