



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

26V396

Manufacturer Name: Piaggio Group Americas, Inc.

Submission Date: Jun 24, 2026

NHTSA Recall No.: 26V396

Manufacturer Recall No.:

Manufacturer Information

Population

Manufacturer Name: Piaggio Group Americas,
Inc.

Address: 860 Washington St
9th Floor
New York NY, 10014

Total number of potentially involved: 112

Estimated percentage with defect: 7%

Vehicle Information

Vehicle 1: 2026-2026 PIAGGIO LIBERTY 50

Product Category: Motorcycles

Product Type: Motorcycles

Fuel / Propulsion:

Production Dates: Jan 01, 2026 - Feb 02, 2026

Number of potentially involved: 36

Descriptive Information:

All 2026 Piaggio Liberty 50 vehicles produced for the USA market.

Vehicle 2: 2026-2026 PIAGGIO LIBERTY 150

Product Category: Motorcycles

Product Type: Motorcycles

Fuel / Propulsion:

Production Dates: Jan 01, 2026 - Feb 02, 2026

Number of potentially involved: 76

Descriptive Information:

All 2026 Piaggio Liberty 150 vehicles produced for the USA market.

Defect / Noncompliance Description

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Description of the defect or noncompliance:

Following a technical analysis conducted on the headlamps fitted to the 2026 Liberty 50 and 150 vehicles, it emerged that a component in the electronic circuit - specifically a capacitor manufactured by Samsung - may not comply with the specified technical requirements. The fault could affect the correct electrical operation of the headlamp, causing the low beam light and/or high beam light to switch off and, in some cases, even the instrument panel lighting to turn off.

FMVSS1:

FMVSS2:

Description of the safety risk, including crash, fire, death, injury:

The fault could affect the correct electrical operation of the headlamp, causing the low beam light and/or high beam light to switch off and, in some cases, even the instrument panel lighting to turn off. Loss of lighting at night could reduce visibility on the road and lead to a crash.

Description of the cause:

A capacitor manufactured by Samsung used in the production of the headlight - may not comply with the specified technical requirements. After a long period of production without any problems, some reels of capacitors bought through a distributor from Samsung Chinese Plant, had defective capacitors inside.

Identification of any warning that can occur:

No warning is presented other than loss of the headlight illumination.

Component Manufacturer

Tier of Supplier: Tier 1

Supplier Type: Distributor

Name: VARROC LIGHTING SYSTEMS VIET NAM CO.,LTD

Address: 24+25, Quang Minh Industrial Park,
Quang Minh Town, Me Linh District
Hanoi Foreign States, 12907

Country: Viet Nam

Involved Components

Component Name 1: Headlamp

Component Description: Headlamp

Component Part Number: 1D004634

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Chronology

Will upload chronology from the Factory. First case reported March 7th That started the technical quality review. Information sent to USA 6/17/2026

Related NHTSA Recall Number:

Description of Remedy

Remedy Type: Inspect

Consumer Advisories: Do Not Drive Park Outside

Description of remedy program:

To address this situation, PGA will conduct a recall of models within the affected VIN range. PGA, through the qualified dealer network, will inspect the date code label affixed to the headlamp assembly. If the headlamp has a production date between January 1st and January 30th 2026 the headlamp will be replaced. Headlamps produced before and after this date range are considered compliant.

The work required by this recall may be completed by your qualified Piaggio/Vespa dealer at no charge to you for the required parts and labor. The work time for the repair is approximately 30 minutes.

How remedy component differs from recalled component:

The remedy headlights have been built with tested capacitors from a different factory.

Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:

All headlamps were corrected for all future production. The last production date of headlamps with the defective capacitors was January 30, 2026. Start of production on February 2, 2026 VARROC stopped using Chinese plant reels and used Philippine plant reels only. Varroc traceability label: first ok 02FEB26

Reimbursement Plan

Recall Schedule

Description of recall schedule:

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**26V396****Planned Dealer Notification Date:** Jun 24, 2026 - Jun 24, 2026 No Dealers**Planned Interim Owner Notification Date:** No Owners**Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date:** Jun 29, 2026 - Jul 15, 2026 Phased Recall**Date when VIN will be searchable:**