



U.S. Department
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National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

26V435

Manufacturer Name: Wabash National Corporation

Submission Date: Jul 07, 2026

NHTSA Recall No.: 26V435

Manufacturer Recall No.:

Manufacturer Information

Population

Manufacturer Name: Wabash National Corporation

Address: PO Box 6129
1000 Sagamore Parkway
South
Lafayette IN, 47903-6129

Total number of potentially involved: 357

Estimated percentage with defect: 100%

Vehicle Information

Vehicle 1: 2021-2026 Wabash Truck Body

Product Category: Buses, Medium & Heavy Vehicles

Product Type: Truck

Fuel / Propulsion: Compression Ignition Fuel

Production Dates: May 07, 2021 - Nov 26, 2025

Number of potentially involved: 357

Descriptive Information:

Insulated truck bodies with side door stirrup steps.

Defect / Noncompliance Description

Description of the defect or noncompliance:

Insulated truck bodies with side door stirrup steps mounted to the floor of body have the potential for detachment due to inadequate contact of the adhesive between the mounting plate and floor surface.

FMVSS1:

FMVSS2:

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

If the stirrup steps separate from the body floor while in transit, it could cause a crash or if they detach

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while an operator is climbing into the cargo area, it could result in an injury.

Description of the cause:

Inadequate compression and inconsistent application of adhesive during installation resulting in inadequate bond.

Identification of any warning that can occur:

A visible gap between the stirrup step mounting plate and the floor surface. Shaking or movement of the stirrup steps.

Component Manufacturer

Tier of Supplier:**Supplier Type:****Name:****Address:****Country:**

Involved Components

Component Name 1: Stirrup step**Component Description:** Stirrup Step for side door**Component Part Number:** 06013315

Chronology

On June 3rd a customer contacted Wabash with a report of two vehicles built in the Moreno Valley, CA facility around Nov 2024 that had stirrup steps that had detached in the field. This resulted in no injuries or property damage. The same day Wabash warranty submitted an internal concern report.

On June 5th Wabash began an internal investigation based on the internal concern report.

On June 15th a second customer contacted Wabash with a report of an additional three vehicles, also built in the Moreno Valley, CA facility with steps that had become detached. The same day, the product safety team convened and voted to escalate to the Product Safety Council. A review of production orders determined a total of 357 vehicles had been produced between 8 manufacturing locations using a design similar to the 5 affected vehicles.

On June 30th the Product Safety Council convened and decided to conduct a recall on all 357 units.

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Description of Remedy

Remedy Type:**Consumer Advisories:** ☐ Do Not Drive ☐ Park Outside**Description of remedy program:****How remedy component differs from recalled component:****Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:**

Reimbursement Plan

Manufacturer used general reimbursement plan on file.

Recall Schedule

Description of recall schedule:

Customers will be notified and instructed to contact a Wabash repair partner for inspection and repair of their stirrup steps. This recall is on a product that has been discontinued and all orders sold and delivered to end users.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: ☒ No Dealers**Planned Interim Owner Notification Date:** ☐ No Owners**Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date:** Sep 04, 2026 - Sep 04, 2026 ☐ Phased Recall**Date when VIN will be searchable:**