



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

26V515

Manufacturer Name: Mack Trucks, Inc.

Submission Date: Aug 06, 2026

NHTSA Recall No.: 26V515

Manufacturer Recall No.: SC0498

Manufacturer Information

Population

Manufacturer Name: Mack Trucks, Inc.

Address: 2100 Mack Boulevard
PO Box M
Allentown PA, 18105-5000

Total number of potentially involved: 513

Estimated percentage with defect: 0.8%

Vehicle Information

Vehicle 1: 2027-2027 MACK PIONEER PR (4)

Product Category: Buses, Medium & Heavy Vehicles

Product Type: Truck

Fuel / Propulsion: Compression Ignition Fuel

Production Dates: Apr 27, 2026 - Jun 19, 2026

Number of potentially involved: 355

Descriptive Information:

Vehicles built between 04-27-2026 (go live of v2 of part) and 06-19-2026 (containment point at Mack factory)

Vehicle 2: 2027-2027 MACK ANTHEM AN (4)

Product Category: Buses, Medium & Heavy Vehicles

Product Type: Truck

Fuel / Propulsion: Compression Ignition Fuel

Production Dates: Apr 27, 2026 - Jun 19, 2026

Number of potentially involved: 158

Descriptive Information:

Vehicles built between 04-27-2026 (go live of v2 of part) and 06-19-2026 (containment point at Mack factory)

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Defect / Noncompliance Description

Description of the defect or noncompliance:

Certain Mack AN(4) and PR(4) may be equipped with roof marker lights that may not have appropriate connector housing lengths.

FMVSS1: 108 - Lamps, reflective devices, and assoc. Equipment

FMVSS2:

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

This can result in the center marker lamp connection failing and the light not illuminating which may reduce visibility and increase the risk of a crash. As such, these trucks may fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 108, "Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment."

Description of the cause:

Tolerance stack between pins and connector are line to line which results in faulty connection when any parts are not at nominal tolerance value.

Identification of any warning that can occur:

None

Component Manufacturer

Tier of Supplier: Tier 1

Supplier Type: OEM

Name: Grote

Address: 2600 Lanier Dr.
Madison IN, 47250

Country: United States

Involved Components

Component Name 1: Lamp

Component Description: Marker Centre ID Bar

Component Part Number: 78513681

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Chronology

June 09, 2026: Safety Office opens a product safety related issue investigation.

July 13, 2026: Product Safety Evaluation Committee review #1 requests additional information.

July 27, 2026: Product Safety Evaluation Committee review #2 recommends escalation to Product Safety Committee.

July 30, 2026: Product Safety Committee determines that a non-compliance exists and decides to initiate a recall.

There have been 5 warranty claims, 0 field reports and no accidents or injuries reported with this issue.

Claim Breakdown: June - 3, July - 2

Related NHTSA Recall Number:

Description of Remedy

Remedy Type: Replace

Consumer Advisories: ☐ Do Not Drive ☐ Park Outside

Description of remedy program:

Vehicles will be recalled, and the center roof marker lamp will be replaced.

How remedy component differs from recalled component:

New marker lamps will have updated connector length to ensure proper tolerance per design guidelines.

Identify how/when recall condition was corrected in production:

Stock was sorted at the supplier and a containment inspection put in place for all shipments starting 06-05-2026.

Stock was sorted at our factory, and all NOK components were scrapped on 06-19-2026.

Vehicles still on site have been put on a stop shipment and will not be released until corrected with verified clean components.

Reimbursement Plan

Manufacturer used general reimbursement plan on file.

Recall Schedule

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**26V515****Description of recall schedule:**

Dealers will be notified on or before 13 August.
Owners will be notified on or before 05 October.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: Aug 13, 2026 - Aug 13, 2026

☐ No Dealers

Planned Interim Owner Notification Date: Oct 05, 2026 - Oct 05, 2026

☐ No Owners

Planned Remedy Owner Notification Date: Oct 05, 2026 - Oct 05, 2026

☐ Phased Recall

Date when VIN will be searchable: Aug 13, 2026