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IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

This notice applies to your vehicle
Recall Campaign: **26V-397**
Subject: **2026 Chief Vintage VIN Decal**
PLEASE READ IMMEDIATELY

Dear Indian Motorcycle Owner,

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. Indian Motorcycle has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in 2026 Chief Vintage motorcycles.

The reason for this notice:

Thank you for choosing Indian Motorcycle. We appreciate your passion for riding and your commitment to the Indian Motorcycle community. Riders like you inspire us to continually refine and enhance our products. We are writing today to share information about labeling update for your motorcycle.

Indian Motorcycle has identified that some Model Year 2026 Chief Vintage motorcycles were produced with a Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) label that lists an incorrect rear rim width. The label on affected motorcycles currently shows 16"x5.0", while the correct specification is 16"x3.5". VIN label information must be accurate for regulatory compliance and service clarity, we want to ensure your motorcycle reflects the correct specification. Incorrect service of rear rim could lead to improper tire fitment, which could lead to a potential for loss of control and increasing the risk of a crash.

What you should do:

To make this process as convenient as possible, you may choose the option that works best for you.

OPTION 1: Complete the Update Yourself

Included in this letter is an updated VIN overlay decal along with this letter. The instructions for applying the decal are printed on the back of this page. Once you have applied the decal, scan the QR code to complete a short confirmation form. This allows us to update your motorcycle's service records. If you prefer not to complete the update yourself, you may choose Option 2 instead.



OPTION 2: Have Your Dealer Complete the Update

If you would like assistance, your local Indian Motorcycle dealer can apply the updated decal for you at no cost. Simply contact your dealer to schedule a convenient time. The update is quick and requires only a short visit.

This notice was mailed to you according to our most current registration information. If you no longer own this vehicle, or if some of the contact information in this notice is incorrect, please contact your dealer to complete a transfer of ownership. Federal law requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within 10 working days after the day on which the notice is received.

If you need assistance contacting or locating an Indian Motorcycle dealer, or if you have questions your Indian Motorcycle dealer is not able to address, contact our Indian Motorcycle Owner Connections Department at 1-877-204-3697 or scan the QR code.



Thank you again for being a valued member of the Indian Motorcycle rider community. We remain committed to supporting your riding experience and appreciate the trust you place in us.

Ride safely and enjoy the road ahead,

Indian Motorcycle

VEHICLE PREPARATION

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- The image shows a red Indian motorcycle with a white wind deflector. An inset image provides a close-up of a black label with green text and a green border, which is the source of the text in the table.

- ## VIN DECAL APPLICATION

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2. Peel the back from the decal and apply over the incorrect rear rim size location.

FAR: INDIAN MOTORCYCLE LLC		DAI
160 LBS (526 KG)		MO
	TIRE/Pneu Dimension	RIM/Jante
G)	130/90B16 73H	16" X 3.0"
G)	150/80B16 77H	16" X 3.5"

Apply firm pressure to make sure the decal adheres properly.

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