



SUBJECT: Proper Brake Function

It has come to Dexter's attention that axles using the Nev-R-Lube bearing package have had on occasion electric brakes locking up when coming out of a complete stop. This brake lock up may be due to the hub-drum having an out of round condition. If the travel trailer was manufactured between January and May of 2021, and is experiencing a brake lock-up condition, replace both the brake and hub-drum assembly to ensure consistent brake function. Please contact Dexter Warranty at 574-413-9066 for warranty replacement parts.

Routine service and inspection are essential for the safe and reliable operation of Dexter's running gear products. Dexter recommends that users utilize the time and mileage schedule and service procedures for product maintenance as outlined in Dexter's Operation Maintenance Service Manual.

Proper maintenance begins by working safely with the right tools and an adequate mechanical experience level paying particular attention to all warnings and cautions that outline hazardous actions or potentially critical steps.

**CRITICAL PROCEDURES** – All of which can be found in Dexter's Operation Maintenance Service Manual.



**Brake Inspection** – Brake inspection is critical to stopping performance. Please review the procedures individual to the braking type.

- Electric drum brakes, manual and Nev-R-Lube – *pages 12 – 23*

Annual inspections should also include a review of the break-away system, wiring and brake attachment. Please follow all steps regarding assembly and wheel attachment prior to towing the unit.

Please contact Dexter for additional information and further assistance.