

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

19V-190

Manufacturer Name : Erwin Hymer Group dba American Fastbacks

Submission Date : MAR 07, 2019

NHTSA Recall No. : 19V-190

Manufacturer Recall No. : NR



Manufacturer Information :

Population :

Manufacturer Name : Erwin Hymer Group dba American Fastbacks

Number of potentially involved : 156

Address : 1945 Burgundy Place

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Ontario CA 91761

Company phone : 390-0002

Vehicle Alterer Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2017-2018 Jeep Wrangler

Descriptive Information : Presently, all American Fastback Jeep Wrangler models (Badlands, Force Recon, Stryker, and Defcon) are non-compliant per the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards, Cargo Carry Capacity, Final Rule, 49 CFR Part 571.

Production Dates : JAN 08, 2018 - DEC 21, 2018

Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : Company is a second-stage OEM and/or alterer of Jeep Wranglers purchased directly from Fiat Chrysler Automobiles (FCA) group. During the upfitting stage, EHGUSA-AF shop employees remove FCA certified parts and replace them with aftermarket ones that increase the overall weight of the vehicle. As a final quality assurance verification, shop employees weigh each of the vehicles before shipment and update the cargo carrying capacity label since the added weight change of the lessor of 1.5% of Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) or 100 pounds.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Company has learned that after alterations are completed, the overall weight of the vehicle is anywhere from 400 to 600 pounds above the allowable GVWR set forth by the OEM. This excessive weight can impact the vehicle's handling, braking and crashworthiness when driving on the road by negatively changing the vehicle center of gravity and overall stability.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

NR

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : NR

How Remedy Component Differs NR
from Recalled Component :

Identify How/When Recall Condition NR
was Corrected in Production :

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAR 08, 2019 - MAR 29, 2019

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAR 15, 2019 - MAR 29, 2019

Purchaser Information :

The following manufacturers purchased this defective/noncompliant equipment for possible use or installation in new motor vehicles or new items of motor vehicle equipment:

Name :

Address :

Country :

Company Phone :

* NR - Not Reported