



U.S. Department of Transportation
**National Highway Traffic Safety
Administration**

1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20590

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Mr. David Partin
Cruiser RV
2831 Dexter Drive
Elkhart, IN 46514

NEF-150MR
17V-751

Subject: Fire Extinguisher May Be Clogged or Inoperable

Dear Mr. Partin:

This letter serves to acknowledge Cruiser RV's notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) of a safety recall which will be conducted pursuant to Federal law for the product(s) listed below. Please review the following information to ensure that it conforms to your records as this information is being made available to the public. If the information does not agree with your records, please contact us immediately to discuss your concerns.

Makes/Models/Model Years:

CRUISER RV/BOSS/2016-2017
CRUISER RV/EMBRACE/2018
CRUISER RV/ENTERRA/2013-2016
CRUISER RV/FULL HOUSE/2016-2017
CRUISER RV/FUN FINDER/2006-2016
CRUISER RV/FUN FINDER EXTREME LITE/2015-2017
CRUISER RV/FUN FINDER SIGNATURE/2016-2017
CRUISER RV/FUN FINDER X/2006-2013
CRUISER RV/FUN FINDER XTRA/2007-2015
CRUISER RV/LAND ROAMER/2007
CRUISER RV/LIBERTY/2006-2007
CRUISER RV/MPG/2016-2018
CRUISER RV/RADIANCE/2013-2017
CRUISER RV/RADIANCE ULTRA LITE/2017-2018
CRUISER RV/SHADOW CRUISER/2010-2016
CRUISER RV/SHADOW CRUISER LE/2015-2016
CRUISER RV/SHADOW CRUISER ULTRA LITE/2015-2017
CRUISER RV/SOUTH FORK/2017
CRUISER RV/STRIKER/2014-2018
CRUISER RV/STRIKER FW/2018
CRUISER RV/VIEW FINDER LITE/2009-2016
CRUISER RV/VIEW FINDER SIGNATURE/2013-2016
CRUISER RV/VIEW FINDER TOY HAULER/2009-2012

Mfr's Report Date: December 12, 2017

NHTSA Campaign Number: 17V-751

Components:
EQUIPMENT

Potential Number of Units Affected: 36,037

Problem Description:

Cruiser RV (Cruiser) is recalling certain 2016-2017 Boss, Full House and Fun Finder Signature, 2018 Embrace and Striker FW, 2013-2016 Enterra and View Finder Signature, 2006-2016 Fun Finder, 2007-2015 Fun Finder Xtra, 2015-2017 Fun Finder Xtreme Lite and Shadow Cruiser Ultra Lite, 2016-2018 MPG, 2013-2017 Radiance, 2017-2018 Radiance Ultra Lite, 2010-2016 Shadow Cruiser, 2015-2016 Shadow Cruiser LE, 2017 South Fork, 2014-2018 Striker, 2009-2016 View Finder Lite, 2006-2007 Liberty, 2007 Land Roamer, 2009-2012 View Finder Toy Hauler, and 2006-2013 Fun Finder X recreational vehicles, equipped with certain Kidde Plastic-Handle or Push Button 'Pindicator' Fire Extinguishers. These extinguishers may become clogged, preventing the extinguisher from discharging as expected or excessive force may be needed to activate the extinguisher. Additionally, in certain models, the nozzle may detach from the valve assembly with enough force that it could cause injury and also render the product inoperable. For a full list of the affected fire extinguisher models visit: <https://static.nhtsa.gov/odi/rcl/2017/RMISC-17E062-5427.pdf>

Consequence:

In the event of a fire, if the fire extinguisher does not function properly, it can increase the risk of injury.

Remedy:

Cruiser will notify owners, instructing them to contact Kidde for a replacement fire extinguisher, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin January 22, 2018. Owners may contact Cruiser customer service at 1-866-277-5630, or Kidde customer service toll free at 1-855-271-0773, or online at www.kidde.com and click on "Product Safety Recall" for more information.

Notes:

Owners may also contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153), or go to www.safercar.gov.

Please be reminded of the following requirements:

You are required to submit a draft owner notification letter to this office no less than five days prior to mailing it to the customers. Also, copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall, including a copy of the final owner notification letter and any subsequent owner follow-up notification letter(s), are required to be submitted to this office no later than 5 days after they are originally sent (if they are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or purchaser/owner).

Please be reminded that under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a)(3), it is illegal for a manufacturer, to sell, offer for sale, import, or introduce or deliver into interstate commerce, a motor vehicle or item of motor vehicle equipment that contains a safety defect once the manufacturer has notified NHTSA about that safety defect. This prohibition does not apply once the motor vehicle or motor vehicle equipment has been remedied according to the manufacturer's instructions.

We understand that you intend for Kidde to supply the required six quarterly recall completion rate reports.

Your contact for this recall will be Michelle Rice who may be reached by phone at (202) 366-1060, or by email at michelle.rice@dot.gov or through the office email at rmd.odi@dot.gov. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Timian
Chief, Recall Management Division
Office of Defects Investigations
Enforcement