



New Safety Recall Advanced Communication – U40

FCA US LLC (FCA US) has announced an equipment safety recall on certain Mopar Gooseneck Ball Kits: part number 82213631 size 2 5/16" ball and part number 82213632 size 3" ball.

REASON FOR THIS EQUIPMENT SAFETY RECALL

Some of the above Mopar Gooseneck Ball Kits may have retention balls that do not fully seat into the receiver plate and lock into position. When this occurs, the operator can move the shuttle to the locked position, removing tension on the pin, indicating the gooseneck ball is locked in place when it is not. When the retention balls are not fully seated in the receiver plate and locked into position, the gooseneck ball may become detached from the truck mounting hardware while driving and pulling a trailer, allowing movement of the gooseneck trailer hitch in the truck bed, which could potentially cause a loss of vehicle control and can cause a vehicle crash without prior warning. Safety devices such as chains, which are required by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Act and the Vehicle Owner's Manual, if properly used, should prevent the gooseneck hitch from fully detaching from the vehicle.

SERVICE ACTION

FCA US will conduct a voluntary equipment safety recall on all affected parts. The remedy for this item is currently under development. Dealers will be notified of the launch of this safety recall by way of established communication methods. This recall is estimated to launch in the 3rd Quarter of 2018.

We ask that you please take the time to ensure that your personnel are aware of this communication and are prepared to execute a customer friendly process for inquiries regarding involved vehicles.

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