OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

19V-226

Manufacturer Name: Watts Manufacturing, LLC

NHTSA Recall No.: 19V-226

Manufacturer Recall No.: NR



Manufacturer Information:

Manufacturer Name: Watts Manufacturing, LLC

Address: 230 S Broadway

Unit F Salina KS 67401

Company phone: 785-404-6003

Population:

Number of potentially involved : 8 Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information:

Vehicle 1: 2019-2019 Ford F550 1st Responder

Vehicle Type: BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information: In Regards to Whelen Recall 18E-063

Production Dates: NOV 22, 2018 - JAN 01, 2019

Description of Defect:

Description of the Defect: For the recall population, the break light may activate if there is a transient

voltage on the brake input line (e.g., without further break input), but can be returned to normal operation when a brake input is applied and then removed. Whelen determined that the root cause of this condition was tied to transient voltage on the input line creating a false and steady activation of the brake light. The condition is dependent on the specific wiring of the vehicle and other installed equipment. The product functions normally if it is not exposed to these specific conditions, but the condition has the potential to occur in the

entire recall population

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: For the recall population, the brake light may activate if there is a transient

voltage on the brake input line (e.g., without further brake input), but can be returned to normal operation when a brake input is applied and then revoved

Description of the Cause: NR Identification of Any Warning NR

that can Occur:

Supplier Identification:

Component Manufacturer

Name: Whelen Engineering Co Inc

Address: 51 Winthrop Rd

Chester CONNECTICUT 06475

Country: United States

Chronology:

NR

Description of Remedy:

Description of Remedy Program: NR

How Remedy Component Differs M6BTT

from Recalled Component:

Identify How/When Recall Condition NR

was Corrected in Production:

Recall Schedule:

Description of Recall Schedule: Watts Manufacturing, LLC was notified on March 19th, 2019 of the defect.

We immediately contacted our dealer of our fire trucks and informed him

then sent him a certified letter the next day.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date: NR - NR

^{*} NR - Not Reported