

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

20V-174

Manufacturer Name : Altec Industries Inc.**Submission Date :** MAR 23, 2020**NHTSA Recall No. :** 20V-174**Manufacturer Recall No. :** CSN 754**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Altec Industries Inc.

Address : 210 Inverness Center Drive
Birmingham AL 35242

Company phone : 205 991 7733

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 60

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2019-2020 Altec DT65-E, D3000-E, and DH-E Digger Derricks

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined by a review of production records that identified units manufactured with specific options and control systems.

Production Dates : JAN 04, 2019 - JAN 15, 2020

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : Pole guide open/close control lacks protection against inadvertent operation.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : Operators could inadvertently open the pole guide while performing other operations. If an unbalanced pole is being manipulated at the same time it could be released resulting in loss of control of the load, increasing the risk of death or serious injury

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning : Operator may feel or see contact with control or opening of pole guides.
that can Occur : Release of control or engaging E-stop control will stop pole guide operation**Involved Components :**

Component Name 1 : NR

Component Description : NR

Component Part Number : NR

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

Altec received a reported instance of an operator inadvertently opening the pole guide tongs while operating a DT65 E-series unit. Upon further investigation it was determined that the operators coat sleeve caught the pole guide control lever during the operation of other boom functions. There was no report of injury or property damage. There have been no other reports of a similar incident.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Altec will issue CSN 754 to owners of the affected digger derricks. The CSN will require owners to install a guard kit over the pole guide controls

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The remedy is the same for production and the field.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Production units are manufactured with the pole guide guard.

Recall Schedule :

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Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAY 12, 2020 - MAY 13, 2020

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAY 12, 2020 - MAY 13, 2020

* NR - Not Reported