

## IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL INTERIM NOTICE

This notice applies to your vehicle, VIN: [REDACTED] 123456

**Rear Brake Caliper  
NHTSA Recall #20V802**

Daimler Vans USA, LLC

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- A safety defect exists in your vehicle.
- Remedy parts are not yet available for your vehicle.
- We will contact you again once parts are available.

Dear Valued Freightliner Sprinter Owner:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Mercedes-Benz AG ("MBAG"), the manufacturer of Sprinter vans, has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain Model Year 2019 - 2020 Freightliner Sprinter vehicles. Our records indicate that your vehicle is included in the affected population of vehicles.

MBAG has determined that the brake caliper of the rear axle may leak brake fluid into the housing of the electric parking brake connected to the rear axle service brake system, which could lead to extended brake pedal travel and a changed brake pedal feel. If the condition is not addressed, there might be an increased risk of a crash.

**MBAG is currently working on developing a final technical remedy and therefore, the parts to remedy this issue are currently not yet available.**

We are working to obtain the necessary parts to correct this condition as quickly as possible. As the parts become available, we will send you another letter asking you to take your vehicle to an authorized Freightliner dealer to have the recall completed free of charge.

Should you have any concerns or questions regarding your vehicle before you receive the next recall letter when parts are available, please contact an authorized Freightliner dealer. If for any reason a dealer is unable to remedy your situation, we are always happy to hear from you. A vehicle identification number (VIN)-based recall lookup tool on our website offers a search function that will indicate whether a vehicle has been subject to a safety recall, and whether that vehicle has had the free remedy performed. Please visit [www.freightlinersprinterusa.com/freightliner/owners-resources/recall](http://www.freightlinersprinterusa.com/freightliner/owners-resources/recall) and enter your 17 digit VIN in the VIN look-up tool.

We also encourage you to sign up for recall alerts at [www.nhtsa.gov/alerts](http://www.nhtsa.gov/alerts).

In the event that you are no longer the vehicle owner, or have had a change of address, please complete the reverse side and return the updated information in the enclosed envelope. If this is a leased vehicle and the lessor and registered owner receive this notice, please forward this information by first class mail to the lessee within 10 business days to comply with Federal Regulations.

We apologize for any inconvenience this situation may cause you.

Sincerely,



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Sandy Springs, GA 30328  
Phone (770) 705-0600

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If for any reason YOU NO LONGER OWN THIS VEHICLE OR have a CHANGE OF ADDRESS, please COMPLETE THE SECTION BELOW, place in the ENCLOSED ENVELOPE, and DROP IN ANY MAIL BOX. If possible, provide the name and address of the present owner so that we may contact them.

- EXPORTED
- LEASE, VEHICLE RETURNED
- SCRAPPED
- SOLD
- STOLEN
- OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

NEW OWNER INFORMATION

MY NEW NAME OR ADDRESS IS:

[Grid for Last Name, First Name]

Last Name, First Name

[Grid for Street]

Street

Apt

[Grid for City, State, ZIP]

City

State

ZIP

[Grid for Email Address]

Email Address

[Grid for Phone (numbers only)]

Phone (numbers only)

[Grid for Mobile (numbers only)]

Mobile (numbers only)

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Date

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Signature