

January 19, 2021

Mr. Yahua Wang Ningbo shuwu Import & Export Co., ltd Room 54-101, HongHai Building Free trade zone, Ningbo, Zhejiang, China Ningbo 315100

Subject: Headlight Bulbs may be too Bright/FMVSS 108

Dear Mr. Wang:

This letter serves to acknowledge Ningbo shuwu Import & Export Co., ltd'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: HIKARI TECHNOLOGY/LED HEADLAMP/9999

Mfr's Report Date: January 12, 2021

NHTSA Campaign Number: 21E-002

Components: EXTERIOR LIGHTING:HEADLIGHTS:BULBS

Potential Number of Units Affected: 99,950

Problem Description:

Ningbo shuwu Import & Export Co., ltd (Ningbo) is recalling certain aftermarket Hikari headlight bulbs, LED-V39-R3 models (in configurations H1, H4, H7, H11, H13, 9004, 9005, 9006, 9007, 9012) and Hikari-R3-R-9012, sold through Amazon. These bulbs may create excessive glare or brightness for oncoming traffic. As such, these bulbs fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 108, "Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment."

Consequence:

Excessive glare or brightness to oncoming drivers can increase the risk of a crash.

Remedy:

Ningbo will notify distributors, and owners, and will replace the bulb with halogen bulbs, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin February 1, 2021. Owners may contact Ningbo customer service at 1-812-250-8051 or by recall@hikari-led.net.

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.

Under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a), it is illegal for anyone, including a manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or retailer to sell an item of equipment or vehicle that fails to comply with all applicable Federal motor vehicle safety standards.

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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).

As stated in Part 573.7, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due on, or before, 30 days after the close of the calendar quarter.

Your contact for this recall will be Kristin Lepper who may be reached by phone at 202-366-5227, or by email at kristin.lepper@dot.gov. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Joshua Neff Chief, Recall Management Division Office of Defects Investigations Enforcement

