

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

## 21V-814

**Manufacturer Name :** KZRV, L.P.

**Submission Date :** OCT 15, 2021

**NHTSA Recall No. :** 21V-814

**Manufacturer Recall No. :** KZ-2021-06



### Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : KZRV, L.P.

Address : 0985 N 900W

Shipshewana IN 46565

Company phone : 800-768-4016x154/153

### Population :

Number of potentially involved : 8

Estimated percentage with defect : 95 %

### Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2022-2022 KZ RV Stratus

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Circuits run with a 14/2 wire are incorrectly protected by a 20 amp circuit breaker.

Production Dates : FEB 11, 2021 - MAY 20, 2021

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2022-2022 KZ RV SportTrek

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Circuits run with a 14/2 wire are incorrectly protected by a 20 amp circuit breaker.

Production Dates : FEB 11, 2021 - MAY 20, 2021

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

### Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : The water heater and fireplace circuits are both run with 14/2 wire and connected to a 20 amp circuit breaker instead of a 15 amp circuit breaker.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If an issue develops, the circuit breaker will not trip and provide adequate protection to the wiring causing an increased risk of fire.

Description of the Cause : Production error.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : None.

### Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Circuit Breaker

Component Description : 20 amp circuit breaker

Component Part Number : NR

### Supplier Identification :

#### Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

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Country : NR

### Chronology :

10/7/2021 - KZ PDI department inspected a Plant #8 RV. They noted the improper protection of the 14/2 wire on the water heater and fireplace circuits . Yard inventory for plant #8 production is put on hold.

10/8/2021 - The yard inventory units for Plant #8 are inspected and found with the same defect. These units are corrected.

10/14/2021 - Additional units are repaired at transportation yards. Further verifications indicate units potentially affected have been shipped to dealers.

10/15/2021 - A safety Committee review is held and determines a recall should be issued.

### Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Replace the 20 amp circuit breaker with a 15 amp circuit breaker. The replacement will be done at no cost to the owner. Reimbursement will follow the general reimbursement plan that is on file with NHTSA.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : All wire circuits are paired with proper circuit breakers.

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : KZ will notify the dealers and owners of these recreational vehicles by letter. A final copy of the owner letter and dealer repair instructions will be provided to NHTSA.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : DEC 10, 2021 - DEC 10, 2021

Planned Owner Notification Date : DEC 10, 2021 - DEC 10, 2021

\* NR - Not Reported