



U.S. Department of Transportation
**National Highway Traffic Safety
Administration**

1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20590

May 17, 2022

Helen Lachowicz
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NEF-107KL
22E-038

Subject: Fuel Pump May Fail

Dear Helen Lachowicz:

This letter serves to acknowledge Plastic Omnium'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:

PLASTIC OMNIUM/FUEL TANK ASSEMBLY/9999

Mfr's Report Date: May 13, 2022

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22E-038

Components:

FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE:DELIVERY:FUEL PUMP
FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE:STORAGE:TANK ASSEMBLY

Potential Number of Units Affected: 41,409

Problem Description:

Plastic Omnium (Plastic Omnium) has submitted a Defect Information Report based upon the recall determinations made by Nissan North America, Inc. (recall 21V-957), and Mitsubishi Motors North America, Inc. (recall 22V-027). The fuel tank assemblies contain a fuel pump that may fail.

Consequence:

Fuel pump failure can cause an engine stall, increasing the risk of a crash.

Remedy:

The affected vehicle manufacturers will determine the appropriate remedy for their vehicles and mail owner notification letters. Nissan owners can contact Nissan customer service at 1-800-867-7669. Mitsubishi owners can contact MMNA customer service at 1-888-648-7820.

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.nhtsa.gov.

Please ensure the following requirements are met:

Based on the provided remedy plan, it appears that your company may not be able to provide the required recall completion rate quarterly reports. If another company intends to file the report with detailed information about your company's remedy counts, please state so in the remedy section of the 573.

AMENDED 573 REQUIRED.

Please be reminded of the following requirements:

Copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall 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).

Please be reminded that under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a)(3), it is illegal for a manufacturer, to sell, offer for sale, import, or introduce or deliver into interstate commerce, a motor vehicle or item of motor vehicle equipment that contains a safety defect once the manufacturer has notified NHTSA about that safety defect. This prohibition does not apply once the motor vehicle or motor vehicle equipment has been remedied according to the manufacturer's instructions.

As stated in Part 573.7, submission of the first of eight 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.

Plastic Omnium's contact for this recall will be Kristin Lepper who may be reached by email at kristin.lepper@dot.gov. We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,



Alex Ansley
Chief, Recall Management Division
Office of Defects Investigation
Enforcement