

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

22V-066

Manufacturer Name : Daimler Vans USA, LLC

Submission Date : FEB 08, 2022

NHTSA Recall No. : 22V-066

Manufacturer Recall No. : VS2BE42BRE



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : Daimler Vans USA, LLC

Address : One Mercedes-Benz Drive
Sandy Springs GA 30328

Company phone : 8777628267

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 28,743

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2016-2021 MERCEDES BENZ METRIS

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Based on the analysis of the production information, the affected population was determined to be Metris vehicles (VS20, Platform 447) produced from March 31, 2015 to October 13, 2021.

Production Dates : MAR 31, 2015 - OCT 13, 2021

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : Mercedes-Benz AG ("MBAG"), the manufacturer of Mercedes-Benz vans, has determined that on certain Model Year 2016 – 2021 Mercedes-Benz VS20 Metris vehicles (platform 447), the brake fluid reservoir might have been incorrectly mounted.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : As a consequence, the brake fluid reservoir could possibly detach from its mounting, potentially causing the reservoir to leak. A deterioration of braking performance due to loss of brake fluid cannot be ruled out which could increase the risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : A customer could be made aware of the issue by illumination of a brake warning lamp in the instrument cluster and/or a gradual softening of brake pedal resistance.

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Expansion Rivet

Component Description : Ensures Proper Reservoir Mounting

Component Part Number : A2019900192

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

Please See Attached Document

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : An authorized Mercedes-Benz Metris dealer will check the brake fluid reservoir for proper mounting and ensure the correct installation.

Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 577.11(e), Daimler Vans does not plan to provide notice about pre-notice reimbursement to owners of involved vehicles that remain covered under the new vehicle warranty.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : An authorized Mercedes-Benz Metris dealer will inspect the brake fluid reservoir for proper mounting and ensure the correct installation.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : In October 2021, MBAG Vans introduced a new requirement that a green verification check mark be applied following the post-installation visual inspection and tensile test of the brake fluid reservoir.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Dealers will be notified of the pending voluntary recall campaign approx. in March 2022. A copy of all communications will be provided when available.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : MAR 21, 2022 - MAR 21, 2022

Planned Owner Notification Date : MAR 28, 2022 - MAR 28, 2022

* NR - Not Reported