

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

22V-463

Manufacturer Name : General Motors, LLC

Submission Date : NOV 17, 2022

NHTSA Recall No. : 22V-463

Manufacturer Recall No. : N222368110



Manufacturer Information :

Manufacturer Name : General Motors, LLC

Address : 29427 Louis Chevrolet Road
MAIL CODE 480-210-2V WARREN MI
48093

Company phone : 586-596-1733

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 242

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2022-2022 GMC Sierra 1500

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : Vehicle orders and accessory shipping records were used to determine recall population.

2019-2021 model year vehicles and 2022 model year vehicles built with the previous electrical architecture (RPOs J21 and AMK) are not affected by this condition. This accessory is not intended for use on 2500/3500 series vehicles.

47 accessory sport bars were sold for GMC Sierra vehicles.

Production Dates : FEB 21, 2022 -JUN 30, 2022

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2022-2022 Chevrolet Silverado 1500

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

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2019-2021 model year vehicles and 2022 model year vehicles built with the previous electrical architecture (RPOs J21 and AMK) are not affected by this condition. This accessory is not intended for use on 2500/3500 series vehicles.

VINs have been identified for 27 of the 195 accessory sport bars sold for Chevrolet Silverado vehicles.

Production Dates : FEB 21, 2022 -JUN 30, 2022

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential

Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : General Motors has decided that certain 2022 model year Chevrolet Silverado and GMC Sierra vehicles may fail to conform to S6.2.1 of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 108, "Lamps, reflective devices, and associated equipment." These vehicles may have been equipped at delivery with a dealer-installed accessory sport bar that (a) contains a high-mounted stop lamp that will not operate when installed according to the provided instructions and (b) blocks the vehicle's existing high-mounted stop lamp.

FMVSS 1 : 108 - Lamps, reflective devices, and assoc. Equipment

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : If the high-mounted stop lamp is not operable or visible to other road users, there is increased risk of a crash.

Description of the Cause : The instructions for wiring the subject accessory sport bar are not compatible with the electrical architecture in certain 2022 model year vehicles.

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : BAR ASM-PUBX ORNAMENTATION

Component Description : Ornamental Pickup Box Bar Asm

Component Part Number : 84571746, 84571747

Supplier Identification :**Component Manufacturer**

Name : Putco Inc.
Address : 5701 NE 22 Street
Des Moines Iowa 50313
Country : United States

Chronology :

On April 8, 2022, a GM engineer submitted an issue to GM's Speak Up For Safety (SUFS) program based on a notification that a dealership could not successfully install the subject accessory sport bar on a 2022 model year Chevrolet Silverado. GM opened a formal investigation on April 27, 2022.

GM's review of field data identified 15 relevant field claims related to this condition received by GM between April 1 and June 3, 2022. GM is not aware of any accidents or injuries associated with this condition. Between May 24 and June 22, 2022, GM's investigator analyzed sales records to identify potentially affected VINs and over-the-counter sales. On June 23, 2022, GM's Safety Field Action Decision Authority (SFADA) decided to conduct a noncompliance recall.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program :	Dealers will inspect the installation of the accessory bar and provide corrected vehicle wiring if necessary. Pursuant to 577.11, GM will provide reimbursement to owners for repairs according to the plan submitted on May 12, 2021.
How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component :	A corrected wiring service kit for affected 2022 model year vehicles provides proper function of the high-mounted stop lamp in the accessory sport bar.
Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production :	A parts quarantine was issued to accessory distributors and installers on April 14, 2022. This quarantine was later updated to apply only to 2022 model year applications.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule :	Dealers will be notified on June 30, 2022. Interim owner notification is estimated to mail on August 10, 2022. GM estimates owner notification of the remedy will mail December 17, 2022.
Planned Dealer Notification Date :	JUN 30, 2022 - JUN 30, 2022
Planned Owner Notification Date :	DEC 17, 2022 - DEC 17, 2022

* NR - Not Reported