

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

22V-658

Manufacturer Name : Shyft Group**Submission Date :** AUG 31, 2022**NHTSA Recall No. :** 22V-658**Manufacturer Recall No. :** 22-08**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Shyft Group

Address : 1541 Reynolds Road
Charlotte MI 48813

Company phone : 517-543-6400

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 2,139

Estimated percentage with defect : 23 %

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle 1 : 2018-2019 Utilmaster Work Truck

Vehicle Type : BUSES, MEDIUM & HEAVY VEHICLES

Body Style : OTHER

Power Train : DIESEL

Descriptive Information : The basis for this recall population is all work truck bodies assembled at a specific plant.

Production Dates : JAN 15, 2018 - SEP 18, 2019

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

☐ Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : Welds may be missing or cracked on certain areas of the truck body mount frame.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

Description of the Safety Risk : As a result of the missing or cracked welds, the cargo body could shift a significant amount. Support material may come separate from the vehicle. This could increase the risk of injury or crash.

Description of the Cause : Pending

Identification of Any Warning : Although a missing or cracked weld may be identified during periodic that can Occur : maintenance and inspection, the welds could crack without warning.

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : NR

Component Description : NR

Component Part Number : NR

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : NR

Address : NR

NR

Country : NR

Chronology :

On July 17, 2022, Shyft was received a customer complaint involving a significant shift the the work trucks body. Engineering representative visited the subject vehicle and observed missing welds, cracked welds and other damage the underbody structure. Due the nature of the failure, the customer evaluated other vehicles in their fleet and found similar conditions but yet the body had not yet shifted on those units. On August 18, 2022, Shyft received a complaint involving a subfloor support that had come loose and lodged between the chassis frame and rear drive axle. On, August 26, 2022, the information was reviewed by the Campaign Approval Board and Shyft determined that a safety related defect could exist in the affected vehicle population.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Vehicles affected by this recall will be inspected to determine the level of repair needed. For missing welds, welds will be applied. For cracked welds, they will be repaired.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The remedied components will have appropriate welds.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Shyft's Utilimaster brand does not have dealers for this product.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR

Planned Owner Notification Date : SEP 09, 2022 - SEP 09, 2022

* NR - Not Reported