#### OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 23E-007

Manufacturer Name: TOKAI RIKA Co LTD

**Submission Date:** FEB 06, 2023 **NHTSA Recall No.:** 23E-007

**Manufacturer Recall No.:** NR



#### **Manufacturer Information:**

Manufacturer Name: TOKAI RIKA Co LTD

Address: Oguchi, Toyota 3-260

Niwa-gun 00 480-0195

**Company phone:** 587955219

## **Population:**

Number of potentially involved: 106 Estimated percentage with defect: 1 %

#### **Equipment Information:**

Brand / Trade 1: TOKAI RIKA CO., LTD.

Model: Belt Assy, Fr Seat, Outer Part No.: Refer to descriptive

Size: NR

Function: Fr. Seat Belts

Descriptive Information: Recall population was determined based on production date and records. It is

difficult to distinguish recalled products without disassembly. Below part numbers which sold as replacement parts are affected. Not all equipment

produced in this range were sold in the U.S. TOYOTA 73210-24171 (7J7034-707), 73210-48130(7L1877-707), 73220-24131(7J8024-707), 73220-33331(7Q4040-707), 73220-42221(7K4797-707), 73220-47051 (7L8217-707), 73220-48040(7J8544-707), 73220-48052(7K8274-707), 73220-48110(7L2874-707), SUBARU 64621SC010AP(7R4457-707).

Production Dates: MAY 17, 2022 - SEP 05, 2022

### **Description of Defect:**

Description of the Defect: Improper end shape of SHAFT TORSION

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: In the event of a crash, the occupant restraint may not function as designed,

increasing the risk of injury.

Description of the Cause: Debris in a forging die resulted in one end of the shaft torsion not achieving the

proper dimensions during manufacturing.

Identification of Any Warning None that can Occur:

#### **Involved Components:**

Component Name: SHAFT TORSION

Component Description: Component parts of force-limiter

Component Part Number: 7G0950-003

### **Supplier Identification:**

#### **Component Manufacturer**

Name: NR

Address: NR

NR

Country: NR

#### **Chronology:**

Mid-September, 2022 – Tokai Rika reported vehicle manufacturer regarding potential risk of recall.

Tokai Rika determined subjected parts based on production date and records

Tokai Rika confirmed subjected vehicle Manufacturer were TOYOTA and SUBARU.

Early November, 2022 - Related vehicle Manufacturers decided to conduct a voluntary safety recall.

#### **Description of Remedy:**

Description of Remedy Program: Vehicle manufacturers will inspect the vehicles to identify the ID number

on the seat belt

tag and, where necessary, replace the seat belt assembly with a new one at no cost to the customer. Vehicle manufacturer will provide reimbursement

to owners for

repairs.

How Remedy Component Differs The remedy seat belt assemblies contain a force limiter shaft torsion that

conforms to the specification.

from Recalled Component:

Identify How/When Recall Condition Service parts only; no mass-produced parts was Corrected in Production :

#### **Recall Schedule:**

Description of Recall Schedule: NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : NR - NR Planned Owner Notification Date : NR - NR

#### **Purchaser Information:**

The following manufacturers purchased this defective/noncompliant equipment for possible use or installation in new motor vehicles or new items of motor vehicle equipment:

Name: NR

Address: NR

NR

Country: NR

Company Phone: NR

<sup>\*</sup> NR - Not Reported