

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24E-002

Manufacturer Name : Villa International**Submission Date :** JAN 23, 2024**NHTSA Recall No. :** 24E-002**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :****Manufacturer Name :** Villa International**Address :** 13760 Midway Street
Cerritos CA 90703**Company phone :** 888-707-7272**Population :****Number of potentially involved :** 35**Estimated percentage with defect :** 1 %**Equipment Information :****Brand / Trade 1 :** Villa**Model :** Pedestal 400029**Part No. :** 400029**Size :** NR**Function :** seat anchorage**Descriptive Information :** The recall population based on the shipping date of the seat with defective pedestal, 400029.
the shipping dates include 12.27.21 through 3.27.22**Production Dates :** DEC 27, 2021 - MAR 27, 2022**Description of Defect :****Description of the Defect :** The pedestal can is not properly welded to the mounting plate.**FMVSS 1 :** 207 - Seating systems**FMVSS 2 :** 210 - Seat belt assembly anchorages**Description of the Safety Risk :** The can to mounting plate could separate resulting in an increase risk of a crash and injury.**Description of the Cause :** The pedestal can is not properly welded to the mounting plate.**Identification of Any Warning that can Occur :** The seat assembly would be loose.**Involved Components :**

Component Name : pedestal

Component Description : seating pedestal

Component Part Number : 400029

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Villa International

Address : 4733 eastland dr
Elkhart Indiana 46516

Country : United States

Chronology :

A defective pedestal discovered by a new vehicle inspection through a warranty inquiry, August 2023.
Determined seat shipping dates with pedestal 400029 from seat order date.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : Compile a listing of seats that used the 400029 pedestal and shipped from 12.27.21 through 3.27.23.
The defective pedestals with the improper weld can be identified by inspection per drawing 100025, allowing .10 hr.
The correction will be to replace the defective pedestal allowing 1 hr .

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : The replacement pedestal will have the proper welds.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Pedestals are inspected and documented after welded pedestal is completed, prior to being powder coated, after powder coating, and at final seat assembly.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : The recall notification to the manufacturers, 1.11.24.
Planned Dealer Notification Date : JAN 15, 2024 - MAR 15, 2024
Planned Owner Notification Date : JAN 15, 2024 - MAR 15, 2024

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 : Jayco, Inc.

Address : 903 S, Main st.
Middlebury IN 46540

Country : US

Company Phone : 8009454787

Name : Tiffin Motor Homes, Inc.

Address : 105 2nd street NW
Red Bay AL 35582

Country : US

Company Phone : 256 356 8661

* NR - Not Reported