



To: U.S. and Canada Distributors
Dealer Principals
Service Managers
Warranty Managers
Parts Managers

Bulletin: SRA-V13-02
Date: May 1, 2013
Action Required? **YES**

From: Regulatory Affairs Department

Subject: Safety Recall, RVXX1302, MGM Type 24 J-series piston parking brake chamber

Safety Recall Summary:

On Certain 2011, 2012, and 2013 Volvo VHD and VNL model vehicles manufactured with a MGM Type 24 J-series piston parking brake chamber from December 13, 2010 through July 17, 2012, the brake chamber may experience an air leak on the spring brake side of the chamber when the park brake is released by the driver. If this occurs, the brake shoes at that wheel end may not fully release and if undetected by the driver may result in a wheel end fire.

Affected Models and Model Years: 2011, 2012 and 2013 Model VHD and VNL

The number of vehicles affected is approximately 893 vehicles (701 U.S., 192 Canada).

Dealer's Responsibility:

The National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act and Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Act requires dealers to ensure that all new and used vehicles are free of safety defects and comply with all relevant safety standards at the time of delivery to the consumer.

Dealers should make their personnel aware of the safety recall. In the event that a dealer has a vehicle included in the safety recall in their inventory to be sold, the condition must be corrected before releasing it to a customer.

Release Schedule:

- Repair Instructions are scheduled for release on or before June 10, 2013.
- Vehicle will be posted on the Trucks Dealer Portal by end of day May 1, 2013.
- Owner Notices are scheduled to be mailed on or before June 17, 2013.

Questions:

Contact the Regulatory Affairs Department at vtna.regulatoryaffairs@volvo.com if you have questions.