

Safety Defect and Noncompliance Report Guide for Vehicles
PART 573 Defect and Noncompliance Responsibility and Reports¹

On 2/05, 2013, Load Trail [MFR] decided that (a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety)(a noncompliance with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. _____) exists in the motor vehicles listed below, and is furnishing notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration in accordance with 49 CFR Part 573 Defect and Noncompliance Responsibility and Reports.

Date this report was prepared: April 1, 2013

Furnish the manufacturer's identification code for this recall (if applicable): _____

1. Identify the full corporate name of the fabricating manufacturer of the vehicle being recalled. If the recalled vehicle is imported, provide the name and mailing address of the designated agent as prescribed by 49 U.S.C. §30164.

Load Trail LLC
220 FM 2216
Sumner, TX 75486

Identify the corporate official, by name and title, whom the agency should contact with respect to this recall.

Greg Friesen or Corny Thiessen

Warranty CEO

Telephone Number: 903-783-3900 Fax No.: 903-783-3967

Name and Title of Person who prepared this report.

Greg Friesen

Signed:



¹ Each manufacturer must furnish a report, to the Associate Administrator for Enforcement, for each defect or noncompliance condition which relates to motor vehicle safety.

I. Identify the Vehicle Models Involved in the Recall

2. Identify the Vehicles Involved in the Recall, for each make and model or applicable vehicle line (provide illustrations or photographs as necessary to describe the vehicle), provide:

Make(s): Load Max Model Years Involved: 2011-2012 Model(s): HD Goosenecks

Production Dates: Beginning: 10/21/11 Ending: 5/9/12

VIN Range: Beginning: 16743 Ending: 28383

Vehicle Type: Trailer Bodystyle: Gooseneck and Pintle

Descriptive information which characterizes/distinguishes the recalled vehicles from those model vehicles not included in the recall:

Hydraulic brakes

Make(s): _____ Model Years Involved: _____ Model(s): _____

Production Dates: Beginning: _____ Ending: _____

VIN Range: Beginning: _____ Ending: _____

Vehicle Type: _____ Bodystyle: _____

Descriptive information which characterizes/distinguishes the recalled vehicles from those model vehicles not included in the recall:

Make(s): _____ Model Years Involved: _____ Model(s): _____

Production Dates: Beginning: _____ Ending: _____

VIN Range: Beginning: _____ Ending: _____

Vehicle Type: _____ Bodystyle: _____

Descriptive information which characterizes/distinguishes the recalled vehicles from those model vehicles not included in the recall:

Identify the approximate percentage of the production of all the recalled models manufactured by your company between the inclusive dates of manufacture provided above, that the recalled model population represents. For example, if the recall involved Vehicles equipped with certain items of equipment from January 1, 1996 through April 1, 1997, then what was the percentage of the recalled Vehicles of all Vehicles manufactured during that time period.

II. Identify the Recall Population

3. Furnish the total number of vehicles recalled potentially containing the defect or noncompliance.

Model	Year	Number of Vehicles Potentially Involved
<u>See List Attached</u>		

Total Number Potentially Affected by the Recall: _____

4. Furnish the approximate percentage of the total number of vehicles estimated to actually contain the defect or noncompliance:

Identify and describe how the recall population was determined--in particular how the recalled models were selected and the basis for the beginning and final dates of manufacture of the recalled vehicles:

Identified by vendors date of sale on purchased pumps and then found VINS on all trailers built
In that time period. Added several prior and several after to verify that we get all possible pumps.
The serial numbers did not get logged but we do use the oldest pumps first so are reasonably sure
We are correct.

III. Describe the Defect or Noncompliance

5. Describe the defect or noncompliance. The description should address the nature and physical location of the defect or noncompliance. Illustrations should be provided as appropriate.

Refer to Carlisle Recall letter

Describe the cause(s) of the defect or noncompliance condition.

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Describe the consequence(s) of the defect or noncompliance condition.

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Identify any warning which can (a) precede or (b) occur.

Refer to Carlisle Recall letter

If the defect or noncompliance is in a component or assembly purchased from a supplier, identify the supplier by corporate name and address.

Refer to Carlisle Recall letter

Identify the name and title of the chief executive officer or knowledgeable representative of the supplier:

IV. Provide the Chronology in Determining the Defect/Noncompliance

If the recall is for a defect, complete item 6, otherwise item 7.

6. With respect to a defect, furnish a chronological summary (including dates) of all the principle events that were the basis for the determination of the defect. The summary should include, but not be limited to, the number of reports, accidents, injuries, fatalities, and warranty claims.

7. With respect to a noncompliance, identify and provide the test results or other data (in chronological order and including dates) on which the noncompliance was determined.

Refer to Carlisle Recall letter

V. Identify the Remedy

8. A description of the manufacturer's program for remedying the defect or noncompliance. This program shall include a plan for reimbursing an owner or purchaser who incurred costs to obtain a remedy for the problem addressed by the recall within a reasonable time in advance of the manufacturer's notification of owners, purchasers and dealers, in accordance with §573.13 of this part. A manufacturer's plan may incorporate by reference a general reimbursement plan it previously submitted to NHTSA, together with information specific to the individual recall. Information required by §573.13 that is not in a general reimbursement plan shall be submitted in the manufacturer's report to NHTSA under this section. If a manufacturer submits one or more general reimbursement plans, the manufacturer shall update each plan every two years, in accordance with §573.13. The manufacturer's remedy program and reimbursement plans will be available for inspection by the public at NHTSA headquarters.

Refer to Carlisle Recall letter

9. Furnish a description of the manufacturer's remedy for the defect or noncompliance. Clearly describe the differences between the recall condition and the remedy.

Our intentions are to send a cover letter along with Carlisle letter to inform our customers

Clearly describe the distinguishing characteristics of the remedy component/assembly versus the recalled component/assembly.

Identify and describe how and when the recall condition was corrected in production. If the production remedy was identical to the recall remedy in the field, so state. If the product was discontinued, so state.

VI. Identify the Recall Schedule

10. Furnish a schedule or agenda (with specific dates) for notification to other manufacturers, dealers/retailers, and purchasers. Please, identify any foreseeable problems with implementing the recall.

Will send letters to all Dealers/trailer owners that we have identified by April 30, 2013

VII. Furnish Recall Communications

11. Furnish a final copy of all notices, bulletins, and other communications that relate directly to the defect or noncompliance and which are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, or purchaser. This includes all communications (including both original and follow-up) concerning this recall from the time your company determines the defect or noncompliance condition on, not just the initial notification. A DRAFT copy of the notification documents should be submitted to this office by Fax (202-366-7882) or by E-Mail to RMD.ODI@dot.gov for review prior to mailing.

Note that these documents are to be submitted separately from those provided in accordance with Part 579.5 requirements.



Safety Recall No. 12E-003.

This Notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

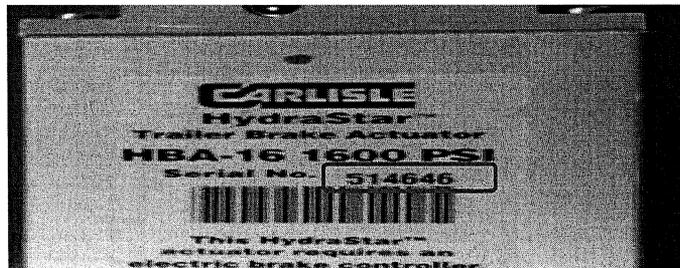
Carlisle Brake and Friction has determined that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in the internal hydraulic pump produced by Parker Oildyne and installed in certain HydraStar and HydraStar XL trailer brake actuators.

One of the rotating components in the hydraulic pump for the actuator missed a heat treat operation. As a result, it is subject to wear at a higher than normal rate. As the component wears, the load on the electric motor that powers the unit increases until either the fuse that protects the motor fails or the motor itself fails. In either case, a loss of trailer braking may occur, increasing the risk of a crash.

All units with serial numbers that fall within the range listed below should be contained and/or removed from service immediately. The affected units were manufactured between October and December 2011:

Generic Name	Brand Name	Serial Numbers	Inclusive Dates of Manufacture
Trailer Brake Actuator	Carlisle Hydrastar	#323850 thru #324093	Oct. 19, 2011 – Dec. 13, 2011
		#514500 thru #514678	
		#515122 thru #515500	
		#715739 thru #715978	
Trailer Brake Actuator	Carlisle Hydrastar XL	#715984 thru #715995	Oct. 24, 2011 – Dec. 8, 2011
		#517532 thru #517533	
		#602058 thru #602085	
		#623888 thru #623894	

The serial number is located on the model sticker located on the end of the unit as shown below



A new unit, not yet installed, that contains a serial number within ranges above will be repaired at no charge. These units should be returned to Carlisle Brake and Friction, 1031 E. Hillside Drive, Bloomington IN, 47401. Please contact our Customer Service Department at (800) 933-1001 for serial number confirmation and specific return details.

Installed units will be replaced at no charge upon receipt of documentation (picture) showing that the unit, with the suspect serial number visible, has been rendered unusable. Please contact our Customer Service Department at (800) 933-1001 for serial number confirmation and additional information on unit destruction.

Carlisle will be responsible for all freight related to the repair/replacement of units providing the proper return procedures are followed.

Your safety is important to us. We regret any inconvenience this action may cause.

Sincerely,

Carlisle Brake and Friction

If you have previously paid for a replacement of the unit as a result of this defect, Carlisle Brake and Friction will reimburse the cost of such replacement based on your receipts. If you believe you have not been able to have your actuator replaced without charge and within a reasonable amount of time, you may submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Ave., S.E., Washington, D.C., 20590; or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.



WO	Date of Trans	VIN	Dealer	Registered	Registered Address	City	State	Zip
160017	10/21/2011	4ZEGH3629C1016831	VISTO'S TRAILER SALES	A+A FARMS	2264 140 AVE SE	PAGE	ND	58064
160020	10/24/2011	4ZEGH3224C1016834	NORE'S AUTO & TRAILER S	DAKOTA ROUSTABOUT INC	PO BOX 474	KEMARE	ND	58746
160021	10/26/2011	4ZEGH3226C1016835	VISTO'S TRAILER SALES	PRAIRE EDGE AGRI SERVICES INC	4701 LAVONNE CT S	FARGO	ND	58104
161796	11/1/2011	4ZEGH3228C1017151	COOPER TRAILER CORRAI	KAT EXCAVATION INC	309 N OAK	BATES CITY MO	MO	64011
163752	11/3/2011	4ZEGH3027C1017382	C&Y TRAILER SALES	HI TIME SERVICES LTD	RR1 15 COMP 90	FORT ST JOI BX	ND	V1J 4M6
160198	11/3/2011	4ZEGH3022C1017967	Curt Howard Equipment	PAUL JAEGER	9590 HOMERICH AVE SW	BYRON CEN MI	MI	49315
165926	11/17/2011	4ZEGH3022C1018241	FUNK TRAILER SALES					
164582	11/21/2011	4ZEGP3021C1018241	Country Side Trailers Sales		11821 State Highway 53	Temple	TX	76501
169895	11/28/2011	4ZEGP3022C1018605	131 Truck Sales	Frei Enterprises				
169894	11/28/2011	4ZEGP3224C1018604	Guthrie Trailer Sales, Inc.					
168665	11/29/2011	4ZEGH3021C1018557	Jimmy Cox Sales					
169301	11/30/2011	4ZEGP3020C1018585	SPENCER TRAILERS INC	TRINITY VINEYARDS	PO BOX 668	VALLEY MILL TX	TX	76689
169585	11/30/2011	4ZEGP3222C1018603	Guthrie Trailer Sales, Inc.	BRIDGESMITH INC	4149 SR 43	SPENCER IN	IN	47460
169300	12/1/2011	4ZEGP3029C1018584	SPENCER TRAILERS INC	FIVE LINE	2435 84TH AVE	ZEELAND MI	MI	49464
169899	12/2/2011	4ZEGH4026C1018608	131 TRUCK SALES	Scott Asiala	8050 Backus Rd	Greenville MI	MI	48838
169896	12/2/2011	4ZEGP3625C1018606	131 TRUCK SALES					
171244	12/8/2011	4ZEGP4026C1019200	Midway Trailer Sales (LT)					
175043	12/15/2011	4ZEGH3227C1020036	Quapp Equipment					
176903	1/24/2012	4ZEGH3224C1020818	VISTO'S TRAILER SALES					
176904	1/24/2012	4ZEGH3627C1020806	4 C's Westcruide Services					
189497	1/26/2012	4ZEGH3029C1021058	Curt Howard Equipment					
189496	1/27/2012	4ZEGH3027C1021057	Curt Howard Equipment	JPM EQUIPMENT	3255 WEST STONE RIVER RD SOUTH	MARION OH	OH	43302
189501	1/30/2012	4ZEGH3428C1021062	Curt Howard Equipment	LUCAS NOFZIGER	9721 CO. RD. 19	WAUSEON OHIO	OHIO	43567
189500	1/30/2012	4ZEGH3426C1021061	Curt Howard Equipment	Marshall Kennedy	22622 Roberts Cemetery Rd	Hockley TX	TX	77447
177471	1/31/2012	4ZEGR3223C1021066	Midway Trailer Sales (LT)					
196572	1/31/2012	4ZEGR3223C1021066	Premier Equipment, LLC					
189498	2/1/2012	4ZEGH3224C1021059	Curt Howard Equipment	C.A. TESCH FARM EQUIPMENT	W2374 US HWY 10	BRILLION WI	WI	54110
189499	2/3/2012	4ZEGH3220C1021060	Curt Howard Equipment					
207928	2/3/2012	4ZEGR4024C1020811	4 C's Westcruide Services					
215640	2/15/2012	4ZEGH4021C1022535	Midway Trailer Sales (LT)					
220672	2/15/2012	4ZEGH4027C1022541	Trailers & More					
218145	2/20/2012	4ZEGH3228C1022666	Lb's Used Cars and Trailers					
221438	2/29/2012	4ZEGP322XC1023399	Scott Reinhart Trailer Sales					
215639	3/6/2012	4ZEGP3624C1022534	Midway Trailer Sales (LT)					
219236	3/6/2012	4ZEGH3223C1023062	Jimmy Cox Sales					
228329	3/13/2012	4ZEGH3426C1024042	Jimmy Cox Sales	Central Landscaping	12512 W Mendell Rd	Princeville IL	IL	61559
	3/14/2012	4550	Tucker Equipment Sales					
	1/27/2012	4455	Custom Trailer Sales	Lacombe				
	1/20/2012	4381	4 C's Westcruide Services					
	11/29/2011	3836	Curt Howard Equipment					
	11/17/2011	3719	Mcgowan Equipment	LAVOY WILCOX	7716 70TH ST	HORACE ND	ND	58047
155787	10/5/2011	4ZEGC2239C1013848	VISTO'S TRAILER SALES					
154528	10/12/2011	4ZEGH3638C1016743	Patten Equipment					
176436	1/19/2012	4ZEGE2629C1020391	Trailer Trendz					
210948	7/20/2477	4ZEGE2629C1020701	Fraleys Equipment Sales					
223489	3/9/2012	4ZEGE2629C1023386	Gerber, Inc					
225016	3/15/2012	4ZEGC2035C1023392	Scott Reinhart Trailer Sales					
226242	3/16/2012	4ZEGH1820C1024245	Trailers for Less					
236234	4/2/2012	4ZEGH1428C1025310	FAST TOYS FOR BOYS	TR3 ENERGY	BAY 6 135 COMMERCIAL DRIVE	CALGARY ALBERTA	ALBERTA	T3Z2A7
239962	4/16/2012	4ZEGH1237C1026241	Remorque Belle Voiture					
262919	5/9/2012	4ZEGE2229C1028383	Lb's Used Cars and Trailers					