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(8 pages)**[Kingston Trailers, Inc. 182 Wapping Rd., Kingston, MA 02364]****Part 573 Report**

Date: September 9, 2013

This report serves as notification by **[Kingston Trailers, Inc.]** to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration ("NHTSA") that a motor vehicle safety-related issue exists in certain travel trailer locks supplied by Fastec Industrial Corp., a division of WESCO Distribution, Inc., for installation in the doors of Recreational Vehicles ("RVs"). Additional information concerning the recalled locks can be found in Fastec's Part 573 Report that was separately filed on July 11, 2013 with an assigned NHTSA Recall #13E039.

I. Manufacturer, Designated Agent, and Other Chain of Distribution Information**Filing Firm Name: Kingston Trailers, Inc.**

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Importer/Distributor: Fastec Industrial Corp.
2219 Eddie Williams Rd
Johnson City, TN 37601**Manufacturer: Zhongshan Huafeng Locks Co., Ltd.**
South of Yongning Industrial Avenue
Xiaolan Town, Zhongshan, Guangdong
People's Republic of China

II. Identification of the Recall Population and Its Size

Type of Equipment:

The product consists of certain travel trailer locks with a keyed paddle handle and deadbolt (the "locks") installed in the doors of RVs. Only FIC locks that have an integrated deadbolt are affected by this recall. The RVs potentially affected by the recall are as follows:

Brand: KINGSTON

Model NAMES: T.D.w/dressing room, Windsor w/dressing room, Bedford w/dressing room, Newport w/dressing room, Belvedere II w/dressing room, Brunswick w/dressing room, Derby w/dressing room, Essex w/dressing room, Classic Elite w/dressing room.

Model years: January 2006 – April 2013.

Body Style/Type: Horse trailer with dressing room

Total Product Sold:

[Kingston Trailers, Inc.] sold a total of 478 horse trailers with an FIC deadbolt lock between January 1, 2006 and April 25, 2013. This total includes locks with any key code, not just the subset of 20 key codes that may be affected by the recall.

Current Inventory Estimates:

[Kingston Trailers, Inc.] has reviewed its current inventory of horse trailers and has no horse trailers in its inventory with any potentially affected locks.

Percentage of Recall Population Estimated to be Affected:

[Kingston Trailers, Inc.] believes that 478 horse trailers with an FIC deadbolt lock sold between January 2006 and April 2013 may potentially be affected.

III. Description of Issue and Type of Hazard

In or about June/July 2013, Fastec notified [Kingston Trailers, Inc.] that Fastec intended to initiate a recall of the potentially affected locks due to a potential jamming issue with the deadbolt cylinder. If a lock is affected, the key may be able to be removed from the locked door when the key in the deadbolt cylinder is in the horizontal 9 o'clock position, potentially jamming the deadbolt and potentially causing the red lever on the interior side of the lock to become

inoperable. In that event, a person inside the travel trailer may not be able to unlock and open the main RV door, but he or she could still exit the trailer from the emergency exit.

IV. The Remedy Program and Its Schedule

Upon approval of the proposed recall and the recall announcement, [Kingston Trailers, Inc.] will work with Fastec to notify consumers of the recall. [Kingston Trailers, Inc.] estimates that it will issue consumer notifications in the fourth quarter of 2013. [Kingston Trailers, Inc.] will coordinate the recall efforts with Fastec and will refer consumers to Fastec for free replacement of the cylinders in any affected locksets as described more fully in Fastec's Part 573 Report.

Safety Defect and Noncompliance Report Guide for Equipment

PART 573 Defect and Noncompliance Report⁽¹⁾

On SEPTEMBER 2, 2013, ~~199~~ KINGSTON Trailers, INC. [MFR] decided that (a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety)(a noncompliance with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 2) exists in items of motor vehicle equipment listed below, and is furnishing notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration in accordance with 49 CFR Part 573 Defect and Noncompliance Reports.

Date this report was prepared: SEPTEMBER 9, 2013

Furnish the manufacturer's identification code for this recall (if applicable): 13E-039

1. Identify the full corporate name of the fabricating manufacturer/brand name/trademark owner of the recalled item of equipment. If the recalled item of equipment is imported, provide the name and mailing address of the designated agent as prescribed by 49 U.S.C. §30164.

FASTEC INDUSTRIAL CORP., A DIVISION OF: WESCO DISTRIBUTION, INC.
225 WEST STATION SQUARE DRIVE
SUITE 700
PITTSBURGH, PA 15219-1122

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

Telephone Number: 781-585-4337 Fax No.: 781-585-7135

Name and Title of Person who prepared this report.

EDWARD P. SMITH

PRODUCTION MANAGER

Signed:

I. Identify the Recalled Items of Equipment

2. Identify the Items of Equipment Involved in this Recall, for each make and model or applicable item of equipment product line (provide illustrations or photographs as necessary to describe the item of equipment), provide:

Generic name of the item: TRAVEL TRAILER DOOR LOCK

Make: Model: FIC

Part Number: Size: 43610-06

Function: DOOR LOCK WITH DEADBOLT

Other information which characterizes/distinguishes the items of equipment to be recalled: LOCKS MANUFACTURED BY FASTEC JANUARY, 2006 through APRIL 2013 AND INSTALLED IN OUR ENTRY DOORS FROM JANUARY 2006 THROUGH END OF JUNE 2013.

Make: Model:

Part Number: Size:

Function:

Other information which characterizes/distinguishes the items of equipment to be recalled:

Make: Model:

Part Number: Size:

Function:

Model Years Involved:

Other information which characterizes/distinguishes the items of equipment to be recalled:

Make: Model:

Part Number: Size:

Function:

Other information which characterizes/distinguishes the items of equipment to be recalled:

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 Widgets equipped with certain items of equipment from January 1, 1996, through April 1, 1997, then what was the percentage of the recalled Widgets of all Widgets manufactured during that time period. 51%

II. Identifying the Recall Population

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

Number of Items

Model Year Potentially Involved 2006 - 2013

Total Number Potentially Affected by the Recall: 478

4. Furnish the approximate percentage of the total number of items of equipment estimated to actually contain the defect or noncompliance: N/A

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 items of equipment: Computer records indicated total number of trailers manufactured, then compared that list to only trailers with that lock installed.

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. SEE FASTEC'S PART 573 REPORT

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

SEE FASTEC'S PART 573 REPORT

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

SEE FASTEC'S PART 573 REPORT

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

SEE FASTEC'S PART 573 REPORT

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

FASTEC INDUSTRIAL CORP.
LOCK DIVISION
23348 CR6
ELKHART, IN 46514

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

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. SEE FASTEC'S PART 573 REPORT

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. N/A

V. Identify the Remedy

8. Furnish a description of the manufacturer's remedy for the defect or noncompliance.

Clearly describe the differences between the recall condition and the remedy. FASTEC IS GOING TO WORK WITH KINGSTON TRAILERS, INC. TO CONTACT ALL CONSUMERS WHO MAY HAVE A DEFECTIVE LOCK. KINGSTON TRAILERS WILL SUBMIT A LIST OF ALL CONSUMERS' CONTACT INFO. FROM ALL ORIGINAL WARRANTY CARDS ON FILE TO FASTEC FOR THIS PURPOSE.

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

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. ALL LOCKS IN KINGSTON TRAILERS'S INVENTORY WERE TESTED AS STATED IN LETTER FROM FASTEC AND ALL WERE FOUND TO HAVE NO DEFECT.

VI. Identify the Recall Schedule

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. KINGSTON WILL HAVE CONTACT INFORMATION TO FASTEC BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2013. THEY HAVE AGREED TO CONTACT OUR CUSTOMERS.

VII. Furnish Recall Communications

9. 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) for review prior to mailing. N/A

Note: These documents are to be submitted separately from those provided in accordance with Part 573.8 requirements.