

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 19V-437

**Manufacturer Name :** Lakota Corporation**Submission Date :** JUN 10, 2019**NHTSA Recall No. :** 19V-437**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Lakota Corporation

Address : PO Box 219

4 Stoutco Drive Bristol IN 46507

Company phone : 574-848-1636

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 371

Estimated percentage with defect : 100 %

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle 1 : 2018-2020 Lakota Colt

Vehicle Type : TRAILERS

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

**Descriptive Information :** All 6 foot 9 inch wide Colt trailers built will be recalled and fixed. 8 wide Colts are built differently and contain a steel axle carrier. 6 foot 9 inch wide Colts contain an aluminum axle carrier. 371 trailers included in the recall.

**Production Dates :** MAY 05, 2017 - JUN 10, 2019**VIN Range 1 : Begin :**

NR

**End :** NR Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

**Description of the Defect :** The aluminum axle carrier may not properly carry the weight of horses and may begin to tear.

FMVSS 1 : NR

FMVSS 2 : NR

**Description of the Safety Risk :** Horse area floor may begin to ride on I beams. Cargo area may begin to shift.

**Description of the Cause :** Aluminum axle carrier not strong enough to carry weight over time.

**Identification of Any Warning that can Occur :** Horse area floor may shift.

**Supplier Identification :****Component Manufacturer**

Name : NR

Address : NR  
NR  
Country : NR

**Chronology :**

Dealer brought to our attention June 3, 2019 a torn I beam noticed when changing a tire. Engineering inspected photos and decided a change would be necessary. We are recalling all 6 foot 9 inch wide Colts built and will retrofit them with additional aluminum structure to prevent I beam failure.

**Description of Remedy :**

Description of Remedy Program : Additional aluminum structure will be added to prevent i beam failure. This will be done at no charge to the customers.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Additional aluminum structure will be added to the trailers.

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Production retrofitted a trailer Friday. Currently working on prints, material list, and instructions for remedy.

**Recall Schedule :**

Description of Recall Schedule : We will inform dealers electronically this week and then mail to them and retail owners ASAP.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : JUL 08, 2019 - JUL 12, 2019

Planned Owner Notification Date : JUL 08, 2019 - JUL 12, 2019

\* NR - Not Reported