

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

24V-638

Manufacturer Name : Aluminum Trailer Company (ATC)**Submission Date :** AUG 26, 2024**NHTSA Recall No. :** 24V-638**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :****Population :****Manufacturer Name :** Aluminum Trailer Company (ATC)**Number of potentially involved :** 12**Address :** 751 N Tomahawk Trail**Estimated percentage with defect :** 25 %**Nappanee IN 46650****Company phone :** 574-773-2440**Vehicle Information :****Vehicle 1 :** 2021-2023 ATC Commercial Office**Vehicle Type :** TRAILERS**Body Style :****Power Train :** NR

Descriptive Information : CK Power notified us of specific serial numbered generators with a safety bulletin due to risk of fire. Based on the information we found we placed 12 of the specified serial numbered generators in commercial office trailers built in 2022. These were the only trailers these generators were installed in.

Production Dates : JAN 21, 2022 - JUN 14, 2022**VIN Range 1 : Begin :** 5JX1C2427ND224729 **End :** 5JX1C2029PD229553☒ Not sequential**Description of Defect :**

Description of the Defect : May contain a defect with the fuel line assembly that could cause a fuel leak and pose a risk of fire. The fuel lines could potentially fail if the lines contact surrounding components or if the hose clamps are not properly installed. Also, May contain a defect with the muffler and exhaust system that could impact product performance and potentially pose safety concerns. Specifically, CK Power has determined that, on some CK7G units, the insulated exhaust port outlet to the exhaust muffler inlet pipe may degrade over-time and prematurely fail under certain operating conditions. Such failure may present concerns regarding damage to component parts as well as potentially posing a fire risk.

FMVSS 1 : NR**FMVSS 2 :** NR

Description of the Safety Risk : May contain a defect with the fuel line assembly that could cause a fuel leak and pose a risk of fire.

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impact product performance and potentially pose safety concerns. Specifically, CK Power has determined that, on some CK7G units, the insulated exhaust port outlet to the exhaust muffler inlet pipe may degrade over-time and prematurely fail under certain operating conditions. Such failure may present concerns regarding damage to component parts as well as potentially posing a fire risk.

Description of the Cause : NR
Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : CK7G Generator
Component Description : Generator
Component Part Number : 0017971

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : CK Power
Address : 1100 Research Boulevard
St. Louis Missouri 63132
Country : United States

Chronology :

CK Power notified ATC of 2 safety notices for specific serial numbered generators. Our initial investigation did not show we had used any of these generators. CK Power then sent us the specific purchase orders with the specific serial numbers and we were able to find that we had used 12 of the 16 generators in trailers they had sent us. We were able to then determine which vin numbers these were used in. After this investigation it was determined on 8/23/24 a recall needed to be submitted.

Description of Remedy :

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| Description of Remedy Program : | <p>Generator May contain a defect with the fuel line assembly that could cause a fuel leak and pose a risk of fire. The fuel lines could potentially fail if the lines contact surrounding components or if the hose clamps are not properly installed.</p> <p>Also, the trailer may contain a defect with the muffler and exhaust system that could impact product performance and potentially pose safety concerns. Specifically, CK Power has determined that, on some CK7G units, the insulated exhaust port outlet to the exhaust muffler inlet pipe may degrade over-time and prematurely fail under certain operating conditions. Such failure may present concerns regarding damage to component parts as well as potentially posing a fire risk.</p> <p>ATC will coordinate with CK Power in the repair of your generator. CK Power will reach out to each owner and provide work instructions to remedy the risk. CK Power will supply the required parts kit and work instructions for the repair. This will be at not cost to the customer. CK Power will reimburse any labor. ATC or CK Power will reimburse any customer who incurred costs to repair the defect before our notification was sent.</p> |
| How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : | <p>The remedied generators will have the parts kits installed and hoses rerouted to eliminate the risk of a fire.</p> |
| Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : | <p>We have not used these generators in production since 6/14/2022. We removed any remaining generators out of inventory.</p> |

Recall Schedule :

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| Description of Recall Schedule : | NR |
| Planned Dealer Notification Date : | SEP 09, 2024 - SEP 13, 2024 |
| Planned Owner Notification Date : | SEP 09, 2024 - SEP 13, 2024 |

* NR - Not Reported