



Automotive Safety Council

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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

April 23, 2012

Report Date :April 23, 2012 at 10:22 AM
NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number:12V170000

Vehicle Make / Model:

INTERNATIONAL / TERRASTAR

Manufacturer: NAVISTAR, INC

NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 12V170000

Model Year(s):

2012

Mfr's Report Date: APR 17, 2012

NHTSA Action Number: N/A

Component: STEERING:GEAR BOX:SHAFT PITMAN

Potential Number of Units Affected: 234

Summary:

NAVISTAR IS RECALLING CERTAIN MODEL YEAR 2012 INTERNATIONAL TERRASTAR TRUCKS, MANUFACTURED FROM AUGUST 23, 2011, THROUGH NOVEMBER 16, 2011 AND EQUIPPED WITH A SHEPPARD M83 STEERING GEAR (FEATURE CODE 05PSN). THE FASTENER ATTACHING THE PITMAN ARM TO THE STEERING GEAR SHIFT MAY HAVE BEEN OVER TIGHTENED. AS A RESULT, THE SECURING BOLT MAY FAIL AND THE PITMAN ARM MAY SEPARATE FROM THE STEERING GEAR.

Consequence:

IF THIS OCCURS, A LOSS OF STEERING CONTROL COULD RESULT, INCREASING THE RISK OF CRASH RESULTING IN PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY, OR DEATH.

Remedy:

NAVISTAR WILL NOTIFY OWNERS, AND DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE PITMAN ARM FASTENERS. THIS SERVICE WILL BE PERFORMED FREE OF CHARGE. THE RECALL IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN ON OR ABOUT JUNE 15, 2012. OWNERS MAY CONTACT NAVISTAR AT 1-800-448-7825.