

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

22V-198

Manufacturer Name : Bugatti**Submission Date :** MAR 28, 2022**NHTSA Recall No. :** 22V-198**Manufacturer Recall No. :** BUGCR027**Manufacturer Information :****Manufacturer Name :** Bugatti**Address :** 1 Chateau St Jean

Dorlisheim, France 00 67120

Company phone : 999**Population :****Number of potentially involved :** 1**Estimated percentage with defect :** 100 %**Vehicle Information :****Vehicle 1 :** 2018-2018 Bugatti Chiron**Vehicle Type :** LIGHT VEHICLES**Body Style :** 2-DOOR**Power Train :** GAS**Descriptive Information :** During an internal process check on torque wrench system, one screw has been identified to be safety relevant and below the intended torque specification range.**Production Dates :** NOV 16, 2017 - NOV 16, 2017**VIN Range 1 : Begin :** [REDACTED]**End :** [REDACTED] Not sequential**Description of Defect :****Description of the Defect :** One of two screws, fastening a front frame support, is 50% below the defined torque (9Nm instead of min. 19Nm).**FMVSS 1 :** NR**FMVSS 2 :** NR**Description of the Safety Risk :** In the event of a crash the support may not fulfill its functionality.**Description of the Cause :** During testing the torque wrench system did not provide any indication the affected screw was below the intended torque specification**Identification of Any Warning that can Occur :** No warning would occur**Involved Components :**

Component Name 1 : NR

Component Description : NR

Component Part Number : NR

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Bugatti Automobiles SAS

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Country : France

Chronology :

March 03 2022:

The torque wrench system gave no indication of the affected screw as being less than the desired torque specification.

Internal check of all production cars regarding the screwing protocols and torque procedures.

Investigation of all cars produced prior to March 03, 2022.

Analyser

Until March 11 2022:

Analysis of all screw connection data base of every produced car since 2016 (Start Of Chiron Production).

Until March 16 2022:

Further investigation with internal and external experts.

Board decided as critical

March 21 2022:

1 USA car identified with need for action.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : One Chiron model vehicle delivered will need a screw torque check at a front frame support. The screw has to be tightened to the specific torque. Transportation of the affected vehicle will be covered by Bugatti to an authorized Bugatti repair workshop.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : No component replacement

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : Additional check of all production cars regarding the torque specification procedures and protocols.

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Vehicle will be recalled and customer will receive a letter via mailing address. Our Bugatti After Sales personnel and Bugatti franchised service partners will also inform customer individually by phone or e-mail to arrange an appointment to have the recall performed.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : APR 05, 2022 - MAY 05, 2022

Planned Owner Notification Date : APR 04, 2022 - MAY 02, 2022

* NR - Not Reported