OMB Control No.: 2127-0004

Part 573 Safety Recall Report

22V-612

Manufacturer Name: Kia America, Inc.
Submission Date: AUG 10, 2022
NHTSA Recall No.: 22V-612
Manufacturer Recall No.: SC246



Manufacturer Information:

Manufacturer Name: Kia America, Inc.

Address: 111 Peters Canyon Road

Irvine CA 92606

Company phone: 800-333-4542

Population:

Number of potentially involved: 28,065 Estimated percentage with defect: 1 %

Vehicle Information:

Vehicle 1: 2016-2016 KIA Sedona

Vehicle Type: LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : ALL Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information: Certain 2016 model year Sedona vehicles manufactured from April 27, 2015 to June

27, 2015 (7,263 units).

The recall population was determined by a review of vehicle production and supplier

records. The vehicles subject to this recall were not produced in VIN order.

Customers seeking information about their specific vehicle will be referred to Kia's

Consumer Assistance Center or their Kia dealer.

Production Dates: APR 27, 2015 - JUN 27, 2015

VIN Range 1 : Begin : NR End : NR Not sequential

Vehicle 2: 2016-2016 KIA Sorento

Vehicle Type: LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : ALL Power Train : GAS

Descriptive Information: Certain 2016 model year Sorento vehicles manufactured from April 27, 2015 to July 9,

2015 (20,802 units).

The recall population was determined by a review of vehicle production and supplier

records. The vehicles subject to this recall were not produced in VIN order.

Customers seeking information about their specific vehicle will be referred to Kia's

Consumer Assistance Center or their Kia dealer.

Production Dates: APR 27, 2015 - JUL 09, 2015

Description of Defect:

Description of the Defect: The automatic transmission shift lever assembly contains a shift lock lever and

holder. Some shift lock holder components may have been produced out of specification by the supplier. As a result, the shift lock lever may not return to the locked position and the shift lever can be moved out of Park and into any gear position without pressing the brake pedal, regardless of whether the ignition is on or off. If the transmission gear shifter is moved out of the Park position without pressing the brake pedal and the parking brake is not used, a vehicle rollaway can occur thereby increasing the risk of crash and injury.

FMVSS 1: NR FMVSS 2: NR

Description of the Safety Risk: A vehicle rollaway increases the risk of crash and injury.

Description of the Cause: Shift lock holder components may have been manufactured out of specification

by the supplier.

Identification of Any Warning None

that can Occur:

Involved Components:

Component Name 1: LEVER ASSY-ATM

Component Description: AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION SHIFT LEVER ASSEMBLY

Component Part Number: 46700-A9100 (Sedona)

Component Name 2: LEVER ASSY-ATM

Component Description: AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION SHIFT LEVER ASSEMBLY

Component Part Number: 46700-C5130 (Sorento)

Supplier Identification:

Component Manufacturer

Name: Dong Won

Address: 47, Beomjigi 141beon-gil, Danwon-gu

Ansan-si, Gyeonggi-do Foreign States 15434

Country: Korea, Republic of

Chronology:

See attached document titled "2016MY Sedona and Sorento Automatic Transmission Shift Lever Assembly Chronology"

Description of Remedy:

Description of Remedy Program: All owners of the subject vehicles will be notified by first class mail with

instructions to bring their vehicles to a Kia dealer. Dealers will inspect the automatic transmission shift lever assembly and if necessary, will replace the shift lock lever and holder. Kia will reimburse owners for repair expenses already incurred pursuant to Kia's General Reimbursement Plan

filed May 10, 2022.

How Remedy Component Differs The remedy shift lock lever and holder are manufactured with the proper

from Recalled Component: dimensional specification.

Identify How/When Recall Condition The recall condition was corrected in production by the supplier on

was Corrected in Production: 6/10/2015. 2016 model year Sedona vehicles manufactured beginning on

6/28/2015 and 2016 model year Sorento vehicles manufactured

beginning on 7/10/2015 were equipped with a corrected shift lock lever

and holder.

Recall Schedule:

Description of Recall Schedule: The dealer notice is scheduled to begin and end on October 3, 2022, and

the owner notice is scheduled to begin and end on October 7, 2022.

Planned Dealer Notification Date: OCT 03, 2022 - OCT 03, 2022 Planned Owner Notification Date: OCT 07, 2022 - OCT 07, 2022

* NR - Not Reported