



HYUNDAI Technical Service Bulletin

Group	CAMPAIGN
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Model	BIKE RACK

Subject
**RECEIVER HITCH MOUNTED BICYCLE RACK
(CAMPAIGN 081)**

CIRCULATE TO:	<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL MANAGER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PARTS MANAGER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TECHNICIAN
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DESCRIPTION:

Thule, Inc. manufactured Expressway 995 and 996 receiver hitch mounted bicycle racks that were sold under the Hyundai brand during the 2005-2007 time period are being recalled because a pinch point exists between the bike arm bracket and the upright assembly. This condition has the potential to cause severe personal injury, including laceration or amputations to the user's fingertips or hand when the bike arm bracket is moved to its down position. Because this could happen without warning, owners **must stop using the rack immediately**. At all times, hands and fingers must be kept away from the area between the bike arm bracket and the upright assembly.

VEHICLES AFFECTED:

- Model: 2001-2008 Santa Fe, 2005-2008 Tucson, 2007-2008 Entourage, and 2007-2008 Veracruz equipped with an optional Hyundai towing hitch.
- Affected vehicle production date range: N/A

PARTS AFFECTED:

Affected Part Numbers:

- 00285-03000
- 00285-03001

REPAIR:

A free repair kit is available that will allow you or your customer to correct this condition by inserting a bumper at the pinch point location and adding a warning label. To obtain the kit, please call Thule at 1-800-THULE 91 (800-848-5391), provide them with your name and address, and follow the instructions to install the additional parts. You can also visit <http://www.thuleracks.com> for more information. If customers have incurred any cost for remedies in advance of this notification, please contact the toll free number listed above for information regarding reimbursement. Supporting documentation will be requested by Thule.

