

☑ URGENT

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## ATTENTION: SERVICE MANAGERS AND OWNERS

It has been brought to our attention that some coach owners are installing trailer hitches (not FMC design) to rear bumper of the 2900R Motor Home so that the hitch is rigidly mounted to the bumper. This has occurred on coaches below serial number 00440.

Coaches from 00001 to 00440 were equipped with shock absorbing bumpers mounted on telescoping cylinders to allow the bumper to move forward upon impact. These cylinders are mounted to the coach frame with a 5/16" diameter stud and a trailer hitch attached to the bumper would OVERLOAD the mounting studs and cause them to fail.

## WARNING

For safety sake DO NOT mount a trailer hitch directly on this style of bumper. DO NOT mount a trailer hitch on either the transmission or engine cross member. Any trailer hitch mounted on coaches within these serial numbers must be mounted directly to the longitudinal frame members and forward of the rear bumper cylinder attaching studs.

Service Manager

GROUP

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SUBJECT

TRAILER HITCH

MODEL (S) AFFECTED

2900R MOTOR HOME SERIAL NUMBERS 00001 TO 00440

(Factory Use Only) Information added to:

OWNER MANUAL (S)

SERVICE MANUAL (S)

PARTS MANUAL (S)

WARRANTY MANUAL (S)

OTHER