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12 & 15 Passenger Van Alert

Two recent fatal crashes involving 15 passenger vans resulted in 10 deaths a warning from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FCMSA). A letter to all 50 states' motor vehicle administrators urges those agencies to play a critical role in the safe operation of these vehicles. States are also reminded that federal law prohibits the sale or lease of a new 12 or 15 passenger van if it will be used to transport students.

To read the entire letter ([click here.](#))

For additional information on 15-passenger vans safety from the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration go to the following NHTSA site.

<http://www.nhtsa.gov/CA/10-14-2010>

For further information, please contact your OSP Risk Management representative.