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Vehicle has failed because of a dangerous defect

Dangerous defects are 'Defects that constitute direct and immediate risk to road safety such that the vehicle should not be used on the road under any circumstances'

The owner and/or the driver of a mechanically propelled vehicle who drives a mechanically propelled vehicle in a public place while there is a defect affecting the vehicle which he knows of or could have discovered by the exercise of ordinary care and which is such that the vehicle is, when in motion, a danger to the public shall be guilty of an offence.

In the opinion of NCTS this vehicle is dangerously defective.

The penalty for such an offence is a fine of up to €2000 and 5 penalty points on conviction and/or 3 months imprisonment