

# COMPARISON CHART

Page	ALARM SYSTEM FEATURES AND OPTIONS AVAILABLE	Strikeback	X Alarm
7	Alarm protection possible to all doors & lockers (entry doors & 1 locker inc standard)	Yes	
7	Coded battery back-up siren	Yes	
6	Encapsulated tilt switch to bonnet	Yes	
6	Sleep mode to allow you in the van at night with the alarm turned on	Yes	
7	Bike/motorcycle rack protection – also suitable for towed trailers and cars	Yes	
6	Anti scan & anti grab radio keys (2 standard)	Yes	
8	Covert internal sensing (air vent & heater friendly) – not car type ultrasonics	Yes	
7	3,400 Mcd ultrabright warning light – internal & external as standard	Yes	
17	Option for additional external warning lights	Yes	
17	LED Booster for an even brighter light (recommended with more than 3 LED's)	Yes	
9	Self test facility	Yes	
8	Resin alarm warning stickers for locker doors	Yes	
8	Multi-lingual alarm warning stickers for windows – motorcaravan specific	Yes	
8	Panic alarm facility via radio key	Yes	
9	Diagnostic facility for alarm triggers	Yes	
3/4	Spares held in stock at Van Bitz	Yes	
7	Exterior LED warning light for when the blinds are closed	Yes	
4	Conditional lifetime warranty for <b>GROWLER™</b>	Yes	
3/4	Well respected and long established identifiable installation company	Yes	
16	Additional radio keys available as an option (2 Radio keys standard)	Yes	
PDF	Non Starter: Remote engine immobilisation via phone app to add to Strikeback	Yes	
17	Maintenance Contract available after 2 years standard warranty	Yes	
16	'Devil's Wail' intruder distress system (optional)	Yes	
18	<b>SHADOW VTS VanBitz Tracking System</b> (optional)	Yes	
17	Gas detector (optional)	Yes	
18	Anti-lift / Tilt sensor (optional)	Yes	
18	External Rear sirens (optional)	Yes	
	Alarm and installation testimonials available	Yes	
13	Thatcham approved wireless sensing (optional with <b>GROWLER™</b> )	Yes	
	Intended originally for a smaller vehicle ie car or motorbike	No	
10	Fitted price for standard Strikeback (including vat @ 20%) ----- from	<b>£599.00</b>	
11	Fitted price for <b>GROWLER™</b> with lifetime warranty (including vat @ 20%)	<b>£999.00</b>	

As we explained earlier, many dealers will offer you car alarms for your motorhome. Some will even tell you that you have to have this particular type. The reality of it is that you cannot normally establish exactly what you are going to get for your money, and what will or will not be done. Worse still is the fact that many dealers don't even bother to install the alarms themselves, relying on a third party to do the job. This may sound fine but in practice, does it work? Consider the following:

- ▶ Who will supply spares in the future?
- ▶ What happens if the installer falls out with the dealer and the dealer starts to give their work to another installer?