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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

July 25, 2016

### **RECALL Subject : Electronic Stability Control Systems/FMVSS 126**

**Report Receipt Date:** JUN 29, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V482000

**Component(s):** ELECTRONIC STABILITY CONTROL , SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 1,895

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• FORD	TRANSIT CONNECT	2016

**Manufacturer:** Ford Motor Company

#### **SUMMARY:**

Ford Motor Company (Ford) is recalling certain model year 2016 Transit Connect vehicles manufactured February 22, 2016, through June 16, 2016. The Continental brake Hydraulic Control Unit (HCU) pump may be contaminated with metallic debris. As such, these vehicles fail to conform to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 126, "Electronic Stability Control Systems."

#### **CONSEQUENCE:**

If the brake HCU pump is contaminated, the performance of the electronic stability control and related brake systems may degrade, increasing the risk of a crash.

#### **REMEDY:**

Ford will notify owners and dealers will replace the brake HCU pump, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on August 15, 2016.

**RECALL Subject : Key May Be Removed When Not In Park/FMVSS 114**

**Report Receipt Date:** JUL 05, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V502000

**Component(s):** ELECTRICAL SYSTEM , POWER TRAIN

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 7,620

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• BUICK	ENCORE	2013
• BUICK	REGAL	2011
• BUICK	VERANO	2013-2014,2016-2017
• CHEVROLET	CRUZE	2011-2016
• CHEVROLET	EQUINOX	2010-2013
• CHEVROLET	MALIBU	2013-2016
• GMC	TERRAIN	2011-2013

**Manufacturer:** General Motors LLC

**SUMMARY:**

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain model year 2016-2017 Buick Verano and 2016 Chevrolet Malibu as the Alps Electronics electronic park lock lever may allow the ignition key to be removed without the transmission being in PARK. Also, certain 2013 Buick Encore, 2011 Buick Regal, 2013-2014 Buick Verano, 2011-2016 Chevrolet Cruze, 2010-2013 Chevrolet Equinox 2013-2015 Chevrolet Malibu, and 2011-2013 GMC Terrain vehicles may have been serviced with similar defective replacement electronic park lock levers. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 114, "Theft Protection and Rollaway Prevention."

**CONSEQUENCE:**

If the key is removed without the transmission in PARK, the vehicle may rollaway as occupants are exiting, increasing the risk of injury.

**REMEDY:**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and if necessary replace the key cylinder lock housing, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule.

**RECALL Subject : Passenger Presence Sensor Wires May Be Damaged**

**Report Receipt Date:** JUL 05, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V507000

**Component(s):** AIR BAGS , ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 289,254

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• CHEVROLET	IMPALA	2009-2010

**Manufacturer:** General Motors LLC

**SUMMARY:**

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain model year 2009-2010 Chevrolet Impala vehicles manufactured April 25, 2008 through February 16, 2010. The Lear front passenger seat frame may contact and damage the wires of the passenger presence sensor module.

**CONSEQUENCE:**

If the wires are damaged, the passenger presence sensory system may fail to recognize that the passenger seat is occupied, disabling the air bag. Damage may also cause the air bag fuse to short resulting in a loss of all air bags and seat belt pretensions. Both conditions increase the risk of injury during a crash.

**REMEDY:**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will double wrap the wires with anti-abrasion tape and replace damaged wires as necessary, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule.

**RECALL Subject : Passenger Frontal Air Bag Inflator May Rupture , 1 INVESTIGATION(S)**

**Report Receipt Date:** JUL 01, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V499000

**Component(s):** AIR BAGS

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 3,743

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• MAZDA	B-SERIES TRUCK	2007-2009

**Manufacturer:** Mazda North American Operations

**SUMMARY:**

Mazda North American Operations (Mazda) is recalling certain model year 2007-2009 B-Series trucks manufactured June 6, 2006, to January 22, 2009, originally sold, or ever registered, in Alabama, California, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina, Texas, Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands (Saipan), and the U.S. Virgin Islands, or "Zone A." Additionally, unless included in "Zone A" above, Mazda is recalling certain model year 2007-2008 B-Series trucks manufactured February 21, 2006, to April 28, 2008, originally sold, or ever registered, in Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia, or "Zone B." Any vehicle not included in "Zone A", or "Zone B" is not included in this safety recall. These vehicles are equipped with certain air bag inflators assembled as part of the passenger frontal air bag modules, and used as original equipment or replacement equipment. In the event of a crash necessitating deployment of the front air bags, these inflators

may rupture due to propellant degradation occurring after long-term exposure to absolute humidity and temperature cycling.

**CONSEQUENCE:**

An inflator rupture may result in metal fragments striking the vehicle occupants resulting in serious injury or death.

**REMEDY:**

Mazda will notify owners, and dealers will replace the passenger frontal air bag inflator, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin August 16, 2016.