



Automotive Safety Council

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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

July 4, 2016

RECALL Subject : Air Bag Control Unit Power Supply Corrosion

Report Receipt Date: MAY 27, 2016

NHTSA Campaign Number: 16V376000

Component(s): AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected: 8,381

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• AUDI	A4	2008-2009
• AUDI	A5	2008-2009
• AUDI	Q5	2008-2009

Manufacturer: Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

SUMMARY:

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (VW) is recalling certain model year 2008-2009 Audi A4, A5, and Q5 vehicles. In the affected vehicles, the Continental air bag control units may corrode and fail.

CONSEQUENCE:

If the air bag control unit fails, the air bags may not deploy in the event of a crash, increasing the risk of occupant injury.

REMEDY: Audi will notify owners, and dealers will replace the air bag control unit, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule.

RECALL Subject : Super High Roof Vehicles Missing Crash Pads

Report Receipt Date: MAY 24, 2016
NHTSA Campaign Number: 16V351000
Component(s): STRUCTURE
Potential Number of Units Affected: 3

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• FREIGHTLINER	SPRINTER 2500	2015-2016
• FREIGHTLINER	SPRINTER 3500	2015-2016
• MERCEDES BENZ	SPRINTER 2500	2015-2016
• MERCEDES BENZ	SPRINTER 3500	2015-2016

Manufacturer: Daimler Vans USA, LLC

SUMMARY:

Daimler Vans USA, LLC (DVUSA) is recalling certain model year 2015-2016 Mercedes-Benz Sprinter 2500 and 3500 vehicles manufactured May 31, 2015, to April 30, 2016, and 2015-2016 Freightliner Sprinter 2500 and 3500 vehicles manufactured May 1, 2015, to April 30, 2016. The affected vehicles are configured to have super-high roofs, but may not be equipped with the required crash pads.

CONSEQUENCE:

If the required crash pads are missing, it can increase the risk of injury to a front passenger seat occupant if they are unbelted.

REMEDY:

DVUSA will notify owners, and dealers will install the required crash-pads, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin in June 2016.