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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

September 12, 2016

### **RECALL Subject : Doors may Unexpectedly Open , 1 INVESTIGATION(S)**

**Report Receipt Date:** SEP 06, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V643000

**Component(s):** LATCHES/LOCKS/LINKAGES

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 2,046,297

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• FORD	C-MAX	2013-2015
• FORD	ESCAPE	2013-2015
• FORD	FOCUS	2012-2015
• FORD	MUSTANG	2015
• FORD	TRANSIT CONNECT	2014-2016
• LINCOLN	MKC	2015

**Manufacturer:** Ford Motor Company

#### **SUMMARY:**

Ford Motor Company (Ford) is recalling certain model year 2012-2015 Ford Focus, 2013-2015 Ford Escape and Ford C-MAX, 2015 Lincoln MKC and Ford Mustang, and 2014-2016 Ford Transit Connect vehicles. A component within the Brose door latches may break, preventing the doors from latching and/or leading the driver or a passenger to believe a door is securely closed when, in fact, it is not.

#### **CONSEQUENCE:**

A door that is not securely latched could open while the vehicle is in motion, increasing the risk of injury to a vehicle occupant.

#### **REMEDY:**

Ford will notify owners, and dealers will replace the door latches with an improved part, free of charge. Due to a limited parts supply, each owner will be sent an interim notification beginning October 3, 2016 and will receive a second notice when parts are available.

**RECALL Subject : Frontal Air Bags May Not Deploy**

**Report Receipt Date:** SEP 08, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V651000

**Component(s):** AIR BAGS , SEAT BELTS

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 3,640,162

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• BUICK	ENCORE	2014-2017
• BUICK	LACROSSE	2014-2016
• CADILLAC	ESCALADE	2015-2017
• CADILLAC	ESCALADE ESV	2015-2017
• CHEVROLET	CAPRICE POLICE PURSUIT	2014-2017
• CHEVROLET	CORVETTE	2014-2017
• CHEVROLET	SILVERADO 1500	2014-2017
• CHEVROLET	SILVERADO 2500	2015-2017
• CHEVROLET	SILVERADO 3500	2015-2017
• CHEVROLET	SPARK EV	2014-2016
• CHEVROLET	SS	2014-2016
• CHEVROLET	SUBURBAN	2015-2017
• CHEVROLET	TAHOE	2015-2017
• CHEVROLET	TRAX	2014-2017
• GMC	SIERRA 1500	2014-2017
• GMC	SIERRA 2500	2015-2017
• GMC	SIERRA 3500	2015-2017
• GMC	YUKON	2015-2017
• GMC	YUKON XL	2015-2017

**Manufacturer:** General Motors LLC

**SUMMARY:**

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain model year 2015-2017 Chevrolet Silverado 2500 HD, 3500 HD, Tahoe, Suburban, GMC Sierra 2500 HD and 3500 HD, GMC Yukon, GMC Yukon XL, Cadillac Escalade and Cadillac Escalade ESV vehicles and 2014-2017 Chevrolet Corvette, Silverado 1500, Trax, Caprice Police Pursuit Vehicle, GMC Sierra 1500, Buick Encore, and 2014-2016 Buick Lacrosse, Chevrolet Spark EV and SS vehicles. In the affected vehicles, certain driving conditions may cause the Delphi air bag sensing and diagnostic module (SDM) software to activate a diagnostic test. During this test, deployment of the frontal air bags and the seat belt pretensioners would not occur in the event of a crash.

**CONSEQUENCE:**

A failure of the front air bags or seat belt pretensioners to deploy in the event of a crash necessitating deployment increases the risk of injury to the driver and front passenger.

**REMEDY:**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will reflash the SDM software. Vehicles that have had a previous air bag deployment will have the SDM replaced. These repairs will be performed free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule.

**RECALL Subject : Brake Fluid may Leak into ABS Pump and Ignite**

**Report Receipt Date:** SEP 02, 2016

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 16V636000

**Component(s):** SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 120,329

Vehicle Make	Model	Model Year(s)
• NISSAN	MAXIMA	2016-2017
• NISSAN	MURANO	2015-2017
• NISSAN	MURANO HYBRID	2015-2016

**Manufacturer:** Nissan North America, Inc.

**SUMMARY:**

Nissan North America, Inc. (Nissan) is recalling certain model year 2016-2017 Nissan Maxima vehicles manufactured February 10, 2015, to August 19, 2016 and equipped with Intelligent Cruise Control, 2015-2017 Murano vehicles manufactured August 22, 2014, to August 19, 2016 and equipped with Intelligent Cruise Control, and 2015-2016 Murano Hybrid vehicles manufactured August 22, 2014, to July 19, 2016. The affected vehicles have ADVICS Anti-Lock Brake (ABS) actuator pumps that may allow brake fluid to leak onto an internal electrical circuit board.

**CONSEQUENCE:**

A brake fluid leak onto the circuit board may result in an electrical short, increasing the risk of a fire.

**REMEDY:**

Nissan will notify owners, and dealers will inspect the ABS Actuator, replacing it as necessary, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact Nissan customer service at 1-800-647-7261. Note: When brake fluid has leaked onto the circuit board, the ABS warning lamp will remain illuminated for more than 10 seconds after engine start up. If this occurs, owners are advised to park the vehicle outdoors away from other vehicles or structures and to not drive the vehicle.

