

NHTSA Recalls of Interest September 23, 2013

RECALL Subject: Inadvertent Air Bag Deployment

Report Receipt Date: SEP 19, 2013 NHTSA Campaign Number: 13V412000

Component(s): AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected: 374,618

All Products Associated with this Recall

Vehicle MakeModelModel Year(s)

ACURAMDX2003

HONDAODYSSEY2003-2004

Manufacturer: Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)

SUMMARY:

Honda is recalling certain model year 2003 and 2004 Odyssey and model year 2003 Acura MDX vehicles. Due to electrical noise, a component in the air bag control module may fail causing the front air bags, side curtain air bags, and/or seatbelt pretensioners to deploy inadvertently while the vehicle is being operated.

CONSEQUENCE:

Inadvertent deployment of the air bags may increase the risk of injury and the possibility of a vehicle crash.

REMEDY:

Honda will notify owners, and dealers will install a noise suppressor unit, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin on, or about, October 28, 2013.

RECALL Subject: Seatbelt Anchorage Point may be Weak

Report Receipt Date: SEP 05, 2013 NHTSA Campaign Number: 13V401000 Component(s): SEAT BELTS

Potential Number of Units Affected: 650

Vehicle MakeModelModel Year(s)

WESTERN STAR49002009-2014

Manufacturer: Daimler Trucks North America

SUMMARY:

Daimler Trucks North America LLC (DTNA) is recalling certain model year 2009-2014 Western Star 4900 vehicles manufactured May 27, 2008, through March 22, 2013. A potential misalignment of a clearance hole in the B-pillar reinforcement may affect the performance of the seatbelt D-ring anchorage point.

CONSEQUENCE:

In the event of a crash, the seatbelt may not properly restrain the occupant, increasing the risk of injury.

REMEDY:

DTNA will notify owners, and dealers will reinforce the D-ring anchor points, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin by November 3, 2013

RECALL Subject: Interior Side Door Lock May Become Inoperable

Report Receipt Date: SEP 06, 2013 NHTSA Campaign Number: 13V404000 Component(s): LATCHES/LOCKS/LINKAGES Potential Number of Units Affected: 4,360

_Vehicle MakeModelModel Year(s)

- HOMESTEADERENCLOSED CARGO TRAILER2006-2010
- HOMESTEADERHORSE TRAILER2006-2010

_Manufacturer: Homesteader, Inc.

SUMMARY:

Homesteader is recalling certain model year 2006-2010 enclosed cargo trailers and horse trailers manufactured January 2006 through April 2010. It may be possible to remove the key from the lock in a way that potentially jams the deadbolt.

CONSEQUENCE:

If the deadbolt jams, the interior side of the door lock may also jam. A person inside the recreational vehicle at the time will then be locked in and be unable to exit the vehicle without using the emergency exit, increasing the risk of injury.

REMEDY:

Homesteader will notify owners, and Fastec will coordinate the inspection and replacement of the cylinders, as needed, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin by early November 2013.