

NHTSA Recalls of Interest January 1, 2018

Curtain Air Bag May Not Deploy Properly/FMVSS 226

NHTSA Campaign Number: 17V822000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 8.037

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2018 Audi A5 Coupe vehicles. The affected vehicles were built with Autoliv head curtain air bag assemblies that may not unfold properly. As such, these vehicle fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 226, "Ejection Mitigation."

Remedy

Audi will notify owners, and dealers will modify the head curtain air bags so that they deploy properly, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin January 31, 2018. Owners may contact Audi customer service at 11-800-253-2834. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 69T7.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

AUDI A5 2018

Air Bags may Deploy Without Warning or Impact

NHTSA Campaign Number: 17V813000

Manufacturer Bluecar SAS

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 281

Summary

Bluecar SAS (Bluecar) is recalling certain 2016 Bluecar vehicles. While driving, the front driver, passenger, and side curtain air bags may deploy without warning and without a crash occurring.

Remedy

Bluecar has notified the company that owns the vehicles, and the ZF air bag software is being updated, free of charge. The recall began on December 4, 2017. Owners may contact Bluecar customer service at 1-972-757-7251.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

BLUECAR BLUECAR 2016