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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

January 15, 2018

### [Seat Belt May Bind, Causing Slack](#)

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 17V826000

**Manufacturer** Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

**Components** SEAT BELTS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 1,263

#### **Summary**

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC. (MBUSA) is recalling certain model year 2018 Mercedes-Benz AMG GT, AMG GT R, AMG GT C and AMG GT S vehicles. The seat belts may bind within the guidance loops possibly causing slack in the seat belts.

#### **Remedy**

MBUSA will notify owners, and dealers will reconfigure the seat belt guides, free of charge. Owners will be notified of the recall in January 2018 and they will receive a second letter when the parts become available, currently expected to be in February 2018. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-877-496-3691.

## Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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MERCEDES BENZ	AMG GT	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	AMG GT C	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	AMG GT R	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	AMG GT S	2018

## Inflator Component may Detach/FMVSS 214, 226

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 17V837000

**Manufacturer** Nissan North America, Inc.

**Components** AIR BAGS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 111

### Summary

Nissan North America, Inc. (Nissan) is recalling certain 2018 Nissan Versa Note vehicles. During deployment of the side curtain air bag, a component of the air bag inflator may detach. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS) number 214, "Side Impact Protection," and 226, "Ejection Mitigation."

### Remedy

Nissan will notify owners, and dealers will replace the side curtain air bags, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin February 8, 2018. Owners may contact Nissan customer service at 1-800-647-7261.

### Vehicle

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NISSAN	VERSA NOTE	2018
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## Passenger Frontal Air Bag Inflator May Explode

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V022000

**Manufacturer** Ford Motor Company

**Components** AIR BAGS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 2,700

### **Summary**

Ford Motor Company (Ford) is recalling certain 2006 Ford Ranger trucks. Upon deployment of the passenger side frontal air bag, excessive internal pressure may cause the inflator to explode.

### **Remedy**

Ford will notify owners, instructing them not to drive their vehicles. Dealers will replace the passenger's frontal air bag inflator with an alternate inflator, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin January 16, 2018. Owners may contact Ford customer service at 1-866-436-7332. Ford's number for this recall is 18S02.

### **Vehicle**

**MAKE MODEL YEAR**

FORD RANGER 2006

## Driver Side Air Bag Inflator May Explode

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V023000

**Manufacturer** Ford Motor Company

**Components** AIR BAGS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 2,700

### **Summary**

Ford Motor Company (Ford) is recalling certain 2006 Ranger vehicles. Upon deployment of the driver side frontal air bag, excessive internal pressure may cause the inflator to explode.

**Remedy**

Ford will notify owners instructing them to not drive their vehicles, and dealers will replace the front driver side air bag inflator with an alternate inflator, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin January 16, 2018. Owners may contact Ford customer service at 1-866-436-7332. Ford's number for this recall is 18S02.

**Vehicle****MAKE MODEL YEAR**

FORD RANGER 2006