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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

April 16, 2018

Passenger Side Front Air Bag Inflator May Explode

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V220000

Manufacturer Mitsubishi Motors North America, Inc.

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 17,120

Summary

Mitsubishi Motors North America, Inc. (MMNA) is recalling certain 2004-2006 Mitsubishi Lancer vehicles that previously received a like-for-like passenger side frontal air bag inflator under recall 15V321 as interim remedy. Also recalled are 2004-2006 Lancer vehicles located in Guam or Saipan that previously received or never received a new inflator under 15V321 or 17V569. These passenger side frontal air bag inflators may be susceptible to moisture intrusion which, over time, could cause the inflator to explode in the event of an air bag deployment.

Remedy

MMNA will notify owners, and dealers will install a final replacement passenger side frontal air bag inflator, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin April 26, 2018. Owners may contact MMNA customer service at 1-888-648-7820. MMNA's number for this recall is SR-18-005.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

MINI COOPER 2004-2006

Brake Assist Vacuum Pump May Fail

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V211000

Manufacturer Toyota Motor Engineering & Manufacturing

Components SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC

Potential Number of Units Affected 6,046

Summary

Toyota Motor Engineering & Manufacturing (Toyota) is recalling certain 2018 Toyota Camry and Highlander vehicles, 2017 Toyota Sienna and Tacoma vehicles and 2017 Lexus RX350 vehicles. During the manufacturing process, the oil galley in the rotor for the brake booster vacuum pump assembly may have been improperly machined possibly resulting in a sudden loss of brake assist.

Remedy

Toyota will notify owners, and dealers will replace the brake booster vacuum pump, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin May 31, 2018. Owners may contact Toyota customer service at 1-888-270-9371, or Lexus customer service at 1-800-255-3987. Toyota's numbers for this recall are JOK/JLD.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
LEXUS	RX350	2017
TOYOTA	CAMRY	2018
TOYOTA	HIGHLANDER	2018
TOYOTA	SIENNA	2017
TOYOTA	TACOMA	2017

Air Bag Inflator Housing Material Failure

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V208000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 57

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA LLC (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2018 AMG GT, AMG GT C, GLC43 AMG 4Matic, GLC300, GLC300 4Matic and GLC350e 4Matic vehicles. The housing for the Takata driver side air bag inflator may have been made with defective steel. In the event of an air bag deployment, the defective steel may cause the inflator to improperly inflate the driver-side air bag and potentially rupture.

Remedy

MBUSA will notify owners, and dealers will replace the front driver air bag module, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin May 29, 2018. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
MERCEDES BENZ	AMG GT	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	AMG GT C	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	GLC300	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	GLC350E	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	GLC43 AMG	2018

Seatbacks may Not Lock

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V207000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components SEATS

Potential Number of Units Affected 3,088

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2017-2018 C43 AMG 4Matic Coupe, C300 Coupe, C300 4Matic Coupe, C300 4Matic Cabriolet, C300 Cabriolet, C43 AMG 4Matic Cabriolet and C63S AMG Cabriolet, 2017 C63 AMG Cabriolet, C63S AMG Coupe and C63 AMG Coupe, 2018 E400 Coupe and E400 4Matic Coupe vehicles. The seatbacks of the front seats may not properly lock on the right side of the seat.

Remedy

MBUSA will notify owners, and dealers will inspect the locking of the seatbacks, replacing the seatbacks lock, as necessary, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin May 25, 2018. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
MERCEDES BENZ	C300	2017-2018
MERCEDES BENZ	C43 AMG	2017-2018
MERCEDES BENZ	C63 AMG	2017
MERCEDES BENZ	C63S AMG	2017-2018
MERCEDES BENZ	E400	2018

Rear Liftgate May Open Unexpectedly

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V203000

Manufacturer Chrysler (FCA US LLC)

Components STRUCTURE

Potential Number of Units Affected 12,595

Summary

Chrysler (FCA US LLC) is recalling certain 2018 Alfa Romeo Stelvio vehicles. Water may Leak into the wiring connectors for the rear liftgate and the liftgate-opening switch, causing corrosion.

Remedy

Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will install additional protection against water leaking into the liftgate wiring connectors and switch, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin May 18, 2018. Owners may contact Chrysler customer service at 1-800-853-1403. Chrysler's number for this recall is U34.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

ALFA ROMEO STELVIO 2018