



# Automotive Safety Council

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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

April 23, 2018

### [Air Bags/Seat Belt Pretensioners may be Disabled](#)

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V137000

**Manufacturer** Hyundai Motor America

**Components** SEAT BELTS, AIR BAGS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 580,058

#### **Summary**

Hyundai Motor America (Hyundai) is recalling certain 2011-2013 Sonata and 2011-2012 Sonata Hybrid vehicles.

On February 27, 2018, Hyundai Motor Company (Hyundai) notified NHTSA that they were recalling 154,753 model year 2011 Sonata vehicles. On April 18, 2018, Hyundai expanded the recall to include an additional 425,305 model year 2012-2013 Sonata and 2011-2012 Sonata Hybrid vehicles.

In the event of a crash, the air bag control unit (ACU) may short circuit, preventing the frontal air bags, seat belt pretensioners, and side air bags from deploying.

#### **Remedy**

The remedy for this recall is still under development. The recall began on April 20, 2018. Owners may contact Hyundai customer service at 1-855-371-9460. Hyundai's number for this recall is 174.

## **Vehicles**

<b>MAKE</b>	<b>MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>
HYUNDAI	SONATA	2011-2013
HYUNDAI	SONATA HYBRID	2011-2012

## **Rear Outboard Seat Belts may not Restrain Properly**

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V230000

**Manufacturer** General Motors LLC

**Components** SEAT BELTS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 8,738

### **Summary**

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2018 Buick Regal vehicles. During the manufacturing process, the rear seat belts may have been improperly routed around the bolster bracket on the rear outboard seats, which can cause inadequate restraint of the passengers.

### **Remedy**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will inspect the rear outboard seat belts, correcting the routing of the seat belts as necessary, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin June 5, 2018. Owners may contact Buick customer service at 1-800-521-7300. GM's number for this recall is 18117.

### **Vehicle**

**MAKE MODEL YEAR**

BUICK REGAL 2018