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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

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### Driver's Seat Belt Tensioner Cable May Separate

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V291000

**Manufacturer** General Motors LLC

**Components** SEAT BELTS

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 23,004

#### **Summary**

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2015-2016 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 and Tahoe Police Pursuit and Special-Service vehicles. The flexible steel cable connecting the ZF driver's seat belt to the outboard side of the seat may be repeatedly bent over the seat side shield as the driver enters and exits the vehicle causing the cable to fatigue and separate.

#### **Remedy**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will replace the pretensioner cable and seat side-shield, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact Chevrolet customer service at 1-800-222-1020. GM's number for this recall is 18156.

## Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
CHEVROLET	SILVERADO 1500	2015-2016
CHEVROLET	TAHOE	2015-2016

## Fuel Leak in Rollover After Crash/FMVSS 301

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V304000

**Manufacturer** General Motors LLC

**Components** FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 111,966

### Summary

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2016-2018 Chevrolet Cruze LS vehicles, equipped with a gasoline engine and a tire inflator kit instead of a spare tire. The vehicles may leak gasoline following a rear-impact crash and a rollover. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 301, "Fuel System Integrity."

### Remedy

GM will notify owners, and dealers will install a lock-ring on the fuel tank that will shield the fuel tank vapor pressure sensor from damage in a rear-impact crash, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact Chevrolet customer service at 1-800-222-1020. GM's number for this recall is 18159.

### Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
CHEVROLET	CRUZE	2016-2018

## Cruise Control Cannot be Cancelled

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V332000

**Manufacturer** Chrysler (FCA US LLC)

**Components** ELECTRICAL SYSTEM, VEHICLE SPEED CONTROL

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 4,846,885

### **Summary**

Chrysler (FCA US LLC) is recalling certain 2014-2018 Dodge Journey, Charger and Durango, RAM 2500, 3500, 3500 Cab Chassis (more than 10,000lb), 4500 Cab Chassis and 5500 Cab Chassis, Jeep Cherokee and Grand Cherokee and Chrysler 300, 2014-2019 RAM 1500, 2015-2018 Dodge Challenger, 2015-2017 Chrysler 200, 2016-2018 RAM 3500 Cab Chassis (less than 10,000 lb), 2017-2018 Chrysler Pacifica and 2018 Jeep Wrangler vehicles. These vehicles are being recalled to address a defect that could prevent the cruise control system from disengaging. If, when using cruise control, there is a short circuit within the vehicle's wiring, the driver may not be able to shut off the cruise control either by depressing the brake pedal or manually turning the system off once it has been engaged, resulting in either the vehicle maintaining its current speed or possibly accelerating.

### **Remedy**

Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will inspect the software, and perform a software flash on the engine or powertrain control module, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin July 6, 2018. Owners may contact Chrysler customer service at 1-800-853-1403. Note: Owners are advised to stop using cruise control until the software update has been performed. In the event that cruise control cannot be disengaged while driving, owners should firmly and steadily apply the brakes and shift the transmission to neutral, placing the vehicle in park once it has stopped.

### **Vehicles**

<b>MAKE</b>	<b>MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>
CHRYSLER	200	2015-2017
CHRYSLER	300	2014-2018
CHRYSLER	PACIFICA	2017-2018
DODGE	CHALLENGER	2015-2018
DODGE	CHARGER	2014-2018
DODGE	DURANGO	2014-2018
DODGE	JOURNEY	2014-2018
JEEP	CHEROKEE	2014-2018
JEEP	GRAND CHEROKEE	2014-2018
JEEP	WRANGLER	2018
RAM	1500	2014-2019
RAM	2500	2014-2018

<b>MAKE</b>	<b>MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>
RAM	3500	2014-2018
RAM	4500	2014-2018
RAM	5500	2014-2018

## Fuel Leak from Fuel Tank/FMVSS 301

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V284000

**Manufacturer** Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

**Components** FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 278

### **Summary**

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain Volkswagen Atlas vehicles. The YAPP USA fuel tank on these vehicles may leak fuel due to a manufacturing error. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 301, "Fuel System Integrity."

### **Remedy**

Volkswagen will notify owners, and dealers will replace the fuel tank, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin June 15, 2018. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 20AW. Note: This recall is an expansion of recall 17V-766.

### **Vehicle**

<b>MAKE</b>	<b>MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>
VOLKSWAGEN	ATLAS	2018

## Lower Control Arm Separation

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 18V279000

**Manufacturer** Chrysler (FCA US LLC)

**Components** SUSPENSION

**Potential Number of Units Affected 2,761**

**Summary**

Chrysler (FCA US LLC) is recalling certain 2018 Jeep Compass vehicles. The Magneti Marelli front lower control arms may be incorrectly welded, potentially resulting in a control arm separation.

**Remedy**

Chrysler will notify owners, and dealers will inspect and, if necessary, replace the front lower control arms, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin June 20, 2018. Owners may contact Chrysler customer service at 1-800-853-1403. Chrysler's number for this recall is U42.

**Vehicle**

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JEEP COMPASS 2018