

NHTSA Recalls of Interest July 30, 2018

Excess Adhesive on Child Seat Anchor/FMVSS 225

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V437000

Manufacturer General Motors LLC

Components SEATS, CHILD SEAT

Potential Number of Units Affected 22.043

Summary

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2016-2018 Cadillac CT6 vehicles. The inboard child seat anchorage bars may have had excess structural adhesive applied during assembly, which can interfere with the installation of a child seat. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 225, "Child Restraint Anchorage Systems."

Remedy

GM will notify owners, and dealers will inspect, remove any excess adhesive, and apply anti-corrosion primer to the inboard child seat anchorage bars, free of charge. The manufacturer has not yet provided a notification schedule. Owners may contact Cadillac customer service at 1-800-458-8006. GM's number for this recall is 18228.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

CADILLAC CT6 2016-2018

Insufficient Coating on Rear Brake Caliper Pistons

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V453000

Manufacturer BMW of North America, LLC

Components SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC

Potential Number of Units Affected 5,594

Summary

BMW of North America, LLC (BMW) is recalling certain 2018-2019 BMW X3 sDrive30i, X3 xDrive30i, X3 M40i and certain 2019 X4 xDrive30i and X4 M40i vehicles. The rear brake caliper pistons on these vehicles may have an insufficient coating, potentially reducing rear brake performance.

Remedy

BMW will notify owners, and dealers will bleed the rear brake circuit, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin August 21, 2018. Owners may contact BMW customer service at 1-800-525-7417.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

BMW X3 2018-2019

BMW X4 2019

Incorrect Speed Limitation Software

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V457000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components VEHICLE SPEED CONTROL, ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Potential Number of Units Affected 20

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC. (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2017 Mercedes-Benz G65 AMG vehicles. These vehicles may be equipped with the incorrect reverse speed limitation software. While in reverse, any abrupt changes in steering while exceeding 16 MPH may cause the vehicle to become unstable.

Remedy

MBUSA will notify owners, and dealers will update the engine control unit (ECU) software, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin July 27, 2018. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

MERCEDES BENZ G65 2017

Key May Be Removed While Not In Park/FMVSS 114

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V464000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components STEERING, ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Potential Number of Units Affected 33,168

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2015-2018 Volkswagen Golf and Golf Sportwagen vehicles. The build of silicate on the shift lever micro switch contacts may enable the key to be removed from the ignition while the vehicle shift lever is not in "Park." As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 114, "Theft Protection and Rollaway Prevention."

Remedy

Volkswagen will notify owners, and dealers will install an additional switch and circuit board, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin September 8, 2018. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 37L5.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

VOLKSWAGEN GOLF

2015-2018

MAKE MODEL YEAR

VOLKSWAGEN GOLF SPORTWAGEN 2015-2018

Brake Light May Not Illuminate

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V441000

Manufacturer Suzuki Motor of America, Inc.

Components EXTERIOR LIGHTING

Potential Number of Units Affected 191

Summary

Suzuki Motor of America, Inc. (Suzuki) is recalling certain 2018 Suzuki DR-Z400S and DR-Z400SM motorcycles. During assembly the resin that fills the rear brake stop lamp switch may have adhered to the internal contacts, which can prevent the brake lamp from illuminating.

Remedy

Suzuki will notify owners, and dealers will install a new stop lamp switch assembly, free of charge. The recall began on July 16, 2018. Owners may contact Suzuki customer service at 1-800-934-0934. Suzuki's number for this recall is 2A84.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

SUZUKI DR-Z400S 2018 SUZUKI DR-Z400SM 2018