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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

October 1, 2018

[Air Bag Trim Separation during Deployment](#)

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V593000

Manufacturer Nissan North America, Inc.

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 1,671

Summary

Nissan North America, Inc. (Nissan) is recalling certain 2019 INFINITI QX50 vehicles. In the event of a crash in very cold temperatures, the trim cover may separate unexpectedly from the Autoliv passenger-side knee air bag module instead of splitting at the trim cover tear seam as designed.

Remedy

INFINITI will notify owners, and retailers will replace the passenger-side knee air bag module, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin October 22, 2018. Owners may contact INFINITI customer service at 1-800-662-6200.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

INFINITI QX50 2019

Damaged Seat Heaters Can Cause Fire

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V595000

Manufacturer General Motors LLC

Components SEATS

Potential Number of Units Affected 53,586

Summary

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2014-2016 Cadillac CTS vehicles, equipped with heated front seats. The flexible heating mats in the front seats may be damaged over time, resulting in the seat heaters producing excessive heat.

Remedy

GM will notify owners, and dealers will recalibrate the body control module, disabling the automatic activation of the heated seat when the vehicle is remotely started, 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 the recall is 18286.

Vehicle

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| CADILLAC | CTS | 2014-2016 |
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System may not Correct for Lane Departure

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V607000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components LANE DEPARTURE

Potential Number of Units Affected 375

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC. (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2018 Mercedes Benz S63 AMG 4MATIC and S65 AMG vehicles. The software calibration for the Active Lane Keeping Assist may be incorrect, and as a result, the system may not intervene in the event of an unintended lane departure while traveling faster than 65 miles an hour.

Remedy

MBUSA will notify owners, and dealers will update the multipurpose camera software, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin October 5, 2018. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372. MBUSA's number for this recall is 2018090008.

Vehicles

| MAKE | MODEL | YEAR |
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| MERCEDES BENZ | S63 AMG | 2018 |
| MERCEDES BENZ | S65 AMG | 2018 |

Passenger Frontal Air Bag Inflator May Explode

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V661000

Manufacturer Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 1,357,311

Summary

Honda (American Honda Motor Co.) is recalling certain 2014 Honda Insight and Acura TSX and TSX Wagon, 2014-2015 Honda Crosstour and Pilot vehicles nationwide, as well as certain 2014 Honda FCX Clarity and Fit EV vehicles in Florida, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Texas, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina, California, American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands (Saipan) and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Honda is also recalling certain 2011-2013 Acura TSX, TSX Wagon and ZDX, Honda Crosstour, Insight, Fit and Pilot vehicles, 2011-2012 Honda Accord and 2011 Honda Civic NGV, Civic, Civic Hybrid and CR-V vehicles in Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.

Lastly, Honda is recalling certain 2010-2013 Acura TSX and ZDX, Honda Crosstour, Fit, Insight and Pilot, 2011-2013 TSX Wagon, 2010-2012 Honda Accord and 2010-2011 Honda Civic NGV, Civic, Civic Hybrid and CR-V vehicles in Alaska, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Iowa, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, New Hampshire, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

These vehicles are equipped with certain air bag inflators assembled as part of the frontal air bag modules, and used as original equipment or replacement equipment (such as after a vehicle crash necessitating replacement of the original air bags), may explode due to propellant degradation occurring after long-term exposure to higher absolute humidity, temperature and temperature cycling.

Remedy

Honda will notify owners, and dealers will replace the passenger frontal air bag inflator, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin November 13, 2018. Owners may contact Honda customer service at 1-888-234-2138. Honda's numbers for this recall are M2J and S2K.

Vehicles

| MAKE | MODEL | YEAR |
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| ACURA | TSX | 2010-2014 |
| ACURA | ZDX | 2010-2013 |
| HONDA | ACCORD | 2010-2012 |
| HONDA | CIVIC | 2010-2011 |
| HONDA | CIVIC HYBRID | 2010-2011 |
| HONDA | CR-V | 2010-2011 |
| HONDA | CROSSTOUR | 2010-2015 |
| HONDA | FCX CLARITY | 2014 |
| HONDA | FIT | 2010-2013 |
| HONDA | FIT EV | 2014 |
| HONDA | INSIGHT | 2010-2014 |
| HONDA | PILOT | 2010-2015 |

Passenger Frontal Air Bag Inflator May Explode

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V662000

Manufacturer Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 57,095

Summary

Honda (American Honda Motor Co.) is recalling certain 2014 Honda Ridgeline vehicles nationwide. Honda is also recalling certain 2011-2012 Acura RL, 2011 Honda Element and 2011-2013 Ridgeline vehicles in Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia.

Lastly, if not included above, Honda is recalling certain 2010-2011 Honda Element, 2010-2012 Acura RL and 2010-2013 Ridgeline vehicles in Alaska, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Iowa, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, New Hampshire, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

These vehicles are equipped with certain air bag inflators assembled as part of the frontal air bag modules, and used as original equipment or replacement equipment (such as after a vehicle crash necessitating replacement of the original air bags), may explode due to propellant degradation occurring after long-term exposure to higher absolute humidity, temperature and temperature cycling.

Remedy

Honda will notify owners, and dealers will replace the passenger frontal air bag inflator, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin November 13, 2018. Owners may contact Honda customer service at 1-888-234-2138. Honda's numbers for this recall are H2H and S2I.

Vehicles

| MAKE | MODEL | YEAR |
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| ACURA | RL | 2010-2012 |
| HONDA | ELEMENT | 2010-2011 |
| HONDA | RIDGELINE | 2010-2014 |

Circuit Board Damage Affecting Lighting Functions

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V582000

Manufacturer Daimler Trucks North America LLC

Components ELECTRICAL SYSTEM, EXTERIOR LIGHTING

Potential Number of Units Affected 12,311

Summary

Daimler Trucks North America LLC (DTNA) is recalling certain 2016-2019 Freightliner Custom Chassis Corporation (FCCC) XBR, XBS, XCR, XCM, XCL, and XCS recreation vehicle chassis. The rear mounted Power Distribution Module (PDM) may have been damaged during manufacturing, possibly resulting in the rear marker lights, brake lights, or turn signals not functioning.

Remedy

The remedy for this recall is still under development. The recall is expected to begin October 29, 2018. Owners may contact DTNA customer service at 1-800-547-0712. DTNA's number for this recall is FL788.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

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| FCCC | XBR | 2016-2019 |
| FCCC | XBS | 2016-2019 |
| FCCC | XCL | 2016-2019 |
| FCCC | XCM | 2016-2019 |
| FCCC | XCR | 2016-2019 |
| FCCC | XCS | 2016-2019 |