

NHTSA Recalls of Interest December 17, 2018

Loss of Electric Power Steering Assist

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V840000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components STEERING

Potential Number of Units Affected 7

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2019 GLC300 vehicles. An internal Bosch sensor within the electric power steering unit may fail, deactivating the power steering assist.

Remedy

MBUSA will notify owners, and dealers will replace the steering unit, free of charge. An interim letter will be mailed beginning

January 25, 2019 to notify owners of the issue. A second letter will be mailed once remedy parts are available. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

MERCEDES BENZ GLC300 2019

Brake Line Corrosion may Affect Brake Performance

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V841000

Manufacturer Porsche Cars North America, Inc.

Components SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC

Potential Number of Units Affected 112

Summary

Porsche Cars North America, Inc. (Porsche) is recalling certain 2018 Porsche Panamera Turbo S Hybrid Executive, Panamera 4 Hybrid, Panamera Turbo S Hybrid, Panamera 4 Hybrid Executive, Panamera 4 Hybrid Sport Turismo, and Panamera Turbo S Hybrid Sport Turismo vehicles. The TI Automotive brake lines installed on the front axle may corrode over time. Corrosion inside the line may affect the front braking performance.

Remedy

Porsche will notify owners, and dealers will replace the brake line, and any damaged brake components, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin January 27, 2019. Owners may contact Porsche customer service at 1-800-767-7243. Porsche's number for this recall is AJ11.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

PORSCHE PANAMERA 2018

Pillar Mounting Holes Incorrect Size/FMVSS 214 226

In the event of a crash, if the curtain air bag does not deploy as intended, it can increase the risk of injury.

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V848000

Manufacturer Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)

Components STRUCTURE

Potential Number of Units Affected 403

Summary

Honda (American Honda Motor Co.) is recalling certain 2019 Honda Ridgeline and Pilot vehicles. The mounting holes for the clip that secures the right center pillar trim panel may be larger than intended. In the event of a crash necessitating right side curtain air bag deployment, the clip may not hold the center pillar trim

panel in position and it may potentially interfere with the curtain air bag deployment. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 214, "Side Impact Protection," and 226, "Ejection Mitigation."

Remedy

Honda will notify owners, and dealers will install a bracket on the right center pillar that will securely hold the center pillar trim clip, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin January 25, 2019. Owners may contact Honda customer service at 1-888-234-2138. Honda's number for this recall is D3D.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

HONDA PILOT 2019 HONDA RIDGELINE 2019