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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

February 25, 2019

Passenger Airbag may not Deploy Properly/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V905000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 779

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2018-2019 Mercedes-Benz GLC63 AMG Coupe, GLC63S AMG Coupe, and GLC63 vehicles. In the event of a crash, the frontal air bag may have a delayed deployment for certain unbelted front seat passengers. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 208, "Occupant Crash Protection."

Remedy

MBUSA has notified owners, and dealers will update the air bag control unit software parameters, free of charge. An interim letter was mailed to owners on February 8, 2019 to notify them of the issue. A second notification will be sent when the remedy is available. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
MERCEDES BENZ	GLC63	2018-2019
MERCEDES BENZ	GLC63 AMG	2018-2019
MERCEDES BENZ	GLC63S AMG	2018-2019

Active Steering Assist System May Remain Engaged

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V908000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components STEERING, LANE DEPARTURE

Potential Number of Units Affected 5,754

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC. (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2018 AMG S63 4MATIC coupe, AMG S63 4MATIC sedan, AMG S63 4MATIC Cabriolet, S450 4MATIC sedan, S560 4MATIC coupe, S560 4MATIC sedan, and Maybach S560 4MATIC vehicles. Due to an incorrect steering boot installation, the Active Steering Assist system may remain engaged despite the driver's hands not being on the steering wheel for a prolonged period of time.

Remedy

MBUSA has notified owners, and dealers will inspect the vehicles and correct the steering boot installation, as necessary, free of charge. An interim letter was mailed to owners on February 14, 2019 to notify them of the issue. A second notification will be sent when the remedy is available. Owners may contact Mercedes Benz customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL YEAR	
MERCEDES BENZ	S450	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	S560	2018
MERCEDES BENZ	S63 AMG	2018
MERCEDES-MAYBACH	S560	2018

Active Driving System may not Detect Hands Off

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V910000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components LANE DEPARTURE, STEERING

Potential Number of Units Affected 6,200

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC. (Mercedes) is recalling certain 2018 S450 4MATIC, S560 4MATIC Coupe, S63 AMG 4MATIC Coupe, Maybach S560 4MATIC, S560 4MATIC, S63 AMG and S63 AMG 4MATIC Cabrio vehicles. The Hands-off-Detection system may malfunction, causing the Active Steering Assist system to remain engaged despite the driver's hands not being on the steering wheel for a prolonged period of time.

Remedy

Mercedes has notified owners, and dealers will update the software of the steering control unit, free of charge. An interim letter

was mailed to owners on February 14, 2019 to notify them of the issue. A second notification will be sent when the remedy is

available. Owners may contact Mercedes customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
MERCEDES BENZ	S450	2018-2019
MERCEDES BENZ	S560	2018-2019
MERCEDES BENZ	S63 AMG	2018-2019

Parking Brake may Remain Engaged

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V909000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components PARKING BRAKE, ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Potential Number of Units Affected 675

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA,LLC (Mercedes) is recalling certain 2019 C43 AMG, C43 AMG Cabrio, C43 AMG 4MATIC Coupe, C300 4MATIC, C300 4MATIC Coupe, C300 Coupe, C300 Cabrio, C300 4MATIC Cabrio, and C300 vehicles. After parking and exiting the vehicle, the Electronic Stability Program (ESP) software may prevent the electronic parking brake from being disengaged when returning to the vehicle, unless the ESP system is deactivated.

Remedy

Mercedes has notified owners, and dealers will update the ESP system software, free of charge. The recall began January 29, 2019. Owners may contact Mercedes customer service at 1-800-367-6372. Mercedes' number for this recall is 2018120025.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
MERCEDES BENZ	C300	2019
MERCEDES BENZ	C43 AMG	2019

Sunroof Bonding may Allow Water to Leak in

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V912000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC.

Components VISIBILITY, AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 13

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (Mercedes) is recalling certain 2018-2019 GLA250 and GLA250 4MATIC vehicles. The sunroof bonding may allow water to leak into the vehicle.

Remedy

Mercedes has notified owners, and dealers will inspect the bonding of the panorama sliding sunroof and the electrical contacts of the window air bag on the affected vehicles, replacing the components as necessary, free of charge. An interim letter was mailed February 13, 2019, to notify owners of the issue. A second letter will be sent once the repair is available. Owners may contact Mercedes customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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MERCEDES BENZ	GLA250	2018-2019
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Incorrect or Missing Air Bag label/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V918000

Manufacturer BMW of North America, LLC

Components EQUIPMENT

Potential Number of Units Affected 11

Summary

BMW of North America, LLC (BMW) is recalling certain 2019 BMW X5 xDrive40i and X5 xDrive50i vehicles. The driver and/or passenger sun visor may have an incorrect air bag warning label, or the label may be missing. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) number 208, "Occupant crash protection."

Remedy

BMW notified owners, and dealers will inspect the driver and passenger sun visor, replacing the visors as necessary, free of charge. The recall began January 4, 2019. Owners may contact BMW customer service at 1-800-525-7417.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

BMW X5 2019

Camera Image may not Display/FMVSS 111

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V935000

Manufacturer Subaru of America, Inc.

Components VISIBILITY

Potential Number of Units Affected 71,190

Summary

Subaru of America, Inc. (Subaru) is recalling certain 2018 Legacy, Outback, and BRZ vehicles. In the affected vehicles, a software issue may cause the audio display system to not initialize, resulting in the camera display remaining blank. If this occurs, the rearview image will not display while backing up the vehicle. As a result, the vehicles fail to comply with requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety (FMVSS) number 111, "Rearview Mirrors."

Remedy

Subaru has notified owners, and dealers will reprogram the audio system display software, free of charge. The recall began on February 5, 2019. Owners may contact Subaru customer service at 1-844-373-6614. Subaru's number for this recall is WTZ-85.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

SUBARU BRZ 2018

SUBARU LEGACY 2018

SUBARU OUTBACK 2018

Vehicle may Move after Clutch Component Fails

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V931000

Manufacturer PACCAR Incorporated

Components POWER TRAIN

Potential Number of Units Affected 25,343

Summary

PACCAR Incorporated (PACCAR) is recalling certain 2018-2019 Peterbilt 337, 348, 365, 367, 389, 567, 579 and 587 trucks and 2018-2019 Kenworth C500, T270, T370, T440, T660, T680, T800, T880 and W900 trucks equipped with automated manual transmissions. An internal component in the clutch assembly may fail, possibly resulting in unintended vehicle movement.

Remedy

PACCAR will notify owners, and dealers will update the transmission control module, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin in February 2019. Owners may contact PACCAR customer service at 1-918-259-3258. PACCAR's numbers for this recall are 18PBE and 18KWH.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
KENWORTH	C500	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T270	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T370	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T440	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T660	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T680	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T800	2018-2019
KENWORTH	T880	2018-2019
KENWORTH	W900	2018-2019
PETERBILT	337	2018-2019
PETERBILT	348	2018-2019
PETERBILT	365	2018-2019
PETERBILT	367	2018-2019
PETERBILT	389	2018-2019
PETERBILT	567	2018-2019
PETERBILT	579	2018-2019
PETERBILT	587	2018-2019

Blown Ignition Fuse can Cause an Engine Shutdown

NHTSA Campaign Number: 18V929000

Manufacturer Daimler Trucks North America LLC

Components ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Potential Number of Units Affected 40

Summary

Daimler Trucks North America LLC (DTNA) is recalling certain 2019-2020 Thomas Built Saf-T-Liner C2 buses equipped with an optional auxiliary outlet powered by the ignition and accessory power circuits. An electrical overload on the auxiliary circuit may cause the ignition fuse to open and the engine to shut down.

Remedy

DTNA has notified owners, and dealers will modify the wiring to prevent the power port from affecting the ignition circuit, free of charge. DTNA mailed owners an interim letter on February 1, 2019 to notify them of the issue and will mail a second notification when the remedy is available. Owners may contact Daimler Trucks North America customer service at 1-800-547-0712. DTNA's number for this recall is FL-804.

Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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THOMAS BUILT BUSES	SAF-T-LINER C2	2019-2020
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