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## NHTSA Recalls of Interest

October 19, 2020

### Sensor Contamination in Electronic Brake Boost

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 20V588000

**Manufacturer** General Motors LLC

**Components** SERVICE BRAKES

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 3,317

#### **Summary**

General Motors LLC (GM) is recalling certain 2020 Chevrolet Corvette and Cadillac CT4, CT5 and XT4, 2021 Chevrolet Trailblazer, and 2020-2021 Buick Encore GX vehicles. Sensor connection contamination in the electronic brake boost system may cause an interruption of communication between the sensor and the brake boost system.

#### **Remedy**

GM will notify owners, and dealers will replace the electronic brake boost module, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin November 9, 2020. Owners may contact Chevrolet customer service at 1-800-630-2438, Cadillac customer service at 1-800-333-4223, or Buick customer service at 1-800-521-7300. GM's number for this recall is A202307260.

## Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
BUICK	ENCORE GX	2020-2021
CADILLAC	CT4	2020
CADILLAC	CT5	2020
CADILLAC	XT4	2020
CHEVROLET	CORVETTE	2020
CHEVROLET	TRAILBLAZER	2021

## Engine can be Started while being Worked On

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 20V597000

**Manufacturer** Volvo Bus Corporation

**Components** ENGINE, ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 10

### Summary

Volvo Bus Corporation (Volvo Bus) is recalling certain 2020 9700 buses. The driver may be able to start the bus even if the starter disabling switch in the engine compartment has been activated, such as during servicing.

### Remedy

Volvo Bus will notify owners, and will provide a service document describing how to connect and upload the new engine software, free of charge. The recall is expected to begin October 30, 2020. Owners may contact Volvo Bus customer service at 1-800-463-7738. Volvo Bus's number for this recall is SR20-87.

### Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
VOLVO BUS	9700	2020

## Debris in Hybrid Battery may Cause Fire

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 20V601000

**Manufacturer** BMW of North America, LLC

**Components** ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 4,509

### Summary

BMW of North America, LLC (BMW) is recalling certain 2020-2021 530e, 530e xDrive, 530e iPerformance and X3 xDrive30e and MINI Cooper Countryman All4 SE, 2020 BMW i8, and 2021 330e, 330e xDrive, 745Le xDrive and X5 xDrive45e vehicles. Debris may have entered one or more of the hybrid battery cells during their production.

### Remedy

The remedy is currently being developed. Until the remedy is available, drivers will be instructed to not charge their vehicles. Drivers will also be instructed to not drive in manual mode, sport mode, and to not use the shift paddles. The recall is expected to begin November 23, 2020. Owners may contact BMW customer service at 1-800-525-7417.

### Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
BMW	330E	2021
BMW	530E	2020-2021
BMW	745LE	2021
BMW	I8	2020
BMW	X3	2020-2021
BMW	X5	2021
MINI	COUNTRYMAN	2020-2021

## Lithium-Ion Battery May Short Circuit

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 20V630000

**Manufacturer** Hyundai Motor America

**Components** ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

**Potential Number of Units Affected** 6,707

### Summary

Hyundai Motor America (Hyundai) is recalling certain 2019-2020 Kona Electric vehicles. The lithium-ion (Li-ion) battery may short-circuit after it is fully charged.

## **Remedy**

Hyundai will notify owners, and dealers will update the Battery Management System (BMS) software and inspect the Li-ion battery, replacing it if necessary, free of charge. Owners are advised to park their vehicles outside and away from structures until the repair is complete. The recall is expected to begin December 11, 2020. Owners may contact Hyundai customer service at 1-855-371-9460. Hyundai's number for this recall is 196.

## **Vehicle**

<b>MAKE</b>	<b>MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>
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HYUNDAI	KONA ELECTRIC	2019-2020
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