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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

April 18, 2022

[Pedestrian Warning Sound May Be Obscured/FMVSS 141](#)

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V235000

Manufacturer Tesla, Inc.

Components ELECTRICAL SYSTEM, FORWARD COLLISION AVOIDANCE

Potential Number of Units Affected 594,717

Summary

Tesla, Inc. (Tesla) is recalling certain 2020-2022 Model Y, Model X, Model S, and 2017-2022 Model 3 vehicles. The Boombox function allows sounds to be played through an external speaker while the vehicle is in motion, which may obscure the Pedestrian Warning System (PWS) sounds. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 141, "Minimum Sound Requirements for Hybrid and Electric Vehicles."

Remedy

Tesla will perform an over-the-air (OTA) software update that will disable the Boombox functionality when the vehicle is in Drive, Neutral and Reverse modes, including Summon and Smart Summon, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed June 6, 2022. Owners may contact Tesla customer service at 1-877-798-3752. Tesla's number for this recall is SB-22-00-003. Note: This recall supersedes recall 22V-063. Vehicles configured with Summon or Smart Summon and already remedied under 22V-063 will need to have the new remedy software installed.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

TESLA MODEL 3 2017-2022
TESLA MODEL S 2020-2022
TESLA MODEL X 2020-2022
TESLA MODEL Y 2020-2022

Side Air Bags May Deploy Improperly/FMVSS 226

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V233000

Manufacturer Tesla, Inc.

Components AIR BAGS

Potential Number of Units Affected 7,289

Summary

Tesla, Inc. (Tesla) is recalling certain 2021-2022 Model X vehicles. The left or right front-row side curtain air bags may not deploy as intended when the windows are lowered. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 226, "Ejection Mitigation."

Remedy

Tesla Service Centers will replace the left and right front-row side curtain air bags, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed June 7, 2022. Owners may contact Tesla customer service at 1-877-798-3752. Tesla's number for this recall is SB-22-20-003.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

TESLA MODEL X 2021-2022

Insufficiently Attached Spoiler May Separate

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V226000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components STRUCTURE

Potential Number of Units Affected 6,553

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2022 Tiguan and 2018-2021 Tiguan long wheel base (LWB) vehicles. Due to incorrect installation instructions, the accessory rear hatch spoiler may be insufficiently attached to the vehicle.

Remedy

Dealers will replace the spoiler, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed June 3, 2022. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 66N5.

Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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VOLKSWAGEN	TIGUAN	2018-2022
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Incorrect Child Seat Anchorage Symbol/FMVSS 225

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V224000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components CHILD SEAT

Potential Number of Units Affected 466

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Audi) is recalling certain 2022 A3 Sedan and S3 Sedan vehicles. The child seat anchorage fitting sleeves are incorrectly marked with a different symbol than the one described in the owner's manual. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 225, "Child Restraint Anchorage Systems."

Remedy

Dealers will replace all four fitting sleeves, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed June 3, 2022. Owners may contact Audi customer service at 1-800-253-2834. Audi's number for this recall is 72M7.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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AUDI	A3	2022
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AUDI	S3	2022
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ABS Modulation Valve Wired Incorrectly

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V216000

Manufacturer Autocar, LLC

Components SERVICE BRAKES, AIR

Potential Number of Units Affected 535

Summary

Autocar LLC (Autocar) is recalling certain 2021-2022 Xpeditor ACX vehicles. The Anti-Lock Brake System (ABS) modulation valve may be wired incorrectly.

Remedy

Dealers will repair or replace the ABS wiring harness, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed on May 30, 2022. Owners may contact Autocar's customer service at 1-888-218-3611 or 1-877-973-3486. Autocar's number for this recall is ACX-2201.

Vehicle

MAKE MODEL YEAR

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