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NHTSA Recalls of Interest

April 4, 2022

Seat Not Secured Properly/FMVSS 225

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V181000

Manufacturer Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)

Components SEATS

Potential Number of Units Affected 1,160

Summary

Chrysler (FCA US, LLC) is recalling certain 2021-2022 Pacifica and 2021 Voyager vehicles. The second-row seat-to-floor mounting latch may bind and stick open, preventing the seat from properly securing to the floor. 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 inspect and, if necessary, replace the second-row seat cushion frame, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 13, 2022. Owners may contact FCA US, LLC customer service at 1-800-853-1403. FCA US LLC's number for this recall is Z22.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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CHRYSLER	PACIFICA	2021-2022
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CHRYSLER	VOYAGER	2021
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Tether Weld Missing From Seat Back Frame/FMVSS 225

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V180000

Manufacturer Chrysler (FCA US, LLC)

Components CHILD SEAT, SEATS

Potential Number of Units Affected 4,586

Summary

Chrysler (FCA US, LLC) is recalling certain 2021-2022 Jeep Grand Cherokee L vehicles. These vehicles may have been built with a missing weld from the seat back frame to the child seat tether anchorage. 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 inspect and, if necessary, replace the second-row seat back frame, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 13, 2022. Owners may contact FCA US, LLC customer service at 1-800-853-1403. FCA US LLC's number for this recall is Z24.

Vehicle

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
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JEEP	GRAND CHEROKEE	2021-2022
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Software Error May Deactivate Control Panel

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V190000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC

Components ELECTRICAL SYSTEM, COMMUNICATION

Potential Number of Units Affected 8

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2022 EQS 450 and EQS 580 vehicles. A software error may cause the overhead control panel to become permanently deactivated.

Remedy

Dealers will update the overhead control panel software, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 24, 2022. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL YEAR
MERCEDES-BENZ	EQS450 2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	EQS580 2022

Incorrectly Installed Seat Belt Assembly/FMVSS 208

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V177000

Manufacturer Bentley Motors, Inc.

Components SEAT BELTS

Potential Number of Units Affected 25

Summary

Bentley Motors, Inc. (Bentley) is recalling certain 2020-2022 Continental GT Convertible, Continental GT, and 2021-2022 Flying Spur vehicles. The front seat belt assemblies may have been incorrectly installed, resulting in the front passenger seat missing the automatic locking retractor (ALR). As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 208, "Occupant Crash Protection."

Remedy

Dealers will inspect and, if necessary, replace the affected seat belt, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 16, 2022. Owners may contact Bentley customer service at 1-800-777-6923. Bentley's number for this recall is RE22/08 (RC34).

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
BENTLEY	CONTINENTAL GT	2020-2022
BENTLEY	FLYING SPUR	2021-2022

Steering Wheel Hands-Off Detection Software Error

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V189000

Manufacturer Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC

Components STEERING

Potential Number of Units Affected 8,396

Summary

Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC (MBUSA) is recalling certain 2021-2022 C-Class, E-Class, S-Class, SL, EClass Coupe/Convertible, CLS, AMG GT 4-doors Coupe, and EQS vehicles with a heated leather steering wheel. Due to a software error in the hand detection control unit, the hands-off detection might not detect when the driver's hands are away from the steering wheel when using the Active Distance Assist DISTRONIC system.

Remedy

Dealers will update the hand detection control unit software for the DISTRONIC system, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 20, 2022. Owners may contact MBUSA customer service at 1-800-367-6372.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG CLS53	2021
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG E53	2021-2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG E63S	2021
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG EQS	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG GT43	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG GT53	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG GT63 S	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG SL55	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	AMG SL63	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	C300	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	CLS450	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	E350	2021-2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	E450	2021-2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	EQS450	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	EQS580	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	S500	2022
MERCEDES-BENZ	S580	2021-2022

Trailer Brakes May Fail

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V193000

Manufacturer Ford Motor Company

Components ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Potential Number of Units Affected 391,836

Summary

Ford Motor Company (Ford) is recalling certain 2021-2022 F-150, 2022 Maverick, Expedition, Lincoln Navigator, F-250, F-350, F-450, and F-550 vehicles. Due to a software error, a towed trailer equipped with an electric or electric-over hydraulic brake system may not brake.

Remedy

Dealers will update the integrated trailer brake control module software, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed April 18, 2022. Owners may contact Ford customer service at 1-866-436-7332. Ford's number for this recall is 22S17.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
FORD	EXPEDITION	2022
FORD	F-150	2021-2022
FORD	F-250 SD	2022
FORD	F-350 SD	2022
FORD	F-450 SD	2022
FORD	F-550 SD	2022
FORD	MAVERICK	2022
LINCOLN	NAVIGATOR	2022

Rear Suspension Knuckle May Break

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V176000

Manufacturer Volkswagen Group of America, Inc.

Components SUSPENSION

Potential Number of Units Affected 10,119

Summary

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. (Volkswagen) is recalling certain 2022 Tiguan, Taos, and 2021 Tiguan long wheel base (LWB) vehicles. The left or right rear suspension knuckles may corrode, crack, and break.

Remedy

Dealers will inspect and, if necessary, replace one or both rear suspension knuckles, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 20, 2022. Owners may contact Volkswagen customer service at 1-800-893-5298. Volkswagen's number for this recall is 42L8.

Vehicles

MAKE MODEL YEAR

VOLKSWAGEN TAOS 2022
VOLKSWAGEN TIGUAN 2021-2022

Trunk Emergency Release May Fail/FMVSS 401

NHTSA Campaign Number: 22V196000

Manufacturer Hyundai Motor America

Components LATCHES/LOCKS/LINKAGES

Potential Number of Units Affected 63,461

Summary

Hyundai Motor America (Hyundai) is recalling certain 2020 Sonata and Sonata Hybrid, and 2019 Genesis G70 vehicles. The trunk latch may become damaged, preventing the opening of the trunk from the inside. As such, these vehicles fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard number 401, "Internal Trunk Release."

Remedy

Dealers will inspect the trunk latch and replace the trunk latch base, as necessary, free of charge. Owner notification letters are expected to be mailed May 20, 2022. Owners may contact Hyundai customer service at 1-855-371-9460. Hyundai's number for this recall is 221/010G.

Vehicles

MAKE	MODEL	YEAR
GENESIS	G70	2019
HYUNDAI	SONATA	2020
HYUNDAI	SONATA HYBRID	2020