



Automotive Safety Council

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NHTSA Recalls of Interest March 6, 2012

Report Date :**March 6, 2012 at 01:14 AM**
NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number:**12V079000**

Vehicle Make / Model:

INFINITI / Q45

Manufacturer: NISSAN NORTH AMERICA, INC.

NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 12V079000

Model Year(s):

2003-2005

Mfr's Report Date: FEB 20, 2012

NHTSA Action Number: EA09005

Component: AIR BAGS:FRONTAL:DRIVER SIDE INFLATOR MODULE

Potential Number of Units Affected:

Summary:

NISSAN IS RECALLING CERTAIN MODEL YEAR 2003-2005 INFINITI Q45 VEHICLES. A WIRING CONNECTOR FOR THE SEAT MOUNTED AIRBAG MAY EXPERIENCE INCREASED ELECTRICAL RESISTANCE, RESULTING IN THE NON-DEPLOYMENT OF THE SIDE AIR BAGS.

Consequence:

NON-DEPLOYMENT OF SIDE AIR BAGS COULD INCREASE THE RISK OF PERSONAL INJURY.

Remedy:

NISSAN WILL NOTIFY OWNERS, AND DEALERS WILL MODIFY THE WIRING CONNECTOR, FREE OF CHARGE. THE SAFETY RECALL IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN ON OR ABOUT MARCH 12, 2012. OWNERS MAY CONTACT NISSAN CUSTOMER SERVICE AT 1-800-647-7261.

Report Date :**March 6, 2012 at 01:15 AM**
NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number:**12V075000**

Vehicle Make / Model:

VOLVO / S60

VOLVO / S80

VOLVO / XC60

VOLVO / XC70

Manufacturer: VOLVO CARS OF N.A. LLC.

NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 12V075000

Model Year(s):

2012

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Mfr's Report Date: FEB 27, 2012

NHTSA Action Number: N/A

Component: ELECTRICAL SYSTEM:WIRING

Potential Number of Units Affected: 17,000

Summary:

VOLVO IS RECALLING CERTAIN MODEL YEAR 2012 S60, XC60, S80 AND XC70 VEHICLES MANUFACTURED FROM MAY 16, 2011, THROUGH OCTOBER 6, 2011. IN THESE VEHICLES, THE WIRE HARNESS UNDER THE FRONT SEATS MAY HAVE NOT BEEN ATTACHED PROPERLY TO THE SEAT FRAME. AS A RESULT, WHEN THE SEATS ARE MOVED TO ADJUST THE SEATING POSITION, THE WIRE HARNESS MAY GET PULLED, CAUSING IT TO DISCONNECT.

Consequence:

IN THE EVENT OF CRASH, THE FRONT AND/OR SIDE IMPACT AIR BAGS MAY DEPLOY IMPROPERLY OR NOT AT ALL, INCREASING THE RISK OF INJURY. ALSO, THE LAP BELT PRETENSIONER MAY NOT DEPLOY.

Remedy:

VOLVO WILL NOTIFY OWNERS, AND DEALERS WILL INSPECT AND, IF NECESSARY, SECURE THE SEAT WIRE HARNESS. THIS SERVICE WILL BE PERFORMED FREE OF CHARGE. THE SAFETY RECALL IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN ON MARCH 30, 2012. OWNERS MAY CONTACT VOLVO CARS AT 1-800-458-1552.

Report Date :**March 6, 2012 at 01:16 AM**
NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number:**12V071000**

Vehicle Make / Model:

TIFFIN / BUS

TIFFIN / ZEPHYR

Manufacturer: TIFFIN MOTORHOMES, INC.

NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 12V071000

Model Year(s):

2009-2010

2009-2011 2013

Mfr's Report Date: FEB 24, 2012

NHTSA Action Number: N/A

Component: VEHICLE SPEED CONTROL:CRUISE CONTROL

Potential Number of Units Affected: 181

Summary:

TIFFIN IS RECALLING CERTAIN MODEL YEAR 2009-2010 BUS, AS WELL AS CERTAIN 2009-2011 AND 2013 ZEPHYR RECREATIONAL VEHICLE CHASSIS EQUIPPED WITH AN ELECTRONIC CONTROL MODULE, PART NUMBER 2791-NN2E-001 OR 2791-NN2E-002. WHEN THE BRAKE IS APPLIED, THE CRUISE CONTROL MAY NOT CANCEL. ADDITIONALLY, THESE VEHICLES MAY EXHIBIT AN INADVERTENT, MODERATE INCREASE IN VEHICLE SPEED UNTIL THE VEHICLE REACHES ITS GOVERNED SPEED AFTER THE CRUISE CONTROL IS SET.

Consequence:

A DRIVER MAY EXPERIENCE REDUCED CONTROL OF THE VEHICLE IF EITHER THE DRIVER ATTEMPTS TO CANCEL THE CRUISE CONTROL BY APPLYING THE BRAKE OR THE VEHICLE SPEED INCREASES AND THE DRIVER IS UNAWARE OF THE INCREASED SPEED, INCREASING THE RISK OF A CRASH.

Remedy:

TIFFIN WILL NOTIFY OWNERS, AND DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE STEERING WHEEL SWITCH AND REPROGRAM THE MODULE, FREE OF CHARGE. TIFFIN HAS NOT PROVIDED A NOTIFICATION SCHEDULE. OWNERS MAY CONTACT TIFFIN AT 256-356-8661.