



U.S. Department of Transportation

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

**DOT Auto Safety Hotline**  
**Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire**  
**To Report Vehicle Safety Defects**  
**1-888-DASH-2-DOT**  
**(1-888-327-4236)**  
**INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline**

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**OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)**

Name

Address

City

KERSEY

State

PA

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

Evening Telephone Number

E-mail Address

The information you provide will be used to identify potential safety-related defects. We may share your information with the applicable vehicle manufacturer during an investigation or recall in accordance with the routine uses described in the agency's Privacy Act notice. See 49 FR 53971 (Sep. 3, 2004).

**VEHICLE INFORMATION**

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side  
1GYFK63838R

Make  
CADILLAC

Model  
ESCALADE

Model Year  
2008

Date Purchased

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Engine:  
No: Cylinders 8

Fuel Type:  
GAS

Original Owner

Dealer's City

State

Zip Code

Transmission Type

Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

Multiple Failure:

Incident Date(s)

AUTOMATIC

Cruise Control

V8 6.2 AWD

27-MAY-2016

**FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION**

Vehicle Component Code: 140000 AIR BAGS

TAKATA AIR BAG, PASSENGER, NEEDS REPLACED.  
- DEFECTIVE - RECALL # 49152

Failure Mileage

Failure Speed

**ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE**

Tire Make

Tire Model (Name or Number)

Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)

DOT No. (Example: DOTM19ABC036)

Original Equipment  
 Prior Repair

Failure Location:

Tire Component Code

Tire Failure Type:

**ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE**

Make:

Date Manufactured:

Model No./Name:

Seat Type:

Installation System:

Child Seat Component Code:

Failed Part:

**APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION**

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies).)

Crash

Fire

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

Yes  No

Yes  No

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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

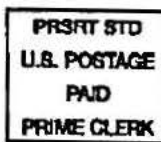
Please describe (1) events leading up to the failure, (2) failure and its consequences, and (3) what was done to correct the failure; i.e. parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available).

TL\* TAKATA RECALL. THE CONTACT OWNS A 2008 CADILLAC ESCALADE. THE CONTACT RECEIVED NOTIFICATION OF NHTSA CAMPAIGN NUMBER: 16V383000 (AIR BAGS); HOWEVER, THE PARTS TO DO THE REPAIR WERE UNAVAILABLE. THE CONTACT STATED THAT THE MANUFACTURER EXCEEDED A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF TIME FOR THE RECALL REPAIR. THE CONTACT CALLED JOHNSON MOTORS AT (877) 816-0659 (1891 BLINKER PKWY, DUBOIS, PA 15801) WHERE IT WAS CONFIRMED THAT THE PARTS WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR THE RECALL REMEDY. THE MANUFACTURER WAS NOTIFIED OF THE ISSUE AND WAS NOT ABLE TO CONFIRM WHEN THE PARTS WERE TO BECOME AVAILABLE. THE CONTACT HAD NOT EXPERIENCED A FAILURE. VIN TOOL CONFIRMS PARTS NOT AVAILABLE/PARTS DISTRIBUTION DISCONNECT.

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY.

The Privacy Act of 1974-Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a Manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.



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**IMPORTANT LEGAL NOTICE FOR OWNERS OF VEHICLES WITH TAKATA AIRBAG INFLATORS**

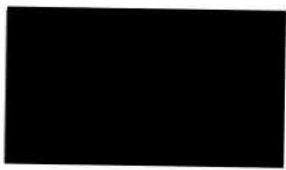
*- This Notice was authorized by a federal court. Read it carefully.  
Your rights are at stake. -*

**Why have I received this notice?** TK Holdings Inc. and certain of its affiliates listed on the reverse side of this notice (collectively, the "Debtors") have filed chapter 11 bankruptcy cases in the United States. The Debtors are subsidiaries of Takata Corporation, a Japanese corporation engaged in the manufacture and sale of airbag inflators and other automotive components. Takata Corporation and its worldwide affiliates (including the Debtors) are referred to collectively as "Takata." Takata Corporation has filed a bankruptcy proceeding in Japan. This notice relates only to the Debtors located in the U.S. and Mexico.

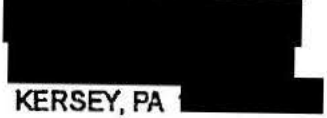
You have been identified as the current or former registered owner of a vehicle with one or more Takata-manufactured airbag inflators containing phase-stabilized ammonium nitrate propellant ("PSAN Inflators"), which are or may be defective and could rupture, creating a risk of personal injury or death. This notice sets forth the deadline for asserting claims against the Debtors in the U.S. bankruptcy proceedings and provides other important deadlines and information about the chapter 11 cases. **If your vehicle contains a defective or potentially defective airbag inflator and is under recall, contact your nearest dealership immediately to schedule a free repair.**

**Do I have a claim against the Debtors?** You (or, in the case of a wrongful-death claim, the estate you represent) may have claims against the Debtors, including for monetary loss, personal injury, or death (in each case, whether past or future) on account of your current or past ownership of a vehicle containing a PSAN Inflator regardless of whether such PSAN Inflator is subject to a recall or has already been repaired or you have thus far suffered no loss, injury, or death on account of your PSAN Inflator (as such claims may be deemed to have accrued before the Debtors filed for bankruptcy). *To assert a claim, you must file a proof of claim by the deadline and in accordance with the instructions on the reverse side of this notice. If you fail to do so, your claim may be barred and you may receive no recovery.*

- What else should I do?** The Debtors strongly recommend that you:
- Carefully review this notice, including the reverse side, in its entirety.
  - Please visit [www.AirbagRecall.com](http://www.AirbagRecall.com) or call 1.888.327.4236 for more information about obtaining free replacement airbags.
  - Register your email address at [TKRestructuring.com/PPIC](http://TKRestructuring.com/PPIC). You will receive no further notices in the chapter 11 cases unless you do so and may miss important information.
  - Call 833-619-7579 (U.S. toll-free) or 920-238-6810 (international), email [tkppic@primeclerk.com](mailto:tkppic@primeclerk.com), or visit [TKRestructuring.com/PPIC](http://TKRestructuring.com/PPIC) if you have questions.
  - Contact an attorney for legal advice concerning the chapter 11 cases.



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Visit [www.AirbagRecall.com](http://www.AirbagRecall.com) to see if you're at risk of injury or death, or call 1.888.327.4236 for more information about the safety of your vehicle.



# IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

July 2016

[REDACTED]  
Kersey, PA [REDACTED]

This notice applies to your vehicle, VIN: 1GYFK63838R [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Takata Corporation ("Takata") has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain GM 2008 model year Cadillac Escalade vehicles. This is based upon Takata's decision that front passenger airbag inflators it supplied to GM are defective. Accordingly, GM will conduct a recall of its airbag inflators covered by Takata's defect information report, unless GM is able to prove to NHTSA's satisfaction that the inflators in its vehicles do not pose an unreasonable risk to safety.

## IMPORTANT

- Your vehicle is involved in GM recall 49152.
- The vehicle is presently safe to drive.
- There is no need to take action now. You will be notified when parts are available to remedy your vehicle.

**Why is your vehicle being recalled?**

The propellant in some types of Takata airbag inflators can degrade over time, especially after long term exposure in hot and humid regions. If the propellant degrades to a certain level, the inflators may rupture during deployment, causing serious or fatal injuries.

**What will we do?**

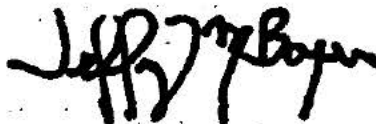
You will be notified when there are parts available to remedy your vehicle. You can also check the status of this recall at [my.gm.com/recalls](http://my.gm.com/recalls).

**Do you have questions?**

GM considers your vehicle safe to drive. If you have questions or concerns that your dealer is unable to resolve, please contact the Cadillac Customer Assistance Center at 1.800.458.8006 (TTY 1.800.833.2622).

If you are still not satisfied after contacting your dealer and the Customer Assistance Center, you may wish to write the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590, or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1.888.327.4236 (TTY 1.800.424.9153), or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Campaign ID Number for this recall is 16V383.

Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.



Jeffrey M. Boyer  
Vice President  
Global Vehicle Safety

GM Recall Number 49152

Hi:

I Bought this car from  
Stoltz Motors of St Marys  
in 2012 used with  
39,000 miles on it

But

Stoltz is a FORD  
Dealer and my closest  
CADILLAC Dealer where  
I go for Service is  
is Johnson's Motors  
in Du Bois, Penna.

talked to Dave, the  
shop mgr about Recall  
But got no where  
on correcting Recall  
Notice?

If DOT Notifies a  
Person of a Recall, It  
Should Be Corrected  
Before something happens.

