

TOYOTA

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April 11, 2017

Mr. Jeffrey Giuseppe
Acting Associate Administrator for Enforcement
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
Attn: Recall Management Division (NEF-100)
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE
Washington, D.C. 20590

Re: Foreign Safety Recall/Other Safety Campaign Report
Certain Toyota Vehicles

Dear Mr. Giuseppe:

In accordance with 49 CFR 579.12, attached is a copy of our Foreign Safety Recall/Other Safety Campaign Report for the subject vehicles.

Should you have any questions about this report, please contact me directly.

Sincerely,



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Vice President
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Enclosures
Foreign Safety Recall Report/Other Safety Campaign Report

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Subject: Front Seat Side Airbag Inflator issue on certain Toyota Vehicles

1. Vehicle Manufacturer Name:

Toyota Motor Manufacturing Turkey Inc. ["TMMT"]
Toyota Motor Manufacturing UK Ltd. ["TMUK"]

2. Involved Vehicles:

Make/ Car Line	Model Year	Country/Region	Action	Production Period	Number of Vehicles
Toyota / Avensis, Verso	*1	Africa, Europe, Israel, Japan	Safety Recall: Europe and Japan Other Safety Campaign: Other countries	August 2016 through February 2017	Approx. 1,800

*1: Most countries/regions do not use a model year designation.

3. Substantially Similar Vehicles sold in the U.S.:

Model Year/ Make/ Car Line: 2016 Model Year Toyota Scion iM, Scion tC
2017-2018 Model Year Toyota Corolla iM
2016-2018 Model Year Toyota MIRAI, Prius V, Lexus CT

4. Description of Problem:

The subject vehicles are equipped with front seat driver and passenger side airbag assemblies which contain an initiator in the air bag inflator. The initiator may have been manufactured with an incorrect generant mix ratio. If this were to occur, the initiator may not properly ignite. This could result in a non-deployment of the seat side airbag under certain conditions in which it is designed to deploy, increasing the risk of an injury to a front occupant.

5. Description of Corrective Repair Action:

For all involved Verso vehicles, the dealer will replace the driver or the front passenger seat back assembly containing an affected seat side airbag with a new one at no cost. For all involved Avensis vehicles, the dealer will replace the affected driver and/or the front passenger seat side airbag assemblies with new ones at no cost.

6. Determination to Conduct Safety Recall / Other Safety Campaign:

- The determination was made by Toyota Motor Corporation;
- Date of determination : April 5, 2017;
- Date campaign will commence : April 13, 2017

7. Reason the similar vehicles sold in the U.S. are not involved in this safety recall / other safety campaign:

Substantially similar vehicles sold in the U.S. are not equipped with seat side airbags with the affected initiators. None of the involved vehicles have been exported to or sold in the U.S.