

BMW Group

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OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(B)(6)

CERTIFICATE IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIALITY

I, Martin Rapaport, pursuant to the provisions of 49 CFR 512, state as follows:

- (1) I am the Recall Records and Safety Coordination Manager, Safety Engineering and Intelligent Transportation Systems, for BMW of North America, LLC (“BMW”), and I am authorized by BMW to execute this certificate on its behalf.
- (2) I certify that the information marked “Confidential Business Information” attached to BMW’s June 12, 2024 letter is confidential and proprietary and is being submitted with the claim that it is entitled to confidential treatment under 5 U.S.C. §552 (b)(4) and Section 112(e) of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 as amended and implemented in 49 CFR Part 512.
- (3) I hereby request that the information marked “Confidential Business Information” attached to BMW’s June 12, 2024 letter be protected for the time periods identified in the letter.
- (4) This certification is based on the information provided by the responsible BMW personnel who have authority in the normal course of business to release the information for which a claim on confidentiality has been made to ascertain whether such information has ever been released outside BMW.
- (5) Based upon that information, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the information for which BMW has claimed confidential treatment has never been released or become available outside BMW, except to select suppliers pursuant to confidentiality agreements.
- (6) I make no representations beyond those contained in this certificate and, in particular, I make no representations as to whether this information may become available outside BMW because of unauthorized or inadvertent disclosure.
- (7) I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 12th day of June 2024.



Martin Rapaport
Recall Records and Safety Coordination Manager
Safety Engineering and Intelligent Transportation Systems
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