

HINO**TRUCKS**

Safety Recall A3260

Dear Hino Truck Owner:

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

REASON FOR THIS RECALL

Hino Motors Sales U.S.A., Inc. has decided that certain Hino 2005 Model Year vehicles equipped with Manual Transmissions, fail to conform with requirements of the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 108 "Lamps, Reflective devices, and associated equipment." During assembly the Neutral Switch and a Reverse Backup Switch may have been contaminated during the manufacture process. This may lead to a condition preventing activation of the cruise control and the reverse lamps and buzzer may be on in all positions.

WHAT WE WILL DO

Hino Motors Sales U.S.A., Inc. will replace both the Neutral Switch and the Reverse Backup Switch at no charge to you.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

Please contact your Hino dealer as soon as possible to arrange a service date so the dealer may order the necessary parts for the repair. Instructions for making this correction have been sent to your dealer and the parts are available. The labor time necessary to perform this service correction is approximately 20 minutes. Please ask your dealer if you wish to know how much additional time will be needed to schedule and process your vehicle.

Your Hino dealer is best equipped to obtain parts and provide service to ensure that your vehicle is corrected as promptly as possible. If, however, you take your vehicle to your dealer on the agreed service date, and they do not remedy this condition on that date or within three (3) days, we recommend you contact Hino Motors Sales U.S.A., Inc. customer service by calling 1-845-365-1400.

Under 49 U.S.C. 30112(a), it is illegal for anyone, including a manufacture, distributor, dealer, or retailer to sell an item of equipment or vehicle that fails to comply with all applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards.

You may be eligible to receive reimbursement for the cost of obtaining a pre-notification remedy of a problem associated with this recall.

Federal Regulations require that any vehicle Lessor receiving this Recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the Lessee within 10 days.

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After contacting your dealer and Hino Motors Sales U.S.A., Inc. customer service, if you are still not able to have the safety defect remedied without charge and within a reasonable time, you may wish to write the Administrator National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20590 or call 1-888-DASH-2-DOT (1-888-327-4236).

We are sorry to cause this inconvenience; however, we have taken this action in the interest of your safety and continued satisfaction with our products.