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Date:

February 8, 2005

Subject:

Upcoming Noncompliance Recall

05018 / Electronic Throttle Control

Model:

2004 Cadillac SRX and XLR 2004 Pontiac Grand Prix

To:

All Cadillac and Pontiac Dealers

Attention:

Dealer Operator, General Manager, Sales Manager, Used Car Manager, Service Manager, Parts Manager

and Warranty Administrator

Based on information from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) web site, the media may report that General Motors will be announcing a noncompliance recall involving certain 2004 model year Cadillac SRX and XLR, and Pontiac Grand Prix vehicles.

These vehicles fail to conform to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 124, Accelerator Control Systems. If one of the two accelerator pedal return springs fails and the temperature is ?22 degrees F to -40 degrees F, the engine may not return to idle within three seconds, as required. If this were to occur, greater brake pedal force and a longer distance may be required to stop the vehicle.

To correct this condition, dealers will replace of the accelerator pedal assembly on all involved vehicles. This repair will be performed at no charge to the customer.

Approximately 22,000 vehicles are involved. GM is working with its suppliers to obtain the parts needed to correct this condition as quickly as possible. Based on the anticipated schedule, we plan to notify customers about this recall in March 2005.

GMVIS information for this recall will not be available until the recall bulletin is released to dealers in March 2005.

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