GM SERVICE AND PARTS OPERATIONS DCS1389 URGENT - DISTRIBUTE IMMEDIATELY

Date:

April 21, 2005

Subject:

Upcoming Safety Recall 05014 / Ignition Relay

Model:

2004 Buick Rendezvous and Pontiac Aztek

To:

All Buick 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 safety recall involving certain 2004 model year Buick Rendezvous and Pontiac Aztek vehicles.

Some of these vehicles may have contamination on ignition relay contacts which can cause high resistance. This can affect signals to the powertrain control module and, in some cases, cause intermittent vehicle stalls under a variety of driving conditions. In some cases, the vehicle cannot be restarted immediately. If this were to occur, it could result in a vehicle crash. The affected vehicles were built between October 13, 2003 and March 8, 2004.

To correct this condition, dealers will replace the ignition relay. This repair will be made at no charge to the customer.

Approximately 34,000 vehicles are involved. GM is working with its suppliers to obtain the required parts as quickly as possible. Based on the anticipated schedule, we plan to begin notifying customers about this recall on May 4,2005.

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

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