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Campaign 05V-455
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**POWER STEERING HOSE FRACTURE
SAFETY RECALL CAMPAIGN
05V-455**

To: Dealership Executive Management

Affected Vehicles:
2006 Isuzu Ascender (US/UT)

Condition:
The manufacturer General Motors has decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in certain 2006 Ascender vehicles. Some of these vehicles may have been built with a power steering hose that is not to specification. Under extreme steering maneuvers, such as turning the steering wheel fully to the left or right while braking, the hose may fracture and leak fluid. If this were to occur, power steering assist would be lost and increased steering effort would be required. If the power steering fluid were to spray onto hot engine parts, an engine compartment fire could occur.

Dealer Action:
Dealers are to inspect the power steering hose for two suspect date codes and replace it if required.

<u>Campaign Timetable</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Campaign Bulletin & Campaign Reports to be Mailed To Dealers	10/20/05
Owner Notification Begins	10/28/05

Please ensure that all appropriate personnel within your dealership are aware of this campaign and that the necessary repairs are performed on all affected vehicles either in your inventory or brought into your dealership for repair.

To confirm that a vehicle has an applicable campaign you can validate the VIN through ICS on the VIN inquiry screen.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Sincerely,
ISUZU MOTORS AMERICA, INC.