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INVESTIGATION

Mr. Ronald Medford
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Office of Vehicle Safety (NVS-010)
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
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Washington, D.C. 20590

RE: Recall Number 05V-377 Defect Information Report (additional information)
(Hyundai Campaign 072)

Dear Mr. Medford:

Hyundai Motor Company previously submitted a Defect Information Report to NHTSA regarding a recall campaign of approximately 36,000 model year 2006 Hyundai Sonata vehicles produced beginning April 14, 2005 through August 18, 2005 (NHTSA Recall Number 05V-377) pursuant to Part 573 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations. The affected vehicle quantity has been revised to 36,584 vehicles. Dealers were notified of the recall on October 14, 2005 and owner notification was completed in two mailings beginning on October 24, 2005 and ending on October 31, 2005.

Enclosed for NHTSA's files are final copies of the Technical Service Bulletin, owner notification letter and dealer notification letters.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Robert Babcock'.

Robert Babcock
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Attachments: 6

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HYUNDAI Technical Service Bulletin

		Group	
		CAMPAIGN	
Subject FRONT SEAT BACK RECLINER HANDLE REPLACEMENT CAMPAIGN 072		Number	
		05-01-011	
		Date	
		OCTOBER, 2005	
		Model	
		06 SONATA	
CIRCULATE TO:	<input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL MANAGER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PARTS MANAGER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TECHNICIAN
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SERVICE ADVISOR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SERVICE MANAGER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WARRANTY MGR	<input type="checkbox"/> SALES MANAGER

IMPORTANT: DEALERS MUST PERFORM THIS CAMPAIGN ON ALL AFFECTED VEHICLES PRIOR TO CUSTOMER RETAIL DELIVERY AND WHENEVER AN AFFECTED VEHICLE IS IN THE SHOP FOR ANY MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR.

IMPORTANT: WHEN A VEHICLE ARRIVES AT THE SERVICE DEPARTMENT, ACCESS HYUNDAI MOTOR AMERICA'S "WARRANTY VEHICLE INFORMATION" SCREEN VIA DCS INTERACTIVE OR DCS ON-LINE TO IDENTIFY OPEN CAMPAIGNS.


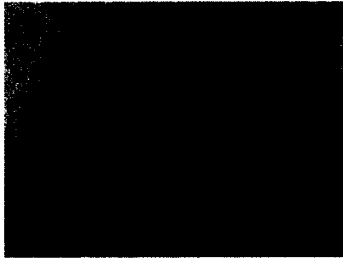
DESCRIPTION:

This bulletin describes the replacement procedure for the front seat back recliner handle.

VEHICLES AFFECTED:

- 2006 Sonata vehicles with VINs starting "KMH" produced before July 28, 2005
- 2006 Sonata vehicles with VINs starting "5NP" produced before August 18, 2005

PART INFORMATION:

SIDE	PREVIOUS PART #	NEW PART #	COLOR
LH Seat	88185-3K000-QS	88185-3K005-QSC	Gray
	88185-3K000-QD	88185-3K005-QDC	Beige
RH Seat	88285-3K000-QS	88285-3K005-QSC	Gray
	88285-3K000-QD	88285-3K005-QDC	Beige
			New shape

NOTE: If the vehicle has a power driver's seat, only the passenger seat handle needs to be replaced.

PROCEDURE:

NOTE:

- Verify that the vehicle is affected by accessing Hyundai Motor America's "Warranty Vehicle Information" screen via DCS interactive or DCS on-line to identify an open 072 Campaign on the vehicle.

CAUTION: The ignition key must be removed from the ignition for a minimum of 30 seconds before starting the procedure

1. Slide the seat all the way forward.





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2. Recline the seat back all the way rearward.

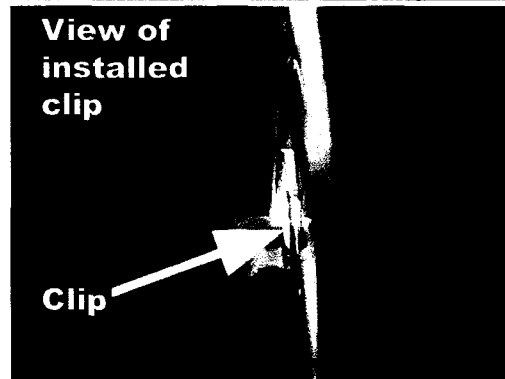
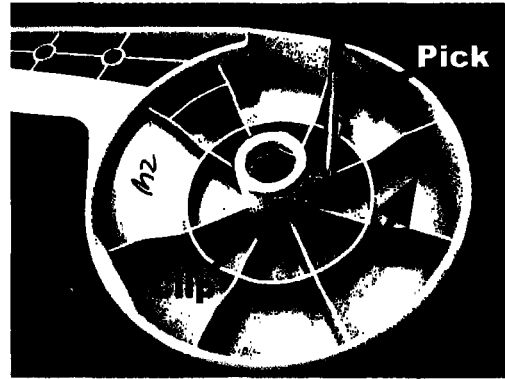


3. Carefully insert a large 90 degree pick into the gap between the seat back recliner handle and the seat. A screwdriver will work, but will be harder to use.

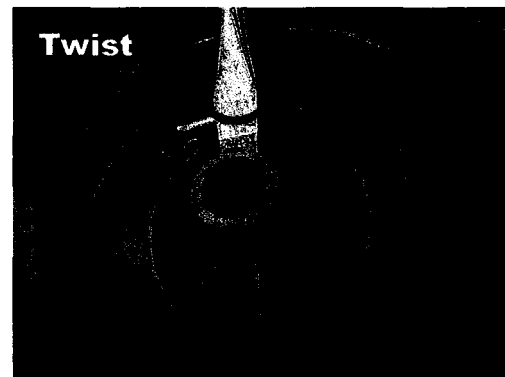
NOTE: A plastic trim tool, such as SST # 09800-21000 can be used to help see into the gap.



4. Pull up on the top end of the retention clip then push down on the bottom end while gently pulling the recliner handle from the seat.



Alternatively, if the clip is reversed so the ends are not visible, push a flat bladed screwdriver into the slot with the clip and twist it. This will break the slot, and release the handle.



5. Remove the recliner handle from the seat.
6. Verify the new handle has the retention clip in place. Align the handle with the shaft, and press until the clip is seated. Raise the seatback to an upright position.

CAMPAIGN CLAIM INFORMATION:

OP CODE	OPERATION	OP TIME
51B034R0	Replacement of Both LH and RH Recliner Handles	.2 M/H
51B034R1	Replacement of RH Recliner Handle (LH Power Seat)	.2 M/H

NOTE: Submit claim using the Campaign Claim Screen