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Date: January 12, 2006

Subject: Upcoming Safety Recall  
06502 - Electronic Throttle Control

Model: 2006 Cadillac STS Equipped with All Wheel Drive  
and 3.6L V6 Engine

To: All Cadillac 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 2006 model year Cadillac STS model vehicles equipped with all wheel drive and a 3.6L V6 engine.

The affected vehicles have a condition in which the torque monitoring functions, of the electronic throttle control (ETC), are not enabled. These functions can limit engine speed and torque if unusual engine control module (ECM) hardware or software failures occur. Without these functions enabled, a persistent ECM failure could result in a throttle opening greater than commanded by the driver and a crash could occur. The diagnostics for the ETC components, like the pedal and throttle position sensors and wiring, are functioning properly and will limit engine torque if a malfunction is detected.

To correct this condition, dealers are to reprogram vehicles with a calibration with all electronic throttle control monitoring functions enabled. Dealers will perform this repair at no charge to customers.

Approximately 1,300 vehicles are involved and dealers will be advised when a release date has been established for this recall.

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

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