



December 7, 2006
Bulletin SB06-09-S002

2006 ISUZU *i*-280 AND *i*-350 SAFETY RECALL CAMPAIGN
BRAKE LAMPS INOPERATIVE OR CONTINUOUS ILLUMINATION

To: All Isuzu Dealer Service Managers and Parts Managers

This letter, Recall Campaign Bulletin SB06-09-S002 and Campaign Report AWS123-1A are being sent to you to notify you of a Safety Recall Campaign affecting certain Isuzu vehicles.

Affected Vehicles:

Certain 2006 Isuzu *i*-280 and *i*-350 vehicles with a VIN range from 6870001 through 68703896.

Condition:

These vehicles may have a brake lamp switch that may not work as designed. The performance of the brakes is not affected. However, this condition could cause the simultaneous loss of all brake lamps or cause all of the brake lamps to stay on continuously. Both of these conditions could fail to warn others of the driver's intentions and could lead to a vehicle crash. Also, if equipped, the cruise control will become inoperative.

Dealer Action:

Dealers are to replace the brake lamp switch assembly at no charge to the customer.

Owner Notification:

OWNER NOTIFICATION WILL BEGIN December 11, 2006.

Please ensure that all appropriate personnel within your dealership are aware of this safety recall 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.

assigned to that dealership. The report contains VIN and detailed owner information obtained from state motor vehicle registration records. The use of such motor vehicle registration data for any other purpose is a violation of the law in several states. Accordingly, dealers are urged to limit the use of this listing to the follow-up necessary to complete this campaign.

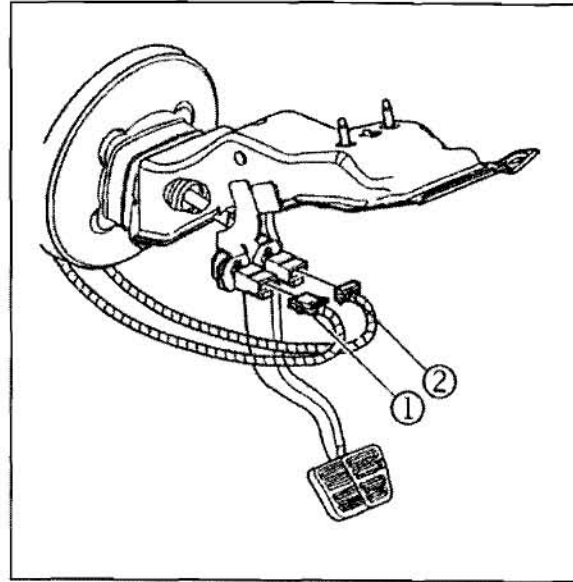
The National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act provides that each vehicle that is subject to a recall of this type must be adequately repaired within a reasonable time after the customer has tendered it for repair. A failure to repair within sixty days after tender of a vehicle is prima facie evidence of failure to repair within a reasonable time. If the condition is not adequately repaired within a reasonable time, the customer may be entitled to an identical or reasonably equivalent vehicle at no charge or to a refund of the purchase price less a reasonable allowance for depreciation. To avoid having to provide these burdensome remedies, every effort must be made to promptly schedule an appointment with each customer and to repair their vehicle as soon as possible. In the recall notification letters, customers are told how to contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration if the recall is not completed within a reasonable time.

OWNER NOTIFICATION

Isuzu Motors America, Inc. will send a notification letter to owners of affected vehicles already retailed (see enclosed copy). Dealers should follow up with vehicle owners by sending a Campaign Reminder Notice (AIMI SVCF-1052) to all vehicle owners listed in the AIMI Campaign Report (AWS-123-1A). Dealers may obtain these postcards from Helm, Inc. at (800) 782-4356.

SERVICE PROCEDURE

IMPORTANT: *There are two switches above the brake pedal - the cruise control switch (1) and the stop lamp switch (2). The cruise control switch is in the outboard position and the stop lamp switch is in the inboard position.*



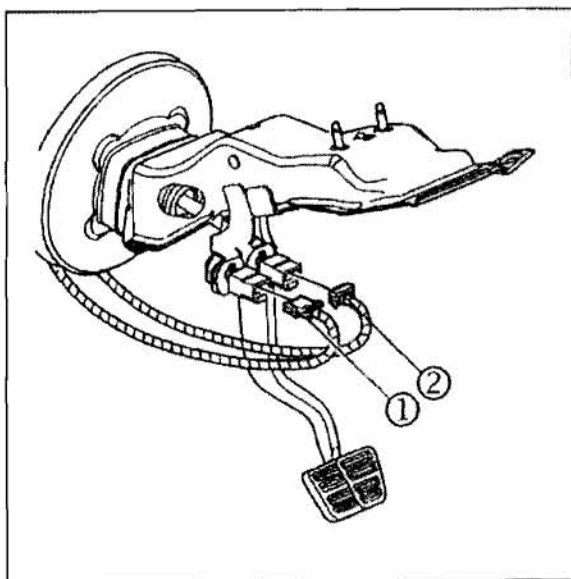
1. Disconnect the cruise control switch connector (1) and stop lamp switch electrical connector (2).
2. Rotate the stop lamp switch (2) counter clockwise.
3. Remove the stop lamp switch (2) from the bracket.
4. Remove the stop lamp switch (2) from the vehicle. Discard the stop lamp switch (2).
5. Inspect the stop lamp switch retainer.
 - If the stop lamp switch retainer is not broken, proceed to Step 6.
 - If the stop lamp switch retainer is broken, replace the retainer and then proceed to Step 6.
6. Position the new stop lamp switch near the bracket.

7. Ensure that the switch key-way is properly indexed to the plastic retainer.
8. Install and adjust the stop lamp switch.
 - Rotate the switch counterclockwise, allowing the retainer to release.
 - Pull the brake pedal rearward to full stop.

IMPORTANT: Do not move the brake pedal during switch adjustment as this will cause an over-adjusted switch which could cause brake drag.

- While holding the brake pedal **FIRMLY** in position rearward, push the switch inward fully until the switch body contacts the brake pedal arm striker plate. At this point the plunger in the switch should be pushed in.
- Rotate the switch clockwise until a "click" is heard.
- The switch is properly adjusted when there is 7 mm (0.028 in) clearance between the end of the switch barrel and the striker plate on the brake pedal arm.

9. Connect the cruise control switch (1) and stop lamp switch (2) electrical connectors.



10. Check the stop lamp switch for proper operation.

COURTESY TRANSPORTATION

If needed, dealers are to provide customers affected by Campaign 06V-139 with a shuttle service or ensure that some other form of courtesy transportation is available and will be provided to the customer at no charge.

APPLYING THE CAMPAIGN LABEL

Affix the campaign label P/N 2-90028-700-0 adjacent to the manufacturer's identification label located inside the driver's door. Using a ballpoint pen, fill in the label with campaign number 06V-139, Isuzu dealer code and repair date.

ISUZU
CAMPAIGN NUMBER

DEALER CODE: _____
REPAIR DATE: _____
P/N 2-90028-700-0

PARTS INFORMATION

Part Number	Description	Quantity Required
8-25796-381-0	Switch, S/LP	1

WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION

Use the following labor operation:

Operation	Operation No.	Task	Special Instr.	Time	Failed P/N	Trouble Code	Sublet Code	Sublet Allowance
Stop Lamp Switch	09V1508	Replace		0.2	8-25796-381-0	07		
			Courtesy Transportation					
			• Shuttle Service				S1	\$5.00 Each Way
			• Rental Car				R0	\$35.00 per day, Maximum 1 Day W/O Prior Authorization

NOTE:

1. Labor Time **includes** administrative time allowance.
2. Information released on paper and electronic format prior to bulletin release cannot be updated. For the most current and up to date information refer to **IsuzuONE.com**
3. Always refer to the Isuzu Service Policy Procedure Manual for specific details on warranty coverage and policies.

NATIONAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT

SB06-09-S002

Dear Isuzu *i*-Series Pick Up Customer:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle safety Act.

The manufacturer General Motors has decided that a defect that relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2006 *i*-280 and *i*-350 Isuzu vehicles. As a result, Isuzu Motors America, Inc. is conducting a safety recall. We apologize for this inconvenience. However, we have taken this action for your safety and continued satisfaction with our products.

WHAT IS THE CONDITION

The brake lamp switch may not work as designed. The performance of the brakes is not affected. However, this condition could cause the simultaneous loss of all brake lamps or cause all of the brake lamps to stay on continuously. Both of these conditions could fail to warn others of the driver's intentions and could lead to a vehicle crash. Also, if your vehicle is equipped with cruise control, it would become inoperative.

IMPORTANT

- Your vehicle is involved in a safety campaign.
- You need to schedule an appointment with your local Isuzu Dealer as soon as possible.
- This service will be performed for you at **no charge**.

WHAT WE WILL DO

Your local Isuzu dealer will replace the brake lamp switch assembly. This service will be performed for you at **no charge**.

Your dealer will assist you in making the necessary transportation arrangements while your vehicle is at the dealership for this repair. Please contact your dealer for details on courtesy transportation.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

You should contact your local Isuzu dealer to arrange a service appointment as soon as possible. Present this Owner Notification Letter at the time of your appointment or refer to Campaign Service Bulletin SB06-09-S002. Isuzu estimates this repair will take approximately 15 minutes to perform. However, additional time may be necessary depending on how appointments are scheduled and processed at your dealership. To locate the nearest Isuzu dealer you can visit our website at www.isuzu.com and click on the dealer locator icon and enter your zip code or state. Should you not have access to a computer terminal please contact our National Owner Relations Department at the number listed below.

If you have any problems obtaining the needed repair or believe that this repair has not been or cannot be made within a reasonable time, you may contact:

National Owner Relations Department

Isuzu Motors America, Inc.

13340 183rd Street

Cerritos, CA 90702

1-800-255-6727

If, after contacting your Isuzu dealer or the National Owner Relations with any problems, you still are not satisfied that we have done our best to remedy this condition without charge and within a reasonable time, you may wish to submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590 or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov> .

We regret any inconvenience which this action may cause you.

Sincerely,

ISUZU MOTORS AMERICA, INC.

IMPORTANT: *If you have sold or traded your Isuzu vehicle, please enter the owner's name and address, if known, on the attached "Change of Information" postcard, tear off at both perforations, and drop it in the mail. Postage has already been paid. We will contact the new owner.*

Federal law requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days. Lessor means a person or entity that is the owner, as reflected on the vehicle title, of any five or more leased vehicles.