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2005 Tribute Headliner Compliance Recall 4006D - RENOTIFICATION

Dear Mazda Owner:

This third notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. A first notice was sent in May 2006, and a second notice in April 2007.

According to our records, as of August 4, 2008 your vehicle has not had the necessary recall inspection and/or repairs completed. There is a possibility that in certain 2005 Tribute vehicles the energy absorbing material located above the forward corners of the interior headliner may not absorb sufficient energy for your vehicle to conform to the requirements specified in the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 201U. In the event of a crash, an occupant could contact the location and may not be provided the interior impact protection intended.

Your Mazda dealer will inspect the energy absorbing materials and, if necessary, modify them to increase their energy absorbing capability. This service will be performed **free of charge**.

To locate your nearest Mazda dealer, visit our web site and try our "Locate a Dealer" feature at www.MazdaUSA.com or consult your local yellow pages.

If you have moved or no longer own your Tribute, please complete the enclosed prepaid *Information Change Card* as soon as possible. This enables us to update our records and notify the current 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.

If you have any questions regarding this campaign, please contact our Customer Assistance Center at (800) 222-5500, option #4.

If Mazda or its dealers do not repair the defect free of charge and within a reasonable amount of time, you may notify the Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Ave., SE, Washington, DC 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>.

Your safety is a priority for Mazda. We actively work to improve our products and search for solutions to improve your ownership experience. Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience this program may have caused you.

Sincerely,

Mazda North American Operations