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Mr. Daniel Smith
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Attention: Recall Management Division (NVS-215)
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Subject: Recall 08V-156 (Volkswagen Code 26E5/R5)
1999-2005 MY Volkswagen Passat (5th Generation)
Install Underbody Heat Shields and Inspect/Replace
Fuel System Components if Necessary

Dear Mr. Smith:

This will amend our Part 573 dated April 4, 2008, by providing the following information regarding the recall 08V-156:

Volkswagen is postponing the start date of the remedial program for the affected 1.8T engine vehicles, due to a delay in software development. The new notification dates are planned as follows:

- Dealers June 23, 2008
- Customers June 27, 2008.

Volkswagen has assigned code 26E5/R5 to this recall.

Sincerely,


CHRISTOPHER T. SANDVIK
For:

Falk Beil
Executive Director
Service and Quality