

Dear 2006-2009 Azera Owner:

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

Hyundai has decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in certain model year 2006 through 2009 Hyundai Azera vehicles produced during the period beginning September 27, 2005 through October 1, 2008.

Federal law requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.

What is the problem?

Repeated use of the right front seat belt may cause damage to the seat belt tension sensor wiring. If the seat belt tension sensor wiring becomes damaged, the Air Bag warning lamp in the instrument cluster will illuminate to indicate that a problem exists in the air bag system. If the seat belt tension sensor wiring harness is damaged, the passenger air bag will not deploy if a crash of sufficient force to require front air bag deployment is experienced, which may increase the risk of injury to the front passenger.

What will Hyundai do?

"We are asking you to schedule an appointment to take your vehicle to your Hyundai dealer. For vehicles that experience illumination of the Air Bag warning lamp in the instrument cluster as a result of damage to the seat belt tension sensor wiring, the Hyundai dealer will replace the right front seat belt assembly and install a new seat belt tension sensor wiring harness clip. For vehicles that have not experienced illumination of the Air Bag warning lamp in the instrument cluster as a result of damage to the front seat belt tension sensor wiring, the Hyundai dealer will reroute the right front seat belt tension sensor wiring and secure it with a new harness clip. This procedure will be performed at no charge to you. Repair times will vary and depend on your dealer's appointment schedule.

What should you do?

"We urge you to call your Hyundai dealer to schedule an appointment to have this work performed as soon as possible.

What if you have other questions?

"If you have any difficulty having this repair performed, we recommend that you call the Hyundai Customer Assistance Center at 1-800-633-5151. If you are still not satisfied that we have remedied this situation without charge, and within a reasonable amount of time, you may wish to write to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, D.C. 20590, or call their toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153), or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

We urge your prompt attention to this matter.

Hyundai Motor America