



Mitsubishi Motors North America, Inc.

PARTS BULLETIN

SUBJECT:

2012 i-MiEV VACUUM PUMP, EV BRAKE BOOSTER

No: **35-IM-01-13**

Date: February 2013

Model: i-MiEV

PURPOSE

Certain brake vacuum pumps equipped on 2012 i-MiEV vehicles built between December 2, 2011 – September 7, 2012 may become inoperable due to failure of an internal component. If the vacuum pump becomes inoperable, the brake warning light will illuminate and the brake warning buzzer will alert the vehicle operator. Vacuum pump inoperability may result in increased stopping distances, which could lead to greater risk of crash. Please reference Safety Recall Bulletin SR-13-001 for remediation.

Replacing the vacuum pump on affected vehicles will resolve this potential condition.

AFFECTED VEHICLES:

Certain 2012 i-MiEV vehicles built between December 2, 2011 - September 7, 2012.

IMPORTANT

Affected new or used inventory vehicles must be repaired before the vehicle is delivered. Dealers must check their inventory vehicles' VINs on the Warranty Super Screen to verify whether the vehicle is involved in this recall campaign. It is a violation of Federal law for a dealer to deliver a new motor vehicle or any new or used item of motor vehicle equipment (including a tire) covered by the notification under a sale or lease until the defect or non-compliance is remedied.

CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION:

A letter will be sent to all owners of affected vehicles requesting them to go online and search for a certified i-MiEV dealership. They will then schedule an appointment with their local CERTIFIED Mitsubishi i-MiEV dealer to have their brake system vacuum pump replaced. A copy of the notification letter appears at the end of the Safety Recall Bulletin SR-13-001.

PARTS INFORMATION

Use the genuine Mitsubishi Part listed below:

Description	Part Number
i-MiEV Brake Electric Vacuum Pump	4641A032



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PART ORDERING AND ALLOCATION INFORMATION:

Certified i-MiEV dealers will automatically receive an initial quantity of parts to complete the recall of in-stock dealer units. Part(s) will be shipped starting the week of February 18, 2013.

Certified i-MiEV dealers are requested to check their Open Campaign List on the MDL and contact customers of affected vehicles to schedule an appointment to have the recall completed.

Once the customer appointment is confirmed, the dealer must contact their facing PDC with the corresponding VIN, appointment date and owner information. **An order will be placed by the PDC once VIN and Dealer certification is confirmed.**

*****Dealer entered orders will not be accepted for this part and will be cancelled immediately*****

Contact your local Zone Representative, District Parts and Service manager, or Facing PDC for questions and/or to determine the quantity of parts you will be receiving for your in-stock i-MiEV units.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Because of the limited number of vehicles involved 100% of the parts needed have been obtained.
- We will not be stocking this part in excess of the total number of affected vehicles.
- Dealers shall not maintain an inventory of this part.

