* * ADVANCED TECHNICAL INFORMATION NOTICE * *

DATE: March 26, 2013

TO: Mitsubishi Motors Dealer Principals, General Managers, and Service Managers

RE: 2013 Outlander Sport Stop Lamp Switch Non-Compliance Recall and Stop Sale

Notice

ATIN NO. ATIN-13-SR-005

AFFECTED VEHICLES: Certain 2013 Outlander Sport (built from June 11, 2012 – September 11,

2012)

PURPOSE

A noncompliance information report related to the performance of the stop lamp switch on certain 2013 Outlander Sport vehicles built from June 11, 2012 – September 11, 2012 will be submitted to NHTSA on March 28, 2013. At least some of these vehicles may fail to comply with S5.5.4 of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 108, "Lamps, reflective devices, and associated equipment," and S5.3 of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 114, "Theft protection and rollaway prevention." The noncompliance will be remedied by safety recall campaign SR-13-004.

Due to an inappropriate setting of the brake stop lamp plunger stroke gap during the assembly process, the brake stop lamps may illuminate continuously or intermittently and the shift lever could be moved out of Park without depressing the brake pedal.

The remedy plan calls for dealers to remove and re-install the stop lamp switch in an appropriate manner. Affected in stock vehicles can be found on the Open Campaign List on the MDL. The remedy procedure will be released to dealers on March 26, 2013.

IMPORTANT

Affected new or used inventory vehicles must be repaired before the vehicle is <u>sold or delivered</u>. 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 <u>sell or deliver</u> a new motor vehicle or any new or used item of motor vehicle equipment (including a tire) covered by this notification under a sale or lease until the noncompliance is remedied.