

Part 573 Safety Recall Report**14V-792****Manufacturer Name :** Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)**Submission Date :** DEC 11,2014**NHTSA Recall No. :** 14V-792**Manufacturer Recall No. :** JN2**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : Honda (American Honda Motor Co.)

Address : 1919 Torrance Blvd.

Torrance CA 90501

Company phone : 310-783-2000

Population :

Number of potentially involved : 9,751

Estimated percentage with defect : 0

Vehicle Information :

Vehicle : 2014-2014 Acura RLX

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The VIN range reflects all possible vehicles that could potentially experience the problem.

Production Dates : NOV 22, 2012 - JAN 30, 2014

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin : JH4KC1F51EC000022

End : JH4KC1F51EC007763

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2014-2014 Acura RLX Hybrid

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The VIN range reflects all possible vehicles that could potentially experience the problem.

Production Dates : NOV 05, 2013 - JUL 25, 2014

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin :

End :

 Not sequential VINs

Vehicle : 2015-2015 Acura RLX

Vehicle Type :

Body Style :

Power Train : NR

Descriptive Information : The recall population was determined based on manufacturing records. The VIN range reflects all possible vehicles that could potentially experience the problem.

Production Dates : JUN 04, 2014 - NOV 18, 2014

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Range

Begin :

End :

Not sequential VINs

Description of Defect :

Description of the Defect : The manufacturing process used to apply the aluminum film to the inner reflector of the headlight may be susceptible to adhesion issues.

Description of the Safety Risk : If the aluminum film begins to delaminate it could potentially diminish the output of the headlight in a way that may cause the vehicle to fail to comply with the requirements of FMVSS 108.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

Supplier Identification :

Component Manufacturer

Name : Stanley Electric Co., Ltd.

Address : 2-9-13 Nakameguro, Meguro-Ku

Tokyo FOREIGN STATES 153-8636

Country : Japan

Chronology :

May 20, 2014

Honda received the first customer complaint about headlight appearance.

June 2014

Honda received information from a dealer that observed signs of peeling aluminum headlight reflector film.

June 27, 2014

Honda began investigation to determine root cause of peeling aluminum film.

July 16, 2014

Supplier began root cause analysis along with testing the headlight output against FMVSS requirements.

December 5, 2014

Honda decided that a noncompliance exists and decided to conduct a safety recall.

As of December 5, 2014 Honda has received 10 warranty claims, 16 field reports and no injuries related to this issue.

Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The owners of all affected vehicles will be contacted by mail and asked to take their vehicle to an Acura automobile dealer. The dealer will replace both the right and left headlight free of charge. Because the new vehicle warranty on all affected vehicles would have provided a free repair for the problem addressed by this recall, without any payment by the owner, reimbursement for pre-notification repairs will not be offered.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : NR

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : NR

Planned Dealer Notification Date : DEC 11, 2014 - DEC 12, 2014

Planned Owner Notification Date : JAN 30, 2015 - FEB 06, 2015

* NR - Not Reported