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* * * IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL * * * (PROGRAMA DE SEGURIDAD IMPORTANTE)

Safety Recall Notice 14S16 / NHTSA Recall 14V-483 Aviso de Revisión de Seguridad 14S16

This notice applies to your vehicle:

2015 T-250 Ford Transit Your Vehicle Identification Number:

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

Ford Motor Company has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in your vehicle, with the Vehicle Identification Number shown above.

We apologize for this situation and want to assure you that, with your assistance, we will correct this condition. Our commitment, together with your dealer, is to provide you with the highest level of service and support.

What is the issue?	On your vehicle, a rear sliding door reinforcement was omitted. Sliding doors that are not equipped with this reinforcement have an increased risk of unlatching in certain side collision events, increasing the risk of injury or ejection to unrestrained front seat occupants.
	Ford is working closely with its suppliers to produce parts to correct the condition. Parts are anticipated to be available the week of October 13, 2014.
What will Ford and your dealer do?	Ford Motor Company has authorized your dealer to install a sliding door reinforcement free of charge (parts and labor).
How long will it take?	The time needed for this repair is one day. However, due to service scheduling requirements, your dealer may need your vehicle for a longer period of time.
What should you do?	Please contact your dealer after October 13, 2014 to schedule a service appointment for Safety Recall 14S16. Provide the dealer with the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of your vehicle. The VIN is printed near your name at the beginning of this letter.

What should you do? (continued)	If you do not already have a servicing dealer, you can access <u>www.Fordowner.com</u> for dealer addresses, maps, and driving instructions.
	Ford Motor Company wants you to have this safety recall completed on your vehicle. The vehicle owner is responsible for making arrangements to have the work completed.
	Please note: Federal law requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.
Do you need a rental vehicle?	Your dealer is authorized to provide a rental vehicle for your personal transportation at no charge (except for fuel, insurance, and tax) while your vehicle is at the dealership for repairs. Please see your dealer for guidelines and limitations.
Can we assist you further?	If you require further assistance in getting your vehicle repaired promptly and without charge, please contact your dealership's Service Advisor.
	<u>RETAIL OWNERS</u> : If you have questions or concerns, please contact our Ford Customer Relationship Center at 1-866-436-7332 , where one of our representatives will be happy to assist you. Or visit us at <u>www.Fordowner.com</u> .
	For the hearing impaired call 1-800-232-5952 (TDD). Representatives are available Monday through Friday: 8:00AM - 8:00PM (Eastern Time).
	Si necesita ayuda o tiene alguna pregunta, por favor llame al Centro de Relación con Clientes al 1-866-436-7332 y presione 2 para Español.
	FLEET OWNERS: If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Fleet Customer Information Center at 1-800-34-FLEET , choose Option #3, and one of our representatives will be happy to assist you. Representatives are available Monday through Friday: 8:00AM - 8:00PM (Eastern Time).
	Or you can contact us at <u>www.fleet.ford.com</u> .
	If you are still having difficulty getting your vehicle repaired in a reasonable time or without charge, you may write the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Ave. S.E., Washington, D.C. 20590 or call the toll free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153) or go to <u>www.safercar.gov</u> . Reference NHTSA Safety Recall 14V-483.
Thank you for your attention to this important matter.	
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