

*** * ADVANCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION NOTICE * ***

DATE: June 10, 2015
TO: Mitsubishi Motors US and Puerto Rico Dealer Principals, General Managers, Service Managers, and Parts Managers
RE: ETACS ECU Safety Recall
ATIN NO. ATIN-15-SR-002-A

AFFECTED VEHICLES: Certain 2009 – 2010 Lancer, Lancer Ralliart, Lancer Sportback, Lancer Sportback Ralliart, Lancer Evolution and Outlander vehicles built January 12, 2009 – August 27, 2010

PURPOSE

A safety recall campaign will be released today for the ETACS ECU in certain 2009 - 2010 Lancers built January 12, 2009 – July 6, 2010, 2009 – 2010 Lancer Ralliarts built January 13, 2009 – June 30, 2010, 2010 Lancer Sportbacks built June 17, 2009 – June 8, 2010, 2010 Lancer Sportback Ralliarts built June 17, 2009 to June 8, 2010, 2010 Lancer Evolutions built July 14, 2009 – August 4, 2010, and 2009 – 2010 Outlanders built January 12, 2009 – August 27, 2010. This recall campaign will be conducted in the U.S. and Canada. The Recall Bulletin outlining the repair procedure will be available today on MEDIC and MDL.

Due to a manufacturing error, the ETACS ECU on affected vehicles may contain components with a high electrical resistance. This condition can result in voltage instability, and in the worst case, the vehicle could lose headlights, taillights, and/or windshield wiper functionality.

Dealers are requested to inspect the production date stamp on the ETACS ECU, and replace all units built from October 1, 2008 to August 31, 2010.

Some dealers may be force allocated stock using a formula based on the proximity and percentage of applicable registered VINs by ZIP code. Parts shipments are processed via the 'R' order type and started shipping along with your scheduled stock order beginning Wednesday, June 10, 2015. Dealers may place additional orders via the MDL. Please refer to Parts Bulletin 54-XX-01-15 for additional information.

Notification letters will be sent to owners of affected vehicles, requesting they contact their local Authorized Mitsubishi dealership to schedule an appointment to have this recall performed.

Affected new vehicle inventory VINs can be reviewed on the Mitsubishi Dealer Link in the **Most Recent: Open Campaign List** available under the service section of “e-reports”. Dealers must review the Warranty Superscreen to confirm if any vehicles in their new or used vehicle inventories are affected, and conduct this campaign prior to delivering them. When checking for applicability of this campaign (C1502T), please check for and complete any other open campaigns. Always get the customer’s approval before completing a campaign on a customer owned vehicle.

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 noncompliance is remedied.