

Ferrari North America, Inc.

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Subject: Passenger Side Frontal Air Bag Recall



To all Ferrari Dealers,

This information is being provided to keep dealership staff informed about a recall that Ferrari will be launching. Below please find the only information available at this time.

We will of course provide you further information as it become available.

Problem Description:

Ferrari North America, Inc. (Ferrari) will be recalling certain model year 2009-2011 Ferrari California vehicles manufactured February 16, 2009, to July 8, 2011, and model year 2010-2011 458 Italia vehicles manufactured March 5, 2010, to July 29, 2011. These vehicles are equipped with air bag inflators assembled as part of the passenger frontal air bag modules, used as original equipment or replacement equipment. In the event of a crash necessitating passenger frontal air bag deployment, these inflators may rupture due to propellant degradation occurring after long-term exposure to absolute humidity and temperature cycling.

Consequence:

An inflator rupture may result in metal fragments striking the vehicle occupants resulting in serious injury or death.

Remedy:

Ferrari will notify owners, and dealers will replace the passenger frontal air bag assembly, free of charge. Please note that Ferrari does not have the parts necessary from its supplier to perform the recall at this time. Owners may contact Ferrari Customer Service at 1-866-551-2828. Ferrari's number for this recall is 60. Owners may also contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153), or go to www.safercar.gov.

Regards,
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