Subarunet Announcement



To: All Subaru Retailers From: Subaru of America, Inc.

Date: August 4, 2016 (Revised 8/8/16 for updated labor operation number on page 3)

Subject: Updated inflator information for 2003 MY Legacy, Outback, and Baja related to Takata Recalls: WQR-53, TKA-16, TKB-16, and TKC-16

Condition

Subaru of America, Inc. (Subaru) has been notified by Fuji Heavy Industries (FHI) that some early production 2003 MY Legacy, Outback, and Baja vehicles may have been incorrectly included in the list of vehicles requiring inflator replacement as part of the on-going Takata recalls listed above.

These vehicles were NOT equipped with inflators manufactured by Takata.

These early production 2003 MY vehicles (77,000) were equipped with inflators produced by Autoliv. Autoliv produced inflators do not contain ammonium nitrate and are not included in any Takata inflator recall.

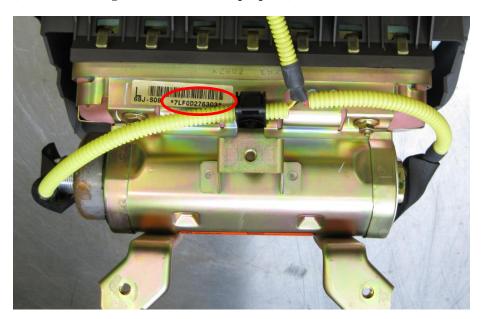
These Autoliv inflators do not require replacement as part of any Subaru airbag recall.

Description of the Remedy

All related campaign information will be updated shortly to include an inspection portion applicable exclusively to 2003 MY Legacy, Outback and Baja. The inspection involves lowering of the glovebox to provide enough access to visually inspect the label on the airbag module. Labels containing "7LF" identify Autoliv modules and those with "7LG" identify Takata as shown in the photos below. If the vehicle in question is identified as having an Autoliv airbag inflator installed, **STOP and note the 11-digit serial number only** as no further action is required other than refitting the glove box. Only vehicles with Takata airbag inflators are affected by this campaign.

See the Claim Reimbursement and Entry Procedures at the end of this announcement for instructions on how to submit a claim for "Inspection Only" when an Autoliv inflator is found.

Autoliv Inflator Equipped Airbag- Serial Number Label Location (NOTE this 11-digit number for claims purposes)



Takata Inflator Equipped Airbag- Serial Number Label Location



Label Detail



Labor Description	Labor Operation	Labor	Claim Type&	
	#	Time	Campaign Code	
2003MY LEGACY / OUTBACK				
PASSENGER FRONT AIRBAG	A182-038	0.3	RC	WQR-53
INFLATOR INSPECTION ONLY				
(Autoliv Inflator Installed)				
2003MY LEGACY / OUTBACK				
PASSENGER FRONT AIRBAG	A182-038	0.3	RC	TKA-16
INFLATOR INSPECTION ONLY				
(Autoliv Inflator Installed)				
2003MY LEGACY / OUTBACK	A182-038	0.3	RC	TKB-16
PASSENGER FRONT AIRBAG				
INFLATOR INSPECTION ONLY				
(Autoliv Inflator Installed)				
2003MY LEGACY / OUTBACK				
PASSENGER FRONT AIRBAG	A182-038	0.3	RC	TKC-16
INFLATOR INSPECTION ONLY				
(Autoliv Inflator Installed)				

IMPORTANT NOTE: The **complete** 11-digit airbag module Serial Number **MUST** be recorded during inspection and entered into the Miscellaneous Detail field as part of the campaign completion / claim entry process.

If you have any questions, please contact the Claims Helpline at 1-866-782-2782.