



Date: September 21, 2016
To: Audi Dealer Principal, Service Manager, Warranty Administrator, Sales Manager & Parts Manager, General Manager
From: Audi Customer Protection
Subject: Advance Notice – Safety Recall 97CB – Side Marker Lights

Audi has notified NHTSA and Transport Canada about the upcoming safety recall described in this letter.

CODE	97CB
AFFECTED VEHICLES	Certain 2015-2017 model year Audi vehicles, as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2015-2017 MY Audi Q3• 2016-2017 MY Audi TT Coupe & TT Roadster• 2016 MY Audi A3, A3 Cabrio & A3 e-Tron• 2017 My Audi A4, allroad & Audi Q7
RECALL DESCRIPTION	<p>Certain vehicles may not comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 108 – Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment or with Canada Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (CMVSS) 108 - Lighting System and Retroreflective Devices.</p> <p>In a situation where the parking lights are switched on and the vehicle is locked, the side marker lights do not illuminate, which is contrary to the requirements of the standard. This could reduce vehicle visibility, which could increase the risk of a crash causing injury and/or damage to property.</p>
CORRECTIVE ACTION	<p>Repair information will be provided to dealers when repair instructions become available to support this recall.</p> <p>Dealers will correct this issue by updating vehicle side marker light coding parameters.</p>

IMPORTANT REMINDER ON VEHICLES AFFECTED BY SAFETY & COMPLIANCE RECALLS

New Vehicles in Dealer Inventory: 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 this notification under a sale or lease until the defect or noncompliance is remedied. By law, dealers must correct, prior to delivery for sale or lease, any vehicle that fails to comply with an applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard or that contains a defect relating to motor vehicle safety.

Pre-Owned Vehicles in Dealer Inventory: Dealers should not deliver any pre-owned vehicles in their inventory which are involved in a safety or compliance recall until the defect has been remedied.

If you have any questions or require additional assistance, please contact Warranty. As always, any press inquiries should be directed to Audi Public Relations.

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