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From	Campaign Administration								
Subject	Stop Sale/Safety Recall: 2017 Ridgeline Rear Wire Harness/Rear Sub-Frame Harness								

DATE: December 8, 2016

TO: All Honda Sales, Service & Parts Managers and Personnel

FROM: Campaign Administration

RE: Stop Sale/Safety Recall: 2017 Ridgeline Rear Wire Harness/Rear Sub-Frame Harness

Yesterday, December 7, 2016, American Honda notified NHTSA of a **Stop Sale** and **Safety Recall** for certain model year 2017 Ridgeline vehicles with all-wheel-drive (AWD) due to a possibility of water intrusion into the rear electrical wiring harness. **Any new or used units** in dealer stock **must be repairedper service bulletin, 16-093**, *Safety Recall: Rear Wire Harness/Rear Sub-Frame Harness*. Refer to your eResponsibility report or VIN inquiry to determine which units in your inventory are affected. American Honda expects to begin customer notification in middle to late January 2017.

Note: Some vehicles affected by this recall may be in your new or used vehicle inventory. Failure to inspect and, if needed repair, a vehicle subject to a recall or campaign may subject your dealership to claims or lawsuits from the customer or anyone else harmed as a result of such failure. In addition, state law may provide American Honda with the right to seek indemnification in any such claim or lawsuit.

Campaign Information

Service bulletin 16-093 has been posted to the Service Information System (SIS) as of December 8, 2016 and includes inspection, parts, repair, tools, and warranty information related to this safety recall.

Inspection/Repair Information

Subject vehicles will be inspected for water intrusion, and based on the results of the inspection the repair may be performed for Dry - A or Wet - B/C. Currently the A repair procedure is not available since parts are unavailable until later this month. The B/C repair procedures and parts information are available in bulletin 16-093.

Parts Information

Repair Procedure **A** – Parts are not available until later this month.

Repair Procedure **B/C** – Parts are available for vehicle inspection and repairs. Harnesses are available via controlled order where a valid VIN is required. Other parts are available via open ordering.

Tools Information

Two special tools are needed for the **A** procedure that are part of the dealer required Special Tools. Tools are detailed in SB 16-093; 07NGZ-001010A Crimper w/ Die Set are part of Terminal Pin Repair Kit C T/N 07QAZ-00C020C, and 07JAZ-002040A part of Terminal Pin Repair Kit A T/N 07JAZ-002000A.

Warranty Information

Warranty information is detailed in service bulletin 16-093.

Customer Notification

American Honda expects to complete initial customer notification by end of January 2017.

As always, be sure to check VIN status inquiry to determine eligibility for this or any other campaign.

Click <u>here</u> for a copy of service bulletin 16-093.