

**Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Safety Recalls 15047, 15048, 15049, 15050,
15052 and 15053
Front Passenger Air Bag Inflator**

These questions and answers are being provided to help dealership personnel correctly respond to inquiries from involved vehicle owners about the safety recalls identified above.

Q1) Which vehicles are involved?

A1)

GM Bulletin Number	Model Year	Make	Model
15047	2005	Saab	9-2X
15048	2005	Saab	9-2X
15049	2005	Saab	9-2X
15050	2006	Saab	9-2X
15052	2006	Saab	9-2X
15053	2006	Saab	9-2X

Q2) What is the issue or condition?

A2) The front passenger air bag inflator may experience an alteration over time, which could lead to overaggressive combustion in the event of an air bag deployment. This condition could create excessive internal pressure when the air bag is deployed, which could result in the body of the inflator rupturing upon deployment. In the event of an inflator rupture, metal fragments could pass through the air bag cushion material, which may result in injury or death to vehicle occupants.

Q3) What symptoms may be experienced? What warning signs may be associated with the issue or condition described?

A3) None.

Q4) What is the remedy/repair?

A4) In the 2005 model year vehicles, dealers are to replace the front passenger air bag inflator. In the 2006 model year vehicles, dealers are to replace the front passenger air bag module assembly, which includes the inflator.

Q5) What is the safety risk? Is the vehicle safe to drive?

A5) In the event of an inflator rupture, metal fragments could pass through the air bag cushion material, which may result in injury or death to vehicle occupants.

Q6) Does the customer have to pay for this remedy/repair?

A6) No, the remedy/repair will be done at no cost to the customer.

Q7) Is the remedy/repair available now?

A7) No, when sufficient quantities of parts are available, the recall bulletin will be released, and dealers can begin repairing vehicles.

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Q8) What should customers do until the recall remedy/repair can be completed? Are there any special instructions?

A8) Until the repair is performed, the front passenger seat should NOT be occupied.

Q9) How can customers check to see if their vehicle is involved in this field action?

A9) Customers who own a vehicle involved in the field action will be notified by mail by General Motors, but they may also check their Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) for field actions in GM Owner Center at <https://my.gm.com/recalls> or via NHTSA's website at <https://vinrcl.safercar.gov/vin/>.

Q10) If customers are concerned, can they get a rental car or courtesy transportation?

A10) Courtesy transportation is available for customers whose vehicles are involved in this recall and are within the warranty coverage period for the warranty which is associated with this recall. Please refer to Warranty Administration Bulletin #17-NA-073: Field Action Courtesy Transportation Policy for further information.