

**\* \* ADVANCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION NOTICE \* \***

**DATE:** February 5, 2020  
**TO:** Mitsubishi Motors US and Puerto Rico Dealer Principals, Service Managers, and Parts Managers  
**RE:** 1998 – 2000 Montero NADI Inflators – Safety Recall Campaign  
**ATIN NO.** ATIN-20-SR-001-A

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**AFFECTED VEHICLES:** Certain 1998 – 2000 Montero vehicles

**PURPOSE**

On January 22, 2020, MMNA submitted to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) a Defect Information Report regarding Non-Azide Driver Air Bag Inflators (NADI Inflators) installed in certain 1998 – 2000 Montero vehicles.

According to Takata, NADI Inflators manufactured between May 1995 and March 1999 may absorb moisture, causing the NADI Inflators to rupture or the airbag cushion to underinflate in vehicle collisions involving airbag deployment. If a NADI Inflator ruptures or the airbag cushion underinflates in a vehicle collision involving airbag deployment, vehicle occupants could potentially be at increased risk of serious injury or death.

MMC is in the process of investigating NADI Inflators in Mitsubishi vehicles and is working to establish a remedy plan.

You will be notified again when additional updates become available. In the event you receive any direct customer inquiries regarding this issue, please refer them to the MMNA Customer Relations Hotline at (888) 648-7820. We appreciate your patience while we make the necessary preparations to launch this recall.

***IMPORTANT***

**Affected new or used inventory vehicles must be repaired before the vehicle is sold/delivered. Dealers must check their inventory vehicles' VINs on the Warranty Super Screen to verify whether the vehicle is involved in this recall campaign. It is a violation of Federal law for a dealer to sell/deliver a new motor vehicle or any new or used item of motor vehicle equipment (including a tire) covered by the notification under a sale or lease until the defect or noncompliance is remedied.**