A Mercedes-Benz Group AG Company One Mercedes-Benz Drive Sandy Springs, GA 30328 Phone: (800) 367-6372

This notice applies to your vehicle, VIN: Replace Rear Window MBUSA ID: 2021110007, NHTSA Recall ID: 21V832 Reminder Notification

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- The remedy is available for your vehicle.
- Schedule an appointment with your authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership as soon as possible.
- This repair will be provided <u>FREE</u> of charge.

Dear Mercedes-Benz Owner:

This notice is a reminder being sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. Our most recent records indicate that the Mercedes-Benz vehicle registered in your name is affected by the subject recall, and still has not been repaired. We want to stress the importance of making an appointment at your preferred authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer as soon as possible for this FREE recall repair. The original communication for this recall was sent to the owner who was on file as of December 8, 2021.

Mercedes-Benz AG ("MBAG"), the manufacturer of Mercedes-Benz vehicles, has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain Model Year ("MY") 2021 GLE-Class and GLS-Class vehicles. Our records indicate that your vehicle is included in the affected population of vehicles.

What is the issue?



In certain MY21 GLE-Class and GLS-Class vehicles, the rear window bonding might be insufficient, and not meet specifications. Insufficient adhesion of the rear window to the tailgate could result in the rear window detaching, which could become a road hazard and increase the risk of a crash for other vehicles. Before the issue occurs, you might notice wind noises from the rear window area.

What will your Mercedes-Benz Dealership do?



An authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership will replace the rear window on the affected vehicles. <u>This vehicle</u> <u>repair will be provided at no cost to you.</u> While the minimum repair time can be less than 3.5 hours, your dealership can provide you with a better estimate of the overall time for this service visit. As a matter of normal service process, an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer will also check for other repair measures which might be applicable to your vehicle and this may increase the required working time. You will not be charged for other service or repairs unless so requested.

Steps to take.



- Find your nearest authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership at mbusa.com/recall to schedule your recall repair.
 - Please mention you are scheduling an appointment for Mercedes-Benz Recall Campaign 2021110007
- You may be asked for your VIN, which for your convenience is located at the top of this letter.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused and look forward to taking care of this important safety recall immediately.

Sincerely, Mercedes-Benz USA



IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

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What if I no longer own or drive the vehicle or would like to update my contact information?

In the event you need to update your contact information or have updates concerning the vehicle, please visit **mbusa.com/recalls** (or scan the QR Code to the left) and submit your VIN using our VIN recall lookup tool and filling out the "Recall Contact Information" section on the website. If possible, please provide any contact information of the current owner/driver so we can contact them.

Additional Information for Owners:

A VIN-based recall lookup tool is available at **mbusa.com/recalls**, which can be used to check whether a vehicle has been subject to a safety recall, or had the remedy performed. Should you have any questions or encounter any difficulty regarding this Recall Campaign, please contact an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership.

Should an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership be unable to address your concerns please contact us at 1-(800) FOR-MERCEDES (1-800-367-6372). We are always happy to hear from you.

If this is a leased vehicle and the lessor and registered owner receive this notice, please forward this information by first class mail to the lessee within 10 business days to comply with Federal Regulations.

If an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer for any reason is unable to remedy the situation without charge, or within a reasonable amount of time, Pursuant to law 49 U.S.C. Chapter 301, you may submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20590 or call the toll-free Auto Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153); or go to https://www.safercar.gov.

