

# Part 573 Safety Recall Report

# 23V-479

**Manufacturer Name :** BMW of North America, LLC**Submission Date :** JUL 12, 2023**NHTSA Recall No. :** 23V-479**Manufacturer Recall No. :** NR**Manufacturer Information :**

Manufacturer Name : BMW of North America, LLC

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Westwood NJ 07675-1227

Company phone : 18005257417

**Population :**

Number of potentially involved : 384

Estimated percentage with defect : 1 %

**Vehicle Information :**

Vehicle 1 : 2023-2023 BMW 740i, 760i xDrive

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : GAS

**Descriptive Information :** Approximately 259 vehicles may not fully conform to FMVSS 101 Section 5.1.2, FMVSS 103 Section 4.2, and/or FMVSS 108 Section 6.1.5.1.

**Basis for recall population determination:** Vehicle assembly information and supplier production records were used to determine the specific dates of potentially affected vehicles.

**Recall component difference to non-recall component:** Vehicles were equipped with an Interaction Bar that may not fully conform to FMVSS 101, FMVSS 103, and/or FMVSS 108.

Production Dates : SEP 06, 2022 - SEP 15, 2022

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

 Not sequential

Vehicle 2 : 2023-2023 BMW i7 xDrive60

Vehicle Type : LIGHT VEHICLES

Body Style : 4-DOOR

Power Train : HYBRID ELECTRIC

Descriptive Information : Approximately 125 vehicles may not fully conform to FMVSS 101 Section 5.1.2, FMVSS 103 Section 4.2, and/or FMVSS 108 Section 6.1.5.1.

Basis for recall population determination: Vehicle assembly information and supplier production records were used to determine the specific dates of potentially affected vehicles.

Recall component difference to non-recall component: Vehicles were equipped with an Interaction Bar that may not fully conform to FMVSS 101, FMVSS 103, and/or FMVSS 108.

Production Dates : SEP 02, 2022 - SEP 15, 2022

VIN Range 1 : Begin :

NR

End : NR

Not sequential

## Description of Noncompliance :

Description of the Noncompliance : This non-compliance recall involves the vehicle's Interaction Bar located on the dashboard. The Interaction Bar may not be able to activate the windshield defrosting/defogging system and/or the hazard warning lamps. In addition, those control buttons may not illuminate when pressed. Therefore, potentially affected vehicles may not fully conform to FMVSS 101 Section 5.1.2, FMVSS 103 Section 4.2, and/or FMVSS 108 Section 6.1.5.1.

FMVSS 1 : 103 - Windshield defrosting and defogging systems

FMVSS 2 : 108 - Lamps, reflective devices, and assoc. Equipment

Description of the Safety Risk : In certain vehicle operating conditions, this could increase the risk of a crash and/or injury.

Description of the Cause : NR

Identification of Any Warning that can Occur : NR

## Involved Components :

Component Name 1 : Interaction Bar

Component Description : Interaction Bar

Component Part Number : 5A83553-01, 5A83554-01, 5A83555-01, 5A83556-01

## Supplier Identification :

### Component Manufacturer

Name : Valeo Autoklimatizace k.s.

Address : V Lubnici 2805-II  
Rakovnic Foreign States 26901

Country : Czech Republic

## Chronology :

Please refer to the separate document which contains the chronology for this report.

## Description of Remedy :

Description of Remedy Program : The Interaction Bar will be replaced on potentially affected vehicles.

Owners will be notified by First Class mail and instructed to take their vehicle to an authorized BMW dealer to have the remedy performed for free. If this condition were noticed on a potentially affected vehicle prior to this recall, the remedy would be covered by the BMW New Vehicle Limited Warranty program. Therefore, reimbursement for a pre-notification remedy re Part 573.13 and Part 577.11 is not necessary.

How Remedy Component Differs from Recalled Component : Recalled Component: Smart Bar; p/n – 5A83553-01, 5A83554-01, 5A83555-01, 5A83556-01

Identify How/When Recall Condition was Corrected in Production : NR

## Recall Schedule :

Description of Recall Schedule : Dealer notification is planned to begin and end on July 12, 2023.  
Owner notification is planned to begin and end on September 1, 2023.

Planned Dealer Notification Date : JUL 12, 2023 - JUL 12, 2023  
Planned Owner Notification Date : SEP 01, 2023 - SEP 01, 2023

\* NR - Not Reported