

## **DELIVERY HOLD NOTICE**

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1/17/2025

RECALL ID

Kia: SC332 / NHTSA: TBD

SUBJECT

Kia is conducting a safety recall to address an issue involving the floor wiring assembly.

**AFFECTED VEHICLES** 

2023-2025 MY Niro EV, Niro HEV & Niro PHEV

AFFECTED POPULATION

Approximately 80,255 vehicles

**RECALL CONDITION** 

The floor wiring assembly, located underneath the front passenger seat, contains wires which control certain vehicle restraint systems. Repeated sliding adjustment of the manual front passenger seat may damage one or more of the wires in the floor wiring assembly due to variation in its routing. This may result in 1) the nondeployment of airbag(s) and/or seatbelt pretensioner(s) or 2) the inability to suppress the passenger frontal airbag for a child or small occupant, or 3) inadvertent deployment of the passenger side airbag (SAB).

The nondeployment of the airbag(s) and/or seatbelt pretensioner(s) in a crash sufficient to warrant a deployment, the inability to suppress the passenger frontal airbag for a child or small occupant, or the inadvertent deployment of the passenger side airbag increases the risk of injury.

REMEDY

Dealers will inspect the floor wiring assembly under the manual front passenger seat and replace if necessary. In addition, dealers will reroute the floor wiring assembly and install additional protective coverings to prevent damage to the wiring.

REMEDY AVAILABILITY

Early February 2025

PLANNED NOTIFICATIONS

Dealers will be notified when remedy parts become available.

Owners will be notified by first class mail in late February 2025.

**NHTSA ADVISORY** 

It is a violation of Federal law for a dealer to deliver a new motor vehicle covered by this notification under a sale or lease until the defect is remedied.

If you have any questions, please contact your Kia District Parts and Service Manager.

Sincerely,

Kia North America Safety Office

**LEGAL PRIVACY LIABILITY NOTICE:** Pursuant to the terms of the Dealer Sales and Service Agreement and the Gramm-Leach-Bliley federal consumer privacy act, you are required to keep confidential any and all information and documents provided to you by Kia America, Inc. or generated by you in the conduct of carrying out work under that Agreement regarding Kia vehicle purchasers and owners, including but not limited to warranty claim information. Kia dealers may use such owner information for the sole purpose of conducting and performing this safety recall campaign, and for no other purpose.