



NEW VEHICLE DELIVERY HOLD NOTICE

DATE	8/21/2025
RECALL ID	Kia: SC349 / NHTSA: TBD
SUBJECT	Kia is conducting a safety recall to address an issue involving the connecting rod bolt(s).
AFFECTED VEHICLES	Certain 2025 MY K4 & Sorento vehicles
AFFECTED POPULATION	Total 30 vehicles (29 K4 vehicles & 1 Sorento vehicle) <u>6 of affected K4 vehicles in Dealer Stock</u>
RECALL CONDITION	The connecting rod bolt(s) may not have been properly torqued in certain engines during rework by the engine supplier. A connecting rod with an improperly torqued bolt can cause engine damage and/or loss of motive power, increasing the risk of a crash.
REMEDY	Replace the sub engine assembly with a new one
REMEDY AVAILABILITY	The week of 8/26/2025
PLANNED NOTIFICATIONS	Dealers will be notified in writing on 8/26/2025. Owners will be notified by first-class mail on or before 9/12/2025.
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