

ATTENTION: Mercedes-Benz Dealer Principals, General Managers, Sales Managers, Service Managers & Parts Managers

Safety Recall Initial Notification

July 31, 2026

Campaign #	NHTSA ID	Description	Corrosion on Door-Lock Microswitch
2026070007	26V481	26P7291007	

Campaign Details

Total Recall Population	310,667	Model(s)/ Platform(s)	CLA, A-Class, C-Class, CLE, GLA, GLB, GLC (118, 177, 206, 236, 247, 254)
Vehicles in Dealer Inventory	3,507		
Model Year(s)	2019-2026		
Issue	Mercedes-Benz AG ("MBAG"), the manufacturer of Mercedes-Benz vehicles, has determined that on certain MY20-21 CLA (118 platform), MY19-22 A-Class (177 platform), MY22-23 C-Class (206 platform), MY24 CLE (236 platform), MY20-26 GLA/GLB (247 platform), and MY23-24 GLC (254 platform) vehicles, the housing material for the door-lock microswitch might be more susceptible to moisture permeation. Over time, this might lead to corrosion on the microswitch and subsequently to the failure of the component. Upon such a failure, the microswitch might not detect when the door is opened. The microswitch failure does not affect the operation of the door lock itself. Should the microswitch fail on the driver door, the electronic parking brake and/or the "Auto-Park" feature connected to the driver door opening might not engage automatically. As a result, the vehicle might not be secured against rollaway and the vehicle might move, increasing the risk of a crash.		
What We're Doing	An authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer will replace the driver door lock on the affected vehicles.		
Remedy	The remedy is not available at this time.		
Pending Date	Affected VINs will be flagged in VMI as "PENDING" on Friday, July 31, 2026		
Approximate Customer Notification Date	Friday, September 18, 2026 Final customer letters can be found at MBUSA.com/recall or NHTSA.gov at the time of mailing.		

Given this notice, it is a violation of federal law for a dealer to sell or lease any new vehicle in dealer inventory covered by this notification until the vehicle has been repaired. Violations of federal law may result in civil penalties.

- Loaner and demonstrator vehicles may continue to be driven, but must not be retailed until repaired.
- Once the remedy is available, vehicles will be flagged as "OPEN" and Work Instructions will be available.
- As a matter of normal service process, please check for other repair measures that might be applicable to the vehicle(s).

Additionally, given this notice, it is a violation of federal law for car rental companies to rent vehicles covered by this notification until the vehicle has been repaired. Violations of federal law may result in civil penalties.

While we regret any inconvenience this may cause, MBUSA is determined to maintain a high level of vehicle quality and customer satisfaction. Please refer all customer inquiries to the Customer Care Center at 1-800-FOR-MERCEDES.

