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Some 2013 C-Max, 2013-2014 Fusion, MKZ Hybrid and Energi vehicles equipped with a HF-35 automatic transmission and built on or before 12/1/2013 may exhibit a transmission fluid leak at the damper housing to transmission case joint. This condition may be due to an adherence failure of the RTV.

ACTION

Follow the Service Procedure steps to correct the condition.

SERVICE PROCEDURE

1. Remove the transmission from the vehicle and separate the damper housing from the transmission case. Refer to the Workshop Manual (WSM), Section 307-01.
2. Use Motorcraft® Silicone Gasket Remover to remove old RTV from the housing and case mating surfaces. Allow to dry.
3. Use Motorcraft® Metal Surface Prep Wipes to clean and etch the mating surfaces. Allow to dry.
4. Apply a bead of Motorcraft® Ultra Silicone Sealant and reassemble the transmission. Refer to WSM, Section 307-01.
5. Install the transmission. Refer to WSM, Section 307-01.

PART NUMBER	PART NAME
ZC-31-B	Motorcraft® Metal Surface Prep Wipes
TA-29	Motorcraft® Ultra Silicone Sealant
ZC-30-A	Motorcraft® Silicone Gasket Remover
XT-10-QLVC	Motorcraft® MERCON® LV Automatic Transmission Fluid
FL-910	Motorcraft® Oil Filter
W714878-S439	Bolt - Steering Shaft
W520215-S440	Nut - Tie Rod (2 Req)
W712503-S440	Nut Stabilizer Link (2 Req)
W500545-S439	Bolt - Ball Joint (2 Req)
W520214-S442	Nut - Ball Joint (2 Req)
W716457-S439	Bolt - Frame (4 Req)
W520102-S442	Nut - Center Shaft (2 Req)
W713095-S437	Nut - Exhaust Manifold (7 Req)
W520103-S442	Nut - Exhaust Flange (2 Req)

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