Service Bulletin

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## PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

Subject: Rattle/Noise from Front or Rear of Vehicle on Cold Start Up

Models: 2012-2013 Chevrolet Impala

2014-2016 Chevrolet Impala Limited

This PI has been revised to add the 2015-2016 Model Years. Please discard PI1138.

## Condition/Concern

Some customers may comment on a brief rattle or noise heard from the front or the rear of the vehicle on a cold start up.

This may be caused by the "Y" pipe inner and outer components expanding at different rates resulting in the rattle/noise.

## Recommendation/Instructions

This is a normal characteristic of the vehicle's exhaust system and no repair(s) should be attempted for this concern.

## **Customer Information**

Please communicate to the customer this condition is a normal operating characteristic of their vehicle. It will not impact the designed performance or reliability of the vehicle. Please share this information with the customer, including a copy of this message.

For further information, please contact GM Technical Assistance Center (TAC) for assistance.

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