

Warranty Bulletin

2016-10

Subject

Passenger Seat OCS Mat Sensor Replacement (Partial Revision) **Issued Date**

February 26, 2016 (Revised June 7, 2016)

This bulletin provides revised information related to both the Customer and Dealer notification letter that was sent in relation to this warranty extension. This revision serves to reinforce the fact that the customer <u>does not have to contact a Kia dealer if the airbag warning light is illuminating correctly as described below.</u> Please ensure all dealer personnel are familiar with the original warranty extension bulletin and this revision.

Customer Notification:

REVISED

PLEASE KEEP THIS LETTER IN THE GLOVEBOX OF THE VEHICLE

2007-2009 MY Spectra Vehicles Front Passenger OCS Sensor Mat Kia New Vehicle Limited Warranty Extension

The Warranty Extension Letter sent to you on February 29, 2016 has been revised to include additional information. New/revised sections of this letter are indicated by a red bar in the margin area.

June 15, 2016

Dear Kia Spectra Owner:

Kia Motors America's highest commitment is to your safety. To that end, Kia is extending the warranty coverage for the front passenger occupant classification system (OCS) <u>sensor mat</u> to **15 years with** unlimited mileage, starting from the date of first service. This warranty extension addresses failures of the OCS sensor mat as reported by some vehicle owners. The sensor mat is intended to detect child seats and small stature occupants who could be harmed by deployment of the passenger frontal air bag. If the sensor mat is not working properly, the OCS will not suppress the air bag. Accordingly, if a crash of sufficient severity occurs, the air bag will deploy even if the passenger seat is occupied by a child or small stature person.

What You Should Do:

- CHECK THE AIRBAG WARNING LIGHT. Start your Spectra's engine, and observe the airbag
 warning light on the instrument panel. The location of the airbag warning light is further
 described in the Airbag section of your Owner's Manual.
 - If the airbag warning light on the instrument panel is illuminated for 6 seconds and turns off after the engine has started, your airbag system works normally. You do not need to contact your Kia dealer.

Dealer Notification:

REVISED

Attention:

All Dealer Parts and Service Managers

June 10, 2016

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Kia Motors is re-notifying the owners of the 2007-2009 MY Spectra vehicles of the warranty coverage extension on their vehicles and has revised the owner instructions to include the following: $\frac{1}{2}$

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