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We've continued to make good progress in repairing vehicles under the Takata inflator recalls and, as of March 20th, have replaced more than 12.3 million inflators. I truly appreciate your dedication in repairing these vehicles in an effort to save lives and prevent injuries to our customers.

As you know, NHTSA also has been aggressively working to improve completion rates by all automakers, with oversight by Congress. On Tuesday, March 20th, the Senate Subcommittee on Consumer Protection, Product Safety, Insurance and Data Security, requested an industry update. This was the third Senate hearing on this subject and Rick Schostek, Executive Vice President for Honda North America, testified on behalf of Honda.

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During the hearing, it became clear that Honda is leading the industry in responding to this unprecedented challenge, and that is in no short measure due to the actions of our dealers. This recall effort has been uncharted territory for our entire industry, and you have demonstrated extraordinary diligence in responding to the recalls. Mr. Schostek complimented our dealer network to the Senators, which is well deserved. We could not have gotten where we are today without you.

Although we still have a great challenge ahead of us, I want to sincerely thank you for all of your efforts and for honoring the commitment to our customers to keep them safe.

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