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#### PRIORITY/ACTION REQUIRED

To: Honda Dealers

From: Service Engineering

Re: 12V Battery Collection Program – 2017&2018MY CR-V

## Print this iN message and provide a copy to the Service Manager and Shop Foreman.

As we informed you via iN message on September 17, 2018, American Honda Motor (AHM) has launched a new battery collection program. If you have replaced an OEM battery on a qualified vehicle, please follow the procedure below.

### Qualifiers:

Model Year: 2017 & 2018

Model: CRV

Battery Part #: 31500-TLA-A010-M1

Battery Test Date: More than 1 year after vehicle sales date

### **Action Required:**

Please contact Kyle Matsuoka, Technical Research & Support (TRS) Group at 800-880-1072. Kyle will need to record certain vehicle information and provide you with further instructions.

### **Process Information:**

- 1. TRS will provide you a six digit tracking number (ie. 43346-1.) Fill out an adhesive warranty tag and write the six digit tracking number into the complaint section of the tag (click here for example). Affix the warranty parts identification tag to the battery.
- 2. If the battery surface is dirty and the label will not adhere properly, clean the surface and wrap clear packaging tape around the label (click here for example). For tracking purposes, it is important that the battery is not lost during transportation.
- 3. Once you tagged the battery properly, set the battery aside from the core return pile. **Do not mix the battery with the normal core returns.** \*Note: You will receive core credit for the batteries collected through this program.
- 4. AHM will notify Interstate that a battery has been marked for collection from your dealership. They will collect this battery separately from the Core Return.