# GLOBAL SAFETY FIELD INVESTIGATIONS DCS5707 URGENT - DISTRIBUTE IMMEDIATELY

Date: March 08, 2021

Subject: N202326120 - Service Update

Air Ride Adaptive Suspension Incorrect Calibration

Models: 2021 Cadillac Escalade, Escalade ESV

2021 Chevrolet Suburban, Tahoe

2021 GMC Yukon XL

Equipped with Suspension System - FRT & RR, AIR (RPO F47)

To: All General Motors Dealers

General Motors is releasing Service Update N202326120 today. The total number of U.S. vehicles involved is approximately 14. Please see the attached bulletin for details.

Involved vehicles will be repaired either through dealer repairs as described in this bulletin or through over the air (OTA) programming. Dealers can and should perform the procedure in this bulletin on any vehicle with an "open" status on the Investigate Vehicle History (IVH) screen in GM Global Warranty Management system. Due to the fact that vehicles will be closed in IVH through successful OTA programming, <u>dealers should always check the status</u> in IVH before performing any vehicle repairs.

## **Global Warranty Management (GWM)**

The Required Field Action section on the Investigate Vehicle History (IVH) screen will be updated March 8, 2021. Please hold all warranty transactions until IVH has been updated.

END OF MESSAGE GLOBAL SAFETY FIELD INVESTIGATIONS

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Release Date: March 2021 Revision: 00

### Attention:

This service update includes vehicles in dealer inventory and customer vehicles that return to the dealership for any reason. This bulletin will expire at the end of the involved vehicle's New Vehicle Limited Warranty period.

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Make	Model	Mode	Model Year			
		From	То	RPO	Description	
Cadillac	Escalade; Escalade ESV					
Chevrolet	Suburban	2024	2024	E47	Suspension System-FRT & RR,	
	Tahoe	2021	2021	F47	AIR	
GMC	Yukon XL					

Involved vehicles are marked "open" on the Investigate Vehicle History screen in GM Global Warranty Management system. This site should always be checked to confirm vehicle involvement prior to beginning any required inspections and/or repairs.

Condition	Certain 2021 model year Cadillac Escalade, Escalade ESV, Chevrolet Suburban, Tahoe and GMC						
	Yukon XL full size utility vehicles may have incorrect calibration values in the Vehicle Leveling Module						
	(VLM) software for air ride adaptive suspension. The incorrect calibration will use the incorrect loaded						
	ride height which is 0.6 inches lower that the normal ride height.						
Correction	Dealers are to reprogram the VLM module.						

#### **Parts**

No parts are required for this software update.

#### **Warranty Information**

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Time	Trans. Type	Net Item
9105396*	Verified Module Software or Calibration Level: Module Is	0.2		
	Programmed with Same Level Software or Calibration	0.2	ZFAT	N/A
9105397*	K5 Automatic Level Control Module Reprogramming with SPS	0.3		

Important: \* To avoid warranty transaction rejections, carefully read and follow the instructions below:

- The Warranty Claim Code must be accurately entered in the "Warranty Claim Code" field of the transaction.
- When more than one Warranty Claim Code is generated for a programming event, it is required to document all Warranty Claim Codes in the "Correction" field on the job card. Dealers must also enter one of the codes in the "Warranty Claim Code field of the transaction, otherwise the transaction will reject. It is best practice to enter the FINAL code provided by SPS/SPS2.

#### **Warranty Claim Code Information Retrieval**

If the Warranty Claim Code was not recorded on the Job Card, the code can be retrieved in the SPS system as follows:

- 1. Open TLC/TIS on the computer used to program the vehicle.
- Select and start SPS/SPS2.
- 3. Select Settings.
- Select the Warranty Claim Code tab.

The VIN, Warranty Claim Code and Date/Time will be listed on a roster of recent programming events. If the code is retrievable, dealers should resubmit the transaction making sure to include the code in the SPS Warranty Claim Code field.

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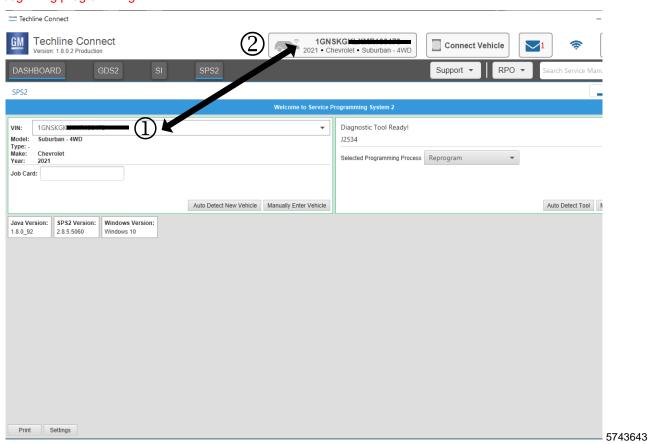


#### **Service Procedure**

Note: Carefully read and follow the instructions below.

- Ensure the programming tool is equipped with the latest software and is securely connected to the data link connector. If there is an interruption during programming, programming failure or control module damage may occur.
- Stable battery voltage is critical during programming. Any fluctuation, spiking, over voltage or loss of voltage will
  interrupt programming. Install a GM Authorized Programming Support Tool to maintain system voltage. Refer to
  www.gmdesolutions.com for further information. If not available, connect a fully charged 12 V jumper or booster
  pack disconnected from the AC voltage supply. DO NOT connect a battery charger.
- Ensure the ignition is turned OFF, load on the vehicle's battery such as interior lights, exterior lights (including daytime running lights), HVAC, etc. may affect the download process.
- Clear DTCs after programming is complete. Clearing powertrain DTCs will set the Inspection/Maintenance (I/M) system status indicators to NO.

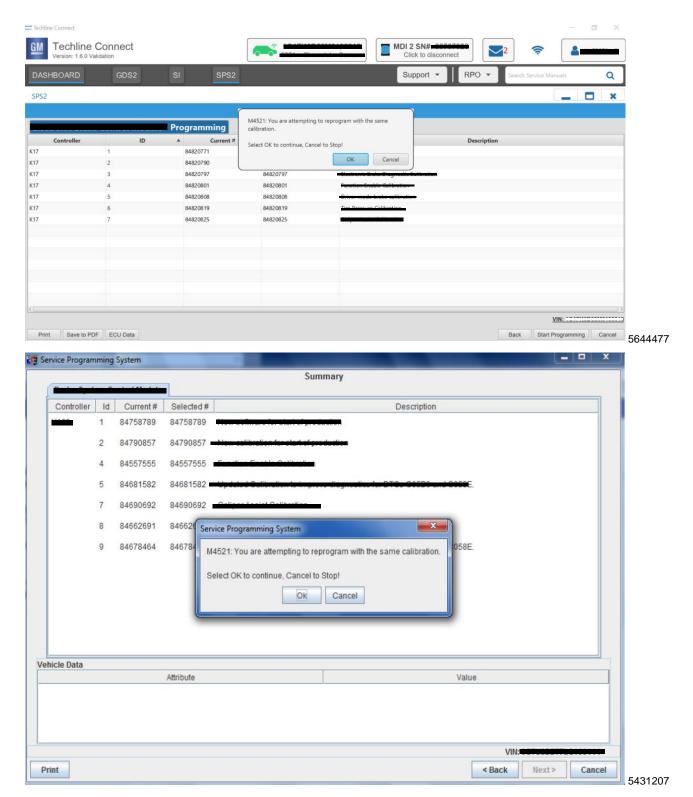
**Caution:** Be sure the VIN selected in the drop-down menu (1) is the same as the vehicle connected (2) before beginning programming.



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Important: Techline Connect and TIS2WEB screens shown above.

**Important:** If the same calibration/software warning is noted on the TLC or SPS Summary screen, select OK and follow screen instructions. After a successful programming event, the WCC is located in the Service Programming System dialogue box of the SPS Summary screen. No further action is required. Refer to the Warranty section of the bulletin.

**Important:** When programming a module in GM's new Vehicle Intelligence Platform, or VIP, the power mode (ignition) needs to be off or errors may occur. This involves the 2020 Chevrolet Corvette, Cadillac CT5 and CT4, as well as the

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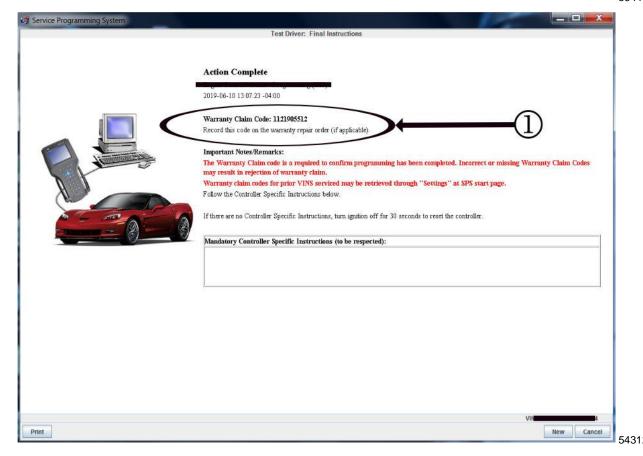


upcoming full-size Chevrolet, GMC, Cadillac SUVs and Buick Envision. Serial Data Message Authentication also needs to have the ignition off.

Reprogram the automatic level control module. Refer to K5 Automatic Level Control Module: Programming and Setup
in SI.



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**Note:** The screenshots above are an example of module programming and may not be indicative of the specific module that is being programmed. Module selection and VIN information have been blacked out.

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**Important:** To avoid warranty transaction rejections, you MUST record the warranty claim code provided on the Warranty Claim Code (WCC) screen shown above on the job card. Refer to callout 1 above for the location of the WCC on the screen.

2. Record SPS Warranty Claim Code on job card for warranty transaction submission.

#### **Dealer Responsibility**

Whenever a vehicle subject to this service update enters your vehicle inventory or is in your facility for service in the future, and the vehicle is still covered under the New Vehicle Limited Warranty, you must take the steps necessary to be sure the service update correction has been made before selling or releasing the vehicle.

All new, used, GM Certified Used, courtesy transportation vehicles, dealer shuttle vehicles, etc. in dealers' possession and subject to this bulletin <u>must</u> be held and inspected/repaired per the service procedure of this bulletin <u>before</u> customers take possession of these vehicles. Involved vehicles must be held and not delivered to customers, dealer-traded, released to auction, used for demonstration, or any other purpose.

All GM Certified Used vehicles currently in the dealers' inventory within the Certified Pre-Owned Inventory System (CPOIS) will be de-certified and must be held and remedied per the service procedure in this bulletin. Upon submitting an accepted/paid warranty transaction in the Global Warranty Management (GWM) system, the vehicle can be re-certified for sale within the CPOIS system, or once again be used in the CTP program.

## **Dealer Reports**

The Inventory tab of the Open Vehicle Report will contain Service Update Bulletin VINs that apply to this field action. This information is intended to assist dealers with the **PROMPT COMPLETION** of these vehicles. The Customer In-Service tab will not contain Service Update Bulletin VIN data because the intent of a Service Update Bulletin is to not inconvenience a customer with a special trip for service. Service Update Bulletins are to be completed when the customer is in for a regularly scheduled visit.