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Subject	Request for Parts: 2022-2023 MDX A/C Compressor Seizure (ACTION REQUIRED)								

# **PRIORITY/ACTION REQUIRED**

- To: All Acura Service Managers/Consultants
- From: Technical Information & Support Group
- RE: Request for Parts: 2022-2023 MDX A/C Compressor Seizure (ACTION REQUIRED)

This message is solely directed to Acura dealership personnel; please handle it accordingly. Print this iN message and provide a copy to the Shop Foreman and all Service Consultants.

#### Background

American Honda Motor Co., Inc. (AHM) is searching for certain 2022-2023 MDXs with a client complaint of the A/C blowing warm air and the technician finding the A/C compressor to be seized. To better understand the cause of this condition, AHM would like to inspect the vehicle prior to you attempting a repair of any kind.

#### Qualifiers

AHM is interested ONLY if the vehicle meets the following requirements:

- 1. 2022 VINs must be AFTER 5J8YE1...NL045612
- 2. Customer is complaining of the A/C blowing warm air.
- 3. Must confirm no leaks in the HVAC system by using a sniffer on all joint locations.
- 4. Must confirm that the seized A/C compressor is the cause of the issue.
- 5. Previous repair attempts or replacement of A/C compressor ok.

#### **Action Required**

If a vehicle matching the qualifiers above comes into your dealership, please e-mail Technical Information & Support (TIS) at tis@ahm.honda.com, or call us at 800-880-1072 (Monday-Friday, 7am-5pm PST). TIS will need to record certain vehicle information and provide you with further instructions.

Please be sure to include the following information in your e-mail.

- E-mail Title:
  - 1. Model Year (e.g. 2023)
  - 2. Model Name (e.g. TLX)
  - 3. Issue (e.g. Brake Judder)
  - 4. VIN

E-Mail Body:

- 1. Dealer Number
- 2. Your Name
- 3. Best Phone Number to be Reached
- 4. Current Mileage
- 5. DPTS#

As a gesture of appreciation to dealer technicians who identify and report a vehicle that meets the qualifiers, was accepted as a candidate and is the subject of a successful Dealer Visit/Parts Collection/Info Collection, AHM will provide the referring technician with a Visa gift card. Technical Information & Support (TIS) will provide additional information if this situation applies.

Thank you.