

Important Emissions Warranty Extension Information

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Secondary Air Injection System Combination Valve This notice applies to your vehicle - VIN: WDBRFXXXXNNNNMM

Customer Name
13470 International Parkway
Jacksonville, FL 32218
March, 2022

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Dear Mercedes-Benz Owner:

In our continuing efforts to assure the proper performance of Mercedes-Benz products and to enhance the satisfaction of our customers, Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC ("MBUSA") hereby notifies you of additional benefits regarding your vehicle ownership.



What is the concern?

MBUSA has determined that on certain Model Year 2016-2017 Smart fortwo (453 platform) vehicles, the secondary air injection system combination valve may not close completely under certain climate conditions due to condensation in the exhaust system. An open combination valve could lead to an activation of a Malfunction Indicator Lamp ('MIL'), which could cause the vehicle to fail a state smog inspection.

What is the outcome?

MBUSA is extending the coverage for the combination valve of the secondary air injection system from the original New Vehicle Limited Warranty of 4 years / 50,000 miles **to 15 years / 150,000 miles (whichever occurs first), which applies to the vehicle regardless of ownership.**



Any repairs under this warranty extension must be performed by an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership.

- Your preferred authorized Mercedes-Benz dealer will perform a diagnosis to determine if the secondary air injection system combination valve is malfunctioning. If diagnosis confirms that your vehicle has the issue, the repair will be performed at no cost to you.
- This extended warranty does not apply to any other components or conditions beyond the ones mentioned above, and standard warranty terms apply, including the exclusions with respect to extra expenses, as identified in the Service and Warranty Information booklet.

We hope you are enjoying your Mercedes-Benz vehicle and we apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Sincerely,
Mercedes-Benz USA



Reimbursement to Customers for Valid Repairs Performed Prior to Receipt of this letter

If your vehicle has exceeded the original warranty's mileage or time-period, and you have already paid for a repair to the secondary air injection system combination valve resulting in a MIL activation, you may be eligible to receive reimbursement under this warranty extension.

Requests for reimbursement may include expenses for the Mercedes-Benz replacement parts, labor, fees and taxes. Requests for reimbursement costs that were not related to the aforementioned conditions will not be honored.

Reimbursement may be limited to the amount the repair would have cost if completed by an authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership and repairs performed by a non-Mercedes-Benz dealership might not be reimbursed.

The following documentation must be presented to your servicing or closest Mercedes-Benz dealership for reimbursement.

Original or clear copy of **all** receipts, invoices and/or repair orders that show:

- The name and address of the person who paid for the repair.
- The Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of the vehicle that was repaired.
- What problem occurred, what repair was done, when it was done and who repaired it.
- Only Mercedes-Benz replacement parts were used for the repair.
- Fault Code (DTCs) information belonging to this Warranty Extension (if any).
- The total cost of the repair expense that is being claimed.
- Proof of payment for the repair (copy of front and back of cancelled check, or copy of credit card receipt).
- **Reimbursement will be paid by a check from your authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership.**

Please contact your authorized Mercedes-Benz dealership for assistance or additional information related to this warranty extension coverage (or visit www.mbusa.com). If your dealer is unable to remedy your situation, please contact us at 1-800-367-6372.



Please place the enclosed warranty extension addendum to the inside back cover of your vehicle's Service and Warranty Information Booklet for future reference if necessary, as well as a copy of this letter.

Service and Warranty

Mercedes-Benz New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage Addendum

Warranty Coverage Extension –
Secondary Air Injection System
Combination Valve with activation of
the Malfunction Indicator Lamp

The following applies to certain model
year 2016-2017 Smart fortwo (453
platform) vehicles.

The Mercedes-Benz New Vehicle
Limited warranty on the secondary air
injection system combination valve is
extended to 15 years/ 150,000 miles
(whichever occurs first) from the
vehicle's warranty start date.

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Other components are not covered by
this warranty extension.

This extension of the Mercedes-Benz
New Vehicle Limited Warranty applies to
these vehicles regardless of ownership.

All other warranty terms and exclusions
apply to this extension.

