VEHICLE SAFETY/POLLUTION RECALL CAMPAIGN IN JAPAN

Domestic Import Vehicles

CAMPAIGN No.	Gai-2473	DATE	April 24 th , 2017
MANUFACTURER	BMW (Japanese Importer: BMW Group Japan Corp.)		
DESCRIPTION OF DEFECT	The battery-positive cable links the battery with the power distribution box supplying electric power to the vehicle. Relative movements between the power distribution box and the B+ cable caused by vehicle vibration in combination with load current would damage the plug-in contact by fretting over time. This may result in insufficient electric power supply from the power distribution box to the vehicle electrical components, which could lead to malfunction of electrical components. In worst case, engine may stall while driving.		

TYPE	COMMERCIAL NAME	MODEL YEAR RECALLED	NUMBER OF VEHICLE
ABA-VA40	BMW M3 Sedan	2009 - 2011	51
CBA-VA40		2010 - 2011	165
ABA-WD40	BMW M3 Coupe	2009 - 2011	39
CBA-WD40		2010 - 2011	258
		TOTAL	513

This recall was announced on March 12th 2013 as recall Gai-1912. Since additional models have been found to be affected, added vehicles will be announced with this recall Gai-2473.