

VEHICLE SAFETY/POLLUTION RECALL CAMPAIGN IN JAPAN

Domestic/Import Vehicles

RECALL No.	Gai-3201	DATE	Apr. 2. 2021
MANUFACTURER	Ford Motor Company (Japanese Importer: Ford Japan Limited)		
DESCRIPTION OF  DEFECT	<p>SAFETY RECALL: Explorer Vehicles - Front Half Shaft Bracket Replacement</p> <p>Certain 2014-2016 Model Year Explorer vehicles built in Chicago Plant (USA) produced between 1st November 2013 and 23rd December 2015.</p> <p>In some of the affected vehicles, the vehicle may experience a failure of the front half shaft bracket. A damaged front half shaft bracket can cause a vibration, grinding, banging noise from the driveline while moving. The bracket may fail without warning and could result in a loss of movement while driving. A failed bracket can allow separation of the half shaft from the engine resulting in secondary damage to surrounding components.</p>		

TYPE	COMMERCIAL NAME	MODEL YEAR RECALLED	NUMBER OF VEHICLE
ABA-1FMHK9	Explorer 2.0L FWD	2014 - 2015	1357 units
ABA-1FM5KH	Explorer 2.3L FWD	2016	729 units
TOTAL			2086 units