

VEHICLE SAFETY / POLLUTION RECALL CAMPAIGN IN JAPAN

Domestic Import Vehicles

CAMPAIGN No.	Gai-3456	DATE	2022/8/4
MANUFACTURE	Mercedes-Benz AG (Japanese Importer : Mercedes-Benz Japan Co., Ltd.)		
DESCRIPTION OF DEFECT	<p>On certain S-Class (223 platform) vehicles with certain leather steering wheel and steering wheel heater the hands-off detection might not detect when the driver's hands are away from the steering wheel.</p> <p>In this situation, the driver would not receive a warning message when using the DISTRONIC driver assistance system with Active Steering Assist.</p> <p>Thereby, local legal requirements might not be met.</p> <p>In case of a medical emergency (e.g. driver loses consciousness), the vehicle could continue to drive and would not trigger the Active Emergency Stop Assist, as intended. Therefore, the vehicle would not stop and not conduct an emergency call. In this case, rescue units would not be called to the vehicle, which could increase the consequences of the medical emergency.</p>		

TYPE	COMMERCIAL NAME	MODEL YEAR RECALLED	NUMBER OF VEHICLE
3DA-223033	S400d 4MATIC	2021	15
		2022	1
5AA-223063	S500 4MATIC	2021	43
		2022	12
5AA-223163		2021	1
4AA-223176	S580 4MATIC	2022	2
7AA-223976	Mercedes Maybach S580 4MATIC	2022	3
		TOTAL	77