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Mr. Jeff Giuseppe Associate Administrator for Enforcement National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Attn: Recall Management Division (NVS-215) Room W48-302 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Mr. Giuseppe:

We are transmitting the enclosed Defect Information Report in accordance with 49 CFR Part 573. A voluntary recall campaign will be initiated and your office provided with the notices.

Very truly,

Derek Latta Manager, Technical Compliance

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## **DEFECT INFORMATION REPORT**

### 1. Manufacturer:

Nissan North America, Inc., Canton Plant

### 2. Vehicles Potentially Involved:

Certain Model Year 2020 Nissan Titan and Titan XD vehicles equipped with gasoline engines manufactured from December 13, 2019 to June 3, 2020 at the Canton, Mississippi plant.

No other Nissan (or Infiniti) vehicles are affected by this issue because this report applies only to certain vehicles produced during a defined time period. Vehicles manufactured outside the above production ranges are unaffected, based on manufacturing production records.

The name and address of the Engine Gas Ignition (EGI) harness supplier is:

Aptiv Contract Services Noreste Guadalupe III Ave. Maestro Israel Cavazos # 300 Col. Ninos Heroes. Guadalupe, Nuevo Leon, Mexico CP 67190

Pablo Escoto Phone: +52 8283356725 Email: Pablo.Escoto@Aptiv.com

The name, description and part number of the recalled component is below:

Part Name	Part Description	<u>Part Number(s)</u>
HARNESS ASSY-EGI	EGI HARNESS	24011 9FV0C
HARNESS ASSY-EGI	EGI HARNESS	24011 9FV1B
HARNESS ASSY-EGI	EGI HARNESS	24011 9FV0B

#### 3. <u>Total Number of Vehicles Potentially Involved:</u>

Approximately 7,583 vehicles total are subject to this recall.

Model	Volume of Production	
MY 2020 Nissan Titan	7061	
MY 2020 Nissan Titan XD	522	

# 4. Percentage of Vehicles Estimated to Actually Contain the Defect:

0.8%<sup>1</sup>

## 5. <u>Description of the Defect:</u>

On certain Model Year 2020 Nissan Titan and Titan XD vehicles, the EGI harness may have been assembled incorrectly by the supplier, which may have left an exposed wire. If this occurs, the exposed wire may contact the copper wire from the shielded transmission power wire and cause an electrical short or arcing.

An electrical short may cause the vehicle to experience abnormal engine and transmission performance. This short might affect the fuel pump power supply, potentially causing an engine stall while driving without the ability to restart; which may increase risk of a crash. In addition, the short may cause harness thermal damage that could potentially cause a thermal incident, which may increase risk of injury.

## 6. Chronology of Principal Events:

The chronology will be supplemented.

## 7. <u>Description of Corrective Action:</u>

Owners of the subject vehicles will be notified beginning on January 27, 2021. Dealers will be notified on December 9, 2020. The dealer will inspect the EGI harness and replace with a new one if damaged. If no damage, the harness will be re-assembled.

Nissan will not include a statement in the Part 577 owner notification concerning reimbursement for the cost of obtaining a pre-notification remedy for the subject vehicles as they are under warranty. Your office will be provided with a copy of the Part 577 owner notification for approval.

# 8. <u>Copy of Notices:</u>

Copies of all notices will be provided to NHTSA as they become available.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The estimated percentage of vehicles involved with defect is 0.8%. However, 1% is used on NHTSA's safety portal because it will not allow decimal values.