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**Statement by American Honda Regarding
Hybrid Power Control Unit Software Recall: 2020 Honda Accord Hybrid, 2020
Honda CR-V Hybrid and 2020-2021 Honda Insight**

- **27,838 vehicles are affected in the United States**
- **Hybrid PCU software will be updated, for free**
- **No reported crashes or injuries related to this issue**

TORRANCE, Calif. – Dec. 22, 2020 – Honda will voluntarily recall 27,838 model-year 2020 Accord Hybrid, 2020 CR-V Hybrid and 2020-2021 Insight vehicles in the United States to update software in the Hybrid Power Control Unit (PCU). Under certain circumstances, the portion of the PCU that controls charging of the 12 volt accessory battery may malfunction, sending the PCU into a “fail safe” mode, preventing battery charging and activating warning displays for the driver. Since a charged 12 volt battery is required for proper vehicle function, this condition may cause a vehicle to stall while driving, potentially increasing the risk of a crash. Honda has received no reports of crashes or injuries related to this issue.

Honda is announcing this recall to encourage each owner of an affected vehicle to take it to an authorized dealer as soon as they receive notification of this recall from Honda. Mailed notification to owners will begin in late-Feb. 2021. Owners can also determine if their specific vehicles are included in the recall by visiting www.recalls.honda.com or by calling (888) 234-2138.

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