Audi AUDI DEALER COMMUNICATION

Advance Notice – <u>Safety Recall 68i2 / Front Seat Belts</u>

This notice is for: Date: Issue:	 ✓ Dealer Principal ✓ General Manager ✓ Parts Manager ✓ Parts Manager ✓ Sales Managers ✓ Service Advisor ✓ Technicians July 28, 2022 The retention force of the seat belt tensioner on the front seats (driver and passenger side) in affected vehicles may not reach the intended level. The seat belt tensioner in the affected vehicles serve the purpose of holding the passenger in his position in the seat and this function is present. In the event of a crash, the retention force of the seat belt may not reach the intended level. As a result, the position of the body can be further to the front of the seat, which leads to a negative influence on the whole restraint system, increasing the risk of injury.				
Repair:	 REPAIR NOT YET AVAILABLE Check daily campaign open inventory report or OMD for affected vehicles in inventory. 				
Affected Vehicles	Beginn Country Mode Year	el Model	Vehicle	e Vehicle Count	
	USA 2022	2022	A3 SEDA	N 2,221	
	USA 2022	2022	S3 SEDA	N 363	
	CAN 2022	2022	A3 SEDA	N 899	
	CAN 2022	2022	S3 SEDA	N 233	
Notes:	*Counts reflect overall population; some vehicles may have already been repaired. Check Campaigns/Actions screen in Elsa <u>on the day of repair</u> to verify that a VIN qualifies for repair under this action. Elsa is the <u>only</u> valid campaign inquiry & verification source. IMPORTANT REMINDER: VEHICLES AFFECTED BY SAFETY & COMPLIANCE RECALLS New Vehicles in Dealer Inventory: It is a violation of federal law for a dealer to deliver a new motor vehicle or any new or used item of motor vehicle equipment (including a tire) covered by this notification under a sale or lease until the defect or noncompliance is remedied. By law, dealers must correct, prior to delivery for sale or lease, any vehicle that fails to comply with an applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard or that contains a defect relating to motor vehicle safety. Pre-Owned Vehicles in Dealer Inventory: Dealers should not deliver any pre-owned vehicles in their inventory which are involved in a safety or compliance recall until the defect has been remedied.				
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Ensure all dealership personnel are aware of this notice so they are able to address customer questions. Contact Warranty if you require additional assistance. Direct press inquiries to Audi Public Relations.