# OVERLY SENSITIVE BRAKES OR PERCEIVED DELAYED TRANSMISSION REVERSE ENGAGEMENT

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# FORD:

2013 C-MAX, Fusion

# ISSUE

Some 2013 C-MAX Hybrid/Energi vehicles built on or before 10/2/2012, and Fusion Hybrid/Energi and MKZ Hybrid vehicles built on or before 11/01/2012, may exhibit an overly sensitive brake pedal feel often described as grabby brakes, or a perceived 2-3 second delayed transmission engagement in reverse due to the hill start assist feature activating briefly after starting the vehicle.

### ACTION

Follow the Service Procedure steps to correct the condition.

#### SERVICE PROCEDURE

- Reprogram the Anti-Lock Brake System (ABS) module to the latest calibration using Integrated Diagnostic System (IDS) release 84.02 and higher. Calibration files may also be obtained at www.motorcraft.com.
  - a. At the Program Module screen in the IDS service tool, select Program PCM. By selecting the PCM the update will be applied to the appropriate modules as required by the software update.

LINCOLN: 2013 MKZ

WARRANTY STATUS: Eligible Under Provisions Of

New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage Warranty/ESP coverage limits/policies/prior approvals are not altered by a TSB. Warranty/ESP coverage limits are determined by the identified causal part and verified using the OASIS part coverage tool.

#### OPERATION DESCRIPTION 130521A 2013 C-MAX, F MKZ: Reprogra Appropriate Mo

2013 C-MAX, Fusion And 0.5 Hr. MKZ: Reprogram The Appropriate Modules As Required By The Software Updates Includes Time To Clear Codes After Repair (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)

#### **DEALER CODING**

BASIC PART NO. 2C219 CONDITION CODE 04

TIME

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