

**6.8L ENGINE - STATIONARY ELEVATED IDLE CONTROL (SEIC) WITH  
POWER TAKE-OFF (PTO)****TSB 14-0008****FORD:**

2012 F-650, F-750

**ISSUE**

Some 2012 F-Super Duty 650/750 vehicles equipped with a 6.8L engine may exhibit a delayed engagement for the SEIC-PTO mode operation after decelerating to a stop. Vehicles operated as roll-back wreckers or other similar uses of stationary PTO mode may exhibit slow re-entry into PTO mode after the vehicle is moved. Some vehicles exhibit more than 20 seconds of wait-time before stationary PTO mode is allowed by the engine controller. The calibration update contains improvement actions and enhancements to allow a more prompt re-entry into stationary PTO mode after the primary inputs (motionless vehicle, service brake engaged, in Park, and no brake or accelerator pedal inputs) are achieved.

**ACTION**

Reprogram the powertrain control module (PCM) to the latest calibration using IDS release 88.02 and higher. Calibration files may also be obtained at [www.motorcraft.com](http://www.motorcraft.com).

**NOTE:**

PLEASE ADVISE THE CUSTOMER THAT THIS VEHICLE IS EQUIPPED WITH AN ADAPTIVE TRANSMISSION SHIFT STRATEGY WHICH ALLOWS THE VEHICLE'S COMPUTER TO LEARN THE TRANSMISSION'S UNIQUE PARAMETERS AND IMPROVE SHIFT QUALITY. WHEN THE ADAPTIVE STRATEGY IS RESET, THE COMPUTER WILL BEGIN A RE-LEARNING PROCESS. THIS RE-LEARNING PROCESS MAY RESULT IN FIRMER THAN NORMAL UPSHIFTS AND DOWNSHIFTS FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

OPERATION	DESCRIPTION	TIME
140008A	2012 F-Super Duty F-650/750 6.8L 3V: Reprogram The PCM (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)	0.3 Hr.

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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.

**DEALER CODING**

BASIC PART NO.	CONDITION CODE
RECAL	04

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