

**BLIND SPOT INFORMATION SYSTEM (BLIS) - EXTENDED WARNING  
AFTER OBJECT LEAVES DETECTION AREA - BUILT ON OR BEFORE  
4/6/2015**

**TSB 16-0035**

**LINCOLN:**  
2015 MKC

**ISSUE**

Some 2015 MKC vehicles built on or before 4/6/2015 may exhibit a concern with the BLIS warning indicator remaining on longer than one minute after an object leaves the detection area and the detection area remains clear.

**ACTION**

Follow the Service Procedure steps to correct the condition.

**SERVICE PROCEDURE**

1. Does the BLIS warning indicator remain on longer than one minute after an object leaves the detection area and the detection area remains clear? Refer to the Owner's Manual for the detection area.
  - a. Yes - replace the affected side obstacle detection control module (SOD). Refer to Workshop Manual (WSM), Section 419-04.
  - b. No - this article does not apply. Refer to WSM, Section 419-04 for normal diagnostics.

| <b>PART NUMBER</b> | <b>PART NAME</b>                       |
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| EJ7Z-14C689-A      | Side Obstacle Detection Control Module |

| <b>OPERATION</b> | <b>DESCRIPTION</b>   | <b>TIME</b> |
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| 160035A          | 2015 MKC: Diagnose And Replace The SODL Module (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)            | 0.9 Hr.     |
| 160035B          | 2015 MKC: Diagnose And Replace The SODR Module (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)            | 0.9 Hr.     |
| 160035C          | 2015 MKC: Diagnose And Replace Both SODL And SODR Modules (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations) | 1.3 Hrs.    |

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Eligible Under Provisions Of New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage And Emissions 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**

| <b>BASIC PART NO.</b> | <b>CONDITION CODE</b> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 14C689                | 42                    |

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