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**TO:** All U.S. Ford and Lincoln Dealers

**SUBJECT:** **Advance Notice - Safety Recall 15S22**  
Certain 2004-2006 Ford Ranger Vehicles  
Passenger Airbag Inflator Replacement

**AFFECTED VEHICLES**

Vehicle	Model Year	Assembly Plant	Build Dates
Ranger	2004	Edison	April 7, 2003 through March 2, 2004
Ranger	2004 - 2006	Twin Cities	March 24, 2003 through May 4, 2006

Affected vehicles are identified in OASIS. In addition, for a list of vehicles assigned to your dealership, visit <https://web.fsavinlists.dealerconnection.com>.

**REASON FOR THIS SAFETY RECALL**

Takata has determined that the air bag inflator propellant wafers in some inflators may experience an alteration over time, which could potentially lead to an over-aggressive combustion in the event of an airbag deployment. This potential condition could create excessive internal pressure when the airbag is deployed, which could result in the body of the inflator rupturing upon deployment increasing the risk of injury to occupants.

**SERVICE ACTION**

A complete Dealer Bulletin will be provided to dealers when parts ordering information and repair instructions will be available to support this safety recall.

**CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION**

Owners of record will be notified via first-class mail after repair instructions and parts ordering information are provided to dealers.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**Federal law requires dealers to complete this recall service before a new vehicle is delivered to the buyer or lessee. Violation of this requirement by a dealer could result in a civil penalty of up to \$7,000 per vehicle. Correct all vehicles in your new vehicle inventory prior to delivery**

**QUESTIONS**

Special Service Support Center (Dealer Assistance Only) .....1-800-325-5621

Sincerely,

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