

TAKATA CRISIS : FRENCH GUIANA STILL IN A STATE OF CRITICAL EMERGENCY

Urgent Action Needed in French Guiana

As part of the global recall campaign targeting defective airbags manufactured by supplier TAKATA, Sud Motors reminds the public that thousands of "potentially dangerous" vehicles are still on the road in French Guiana without having undergone the required safety procedure. These vehicles must urgently be brought into a workshop for inspection and repair.

Since the beginning of the campaign, Sud Motors' teams have shown strong commitment and effectiveness:

- ✓ 125 airbags replaced in January 2025
- ✓ 115 in February 2025

However, momentum has dropped significantly:

- ⚠ Only 58 vehicles processed in March 2025
- ⚠ Just 36 in April

This sharp decline is alarming, especially as each unreplaced airbag poses a serious risk of severe, even fatal, injury. We are issuing an urgent call to all owners of Audi, SEAT, Skoda, Suzuki, and Volkswagen vehicles affected: please do not delay, schedule your appointment as soon as possible.

A Priority, Free, and Fast Intervention

Sud Motors guarantees priority service in its workshop for affected vehicles:

- 📦 All replacement parts are available
- 💰 The intervention is completely free of charge
- 🕒 Average downtime: less than 3 hours
- ☎ Appointments via a single hotline: **05 94 10 64 84**

About the Takata Recall Campaign

The Takata airbag crisis concerns a major safety issue linked to airbags manufactured by Japanese company Takata. The crisis emerged after it was discovered that certain airbags could rupture during deployment, causing potentially fatal injuries. These defects have been directly linked to numerous serious injuries and deaths.

The airbags in question were installed between 2002 and 2017 by 19 car manufacturers, across 34 global brands. As of late 2023, over 30 deaths worldwide, including 26 in the United States, had been attributed to these malfunctions. Takata airbag explosions have also caused injuries to over 400 individuals globally.

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DISTRIBUTES AUDI, CUPRA, SEAT,
SUZUKI, VOLKSWAGEN AND
VOLKSWAGEN UTILITAIRES
BRANDS IN GUYANE.

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TAKATA AIRBAGS

AMONG THOUSANDS OF VEHICLES AFFECTED IN FRENCH GUIANA,
THERE ARE STILL 598 AUDI.

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STOP DRIVE & FREE REPAIRS



A4

Années 1996-2001
2005-2011



TT

Années 1996-2001
2015-2017



A6

Années 1996-2001
2005-2011



AUDI CABRIOLET

Années 1996-2001



A4 CABRIOLET

Années 2005-2011



A8

Années 1996-2001



A5 CABRIOLET

Années 2008-2013



Q5

Années 2009-2012



R8

Années 2015-2017

Are you recognizing your vehicle ?

1- SCAN AND VERIFY

2- CONTACT US

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Audi Centre Guyane - Collery Ouest -
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A5 SPORTBACK

Années 2008-2013





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THERE ARE STILL 155 SEAT.

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EXEO

Années 2009-2013



LEON

Années 2013-2017



TOLEDO

Années 2013-2017



IBIZA

Années 2013-2017



ALHAMBRA 711

Années 2013-2017



ATECA

Années 2013-2017



LEON

Années 2010
2013-2015



TOLEDO

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ALTEA

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CITIGO (NF)
2013-2018



FABIA II (54)
2013-2018



FABIA III (NJ)
2015-2018



KODIAQ EU (NS)
2017-2018



OCTAVIA III (5e)
2013-2018



RAPID EU (NH)
2013-2018



ROOMSTER (5J)
2013-2015



SUPERB II (3T)
2014-2015



SUPERB III (3V)
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YETI (5L)
2014-2017





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FOX

Années 2007-2011



UP!

Années 2012-2016



POLO

Années 2007-2014



GOLF/ GOLF PLUS

Années 2009-2014



GOLF CABRIOLET

Années 2012-2016



EOS

Année 2010-2015



BEETLE / COCCINELLE

Années 2012-2018



TIGUAN

Années 2015-2016



PASSAT

2006-2017



TRANSPORTEUR/MULTIVAN

Années 2008-2015



CRAFTER

Années 2006-2017

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