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Looking for Failed 12-Volt Batteries

AFFECTED VEHICLES

2016 MDX and 2015-16 TLX V6

We're currently looking into a no-start issue requiring 12-volt battery replacement. To fully understand what's causing this issue, we need to collect failed batteries from vehicles that meet these criteria:

- The test results from the GR8 battery diagnostic station read **Replace**.
 - NOTE: When testing a battery for a battery-related issue such as no-start, always use the GR8 instead of the ED-18 battery tester. It offers more thorough testing.
- The battery is still in the vehicle.
- The battery is original equipment. You can tell if it is by the label on top of the case. If it's black/white, that battery is original equipment. If it's blue/white, that battery is an Acura replacement.
- The vehicle is from a client, not dealer inventory.

If you have or know of such a vehicle, call Technical Research & Support at 800-880-1072. They'll need certain vehicle info from you and will give you further instructions.

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