Service Bulletin

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Subject:

HANDS-FREE BLUETOOTH MODULE AND/OR TEXT MESSAGING
TROUBLESHOOTING PROCEDURE

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APPLICABLE MODEL(S)/VINS

2016 CX-3	2007- <mark>2016</mark> CX-9	2009-2016 Mazda6
2013- <mark>2016</mark> CX-5	2010- <mark>2016</mark> Mazda3	2009- <mark>2016</mark> MX-5

2008-2012 CX-7 2008-2015 Mazda5 2009-2011 RX-8

DESCRIPTION

Some vehicles may exhibit BLUETOOTH® hands-free and/or text messaging related concerns.

To improve the handling of BLUETOOTH® hands-free and/or text messaging customer concerns, Mazda created a special service and parts exchange program as of February 2010.

Customers experiencing related concerns should have their vehicle and/or device inspected according to the following procedure.

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REPAIR PROCEDURE

- Verify customer concern.
- 2. Check MS3 Online (Mazda Service Support System) for related service bulletins and service alerts.
- 3. Verify that the customer has provided the correct phone or device.
- 4. Confirm the device compatibility by web or smartphone.

	Go to:	
1. Web	www.MazdaUSA.com/Bluetooth	
2. Smartphone	MyMazda app; press MAZDA CONNECT	

NOTE:

- When checking compatibility, be aware that phones may be approved for some functions but not for others.
- Scroll down to make sure there are no red X's in the compatibility list.
- 5. If the steps above did not resolve the customer's concern, contact Mazda Hands-Free System Customer Care at (800) 430-0153 to review the concern further.

NOTE:

- If for any reason there was a mis-communication regarding the concern written on the RO, the Mazda Hands-Free System Customer Care representative can clarify it.
- If Mazda Hands-Free System Customer Care has provided you a case number, they have determined there could be a problem with the hands-free module. However, a case number does not mean automatic module replacement. Proceed to next step.
- 6. Troubleshoot the vehicle according to the instruction on MS3 online or the Workshop Manual (ex. CX-5 WSM shown below):

SECTION 09 > BODY AND ACCESSORIES > ON-BOARD DIAGNOSTICS:

- FOREWORD [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DTC INSPECTION [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DTC TABLE [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DTC: B116A:12, 26:Er82 [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DTC: B116A:13 [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DTC; B116A:44, 26:Er86 [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DTC: U0197:00/26:Er81 [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- DIAGNOSTIC ASSIST FUNCTION [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]

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SECTION 09 > BODY AND ACCESSORIES > SYMPTOM TROUBLESHOOTING:

- FOREWORD [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- TROUBLESHOOTING INDEX [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE SYSTEM DOES NOT RECEIVE/TRANSMIT CALLS, DOES NOT CONNECT [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- CALLER'S VOICE VOLUME TOO LOW, OR NOISE INTERRUPTS CALL [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- ADDRESSEE'S VOICE VOLUME TOO LOW, OR NOISE INTERRUPTS CALL [Bluetooth SYSTEM (HANDS-FREE TELEPHONE (HF/TEL) SYSTEM)]
- If the cause cannot be determined through MS3 online or the Workshop Manual, contact the Mazda Technical Hotline for assistance and support.

NOTE: The Mazda Technical Assistance Hotline does not provide authorization for warranty or parts ordering.

- If it is determined that a replacement hands-free module is required, proceed to next step.
 - NOTE: Provide the case number to your parts dept. so they can order the part.
- 7. Replace the hands-free module according to the instruction on MS3 online or the Workshop Manual (section 09 > Body and Accessories > Entertainment > Bluetooth UNIT REMOVAL/INSTALLATION).
- 8. Verify the repair.

PARTS INFORMATION

Review the points below when ordering a hands-free Bluetooth unit:

NOTE:

- Use the Mazda Hands-Free System Customer Care case number to place the order with United Radio for the part exchange.
- Place the order online (it is not necessary to call United Radio directly).
- Select the United Radio link from the DAG (Dealer Assistance Group) Exchange Central website:
- https://portal.mazdausa.com/dealershome/service_parts/dag/exchange_page_1.htm

WARRANTY INFORMATION

NOTE: For this TSB only, dealers may use actual time (up to a maximum of 0.9 hr.) to cover any necessary diagnostic time.