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General Letter GL-05-003

To: Dealer Principals, Sales Managers and Service Managers Subject: Non-approved Vehicle Modifications

In response to recent articles relating to aftermarket engine modifications that have appeared in various media, we advise that Mitsubishi Motors Australia Ltd has not issued any approval, tacit or otherwise, for any engine modification on any of our vehicle range.

Furthermore, as stated in the Service and Warranty Book under "Explanation of Warranty", if a defect occurs on a vehicle as a result of modification or alteration that is not approved by MMAL, the warranty on the component affected will be void and, in addition, any consequential damage will not be covered.

For example, in the case of an engine modification that increases engine output the warranty on the following components/systems will be affected:

- Engine
- · Underhood components damaged by heat
- Transmission
- Differential
- Clutch
- Driveshafts
- Brakes

Modifying the suspension or fitting alternative non-certified wheels and tyres may affect the warranty coverage on:

- Steering
- Suspension
- Wheels
- Brakes
- Body

Any dispute arising as a result of a non-approved modification or the installation of non-approved parts must be resolved between the customer and the supplier of the modification.

Your assistance in communicating this information to all relevant staff is appreciated.

Yours sincerely, Mitsubishi Motors Australia Limited

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