



**Warranty Extension: IMA Battery**

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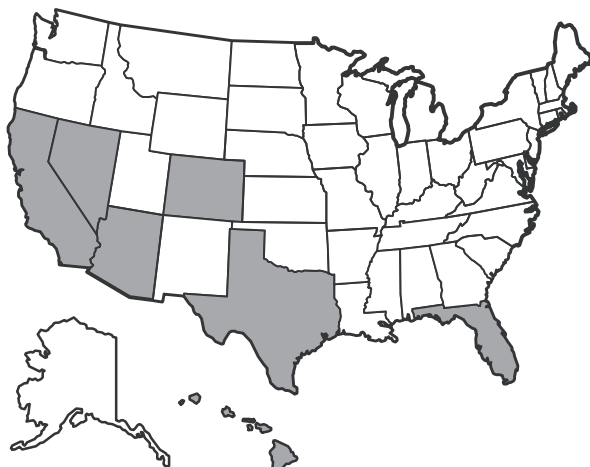
**BACKGROUND**

NOTE: Because of a class action settlement, the warranty extension coverage for the IMA battery on 2002–04 Insights purchased or leased between April 13, 2002, and November 7, 2006, is now 10 years or **157,500 miles**, whichever occurs first. For more information, refer to Service Bulletin 06-085, *Warranty Extension: Vehicle Warranty Mileage*.

To ensure continued reliability with the IMA system, American Honda is announcing an IMA battery warranty extension for certain 2000–2004 Insights. The IMA battery is now covered for 10 years or 150,000 miles, whichever comes first. This warranty extension applies only in states where there is an abnormally high replacement rate for IMA batteries.

**VEHICLES AFFECTED**

This warranty extension affects all 2000–2004 Insights registered in the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida, Hawaii, Nevada, and Texas, the shaded states on this map.



**CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION**

Owners of affected vehicles within the seven-state area have received a notification of this warranty extension and a related product update. An example of the product update/warranty extension notification is at the end of Service Bulletin 06-026, *Product Update: Premature IMA Battery Module Failure*.

To verify warranty extension eligibility, you **must** do a VIN status inquiry.

**CORRECTIVE ACTION**

Replace the IMA battery if it has failed.

**WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION**

Operation Number: 1181H5  
 Flat Rate Time: 1.0 hour  
 Failed Part: P/N 1K000-PHM-906  
 H/C 7595408  
 Defect Code: 5KH00  
 Symptom Code: Q1200  
 Template ID: 06-027A  
 Skill Level: Repair Technician

**REPAIR PROCEDURE**

Replace the IMA battery. Refer to Service Bulletin 00-070, *IMA Battery Module In-Warranty Exchange Program*.



**CUSTOMER INFORMATION:** The information in this bulletin is intended for use only by skilled technicians who have the proper tools, equipment, and training to correctly and safely maintain your vehicle. These procedures should not be attempted by “do-it-yourselfers,” and you should not assume this bulletin applies to your vehicle, or that your vehicle has the condition described. To determine whether this information applies, contact an authorized Honda automobile dealer.