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2004-2006 RX-8 Powertrain Warranty Extension Program SSP 67

Dear Mazda Owner:

Mazda Motor Corporation is conducting a Special Service Program (SSP) which extends the warranty coverage on Powertrain Components on all 2004, 2005 and 2006 model year RX-8 vehicles. The warranty coverage for the Powertrain Components will be extended to 5 years (60 months) from the original warranty start date, with a 60,000 mileage limitation. If you are a recipient of this notice, your vehicle is included in this program.

The following is a general list of components covered by this warranty.

- Engine
- Transmission and Transaxle
- Front/Rear Drive System

A complete list of components covered by this warranty can be found in the attachment "Powertrain Limited Warranty."

Also included in this notification is an addendum card to be placed in your original warranty booklet. Please follow the included instructions for placement of the card.

This warranty extension is effective immediately and does not require a visit to your local Mazda dealer.

What if you have paid for a repair that is covered by this new warranty?

If you have paid for a repair out of warranty which would have been covered by this extended warranty, you may be eligible for reimbursement of reasonable repair expenses based on Mazda's repair standards.

Please complete the enclosed "Reimbursement Application Form," including the necessary documentation, and mail it to us in the pre-addressed envelope provided, allowing 6-8 weeks for processing.

If you have moved or no longer own your RX-8, please complete the enclosed prepaid *Information Change Card* as soon as possible. This enables us to update our records and notify the current owner.

If you have any questions regarding this SSP, please contact our Customer Assistance Center at (800) 222-5500, option #4.

Your satisfaction is a priority for Mazda. We actively work to improve our products and search for solutions to improve your ownership experience. Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience this program may have caused you.

Sincerely,

Mazda North American Operations

POWERTRAIN LIMITED WARRANTY

Mazda warrants that the Powertrain Components of your new Mazda Vehicle is free from defects in Mazda-supplied material or workmanship which results in improper function, subject to the following terms and conditions.

A Mazda Dealer will make necessary repairs, using new or remanufactured genuine Mazda parts, to correct any problem covered by this warranty without charge to you.

1. Warranty Period Extension

The warranty period is extended to the 5 years (60 months) or 60,000 miles, whichever comes first, from warranty start date. During the warranty period, this warranty is transferable to subsequent owners. Mail the “Subsequent Ownership Notification” attached to the end of the booklet to your Mazda Importer/Distributor.

2. What Is Covered

The following is a general list of components covered by this warranty.
(See next page for specific components covered.)

- Engine
- Transmission and Transaxle
- Front /Rear Drive System

Towing

If your Mazda is not drivable due to the failure of a warranted powertrain component, then towing service will be covered to the nearest Mazda dealer during the coverage period of the Powertrain Limited Warranty (5 years/60,000 miles).

3. What Is Not Covered

The “What is Not Covered” is the same as stated for New Vehicle Limited Warranty section of your original warranty booklet.

4. To Get Warranty Service

You must take your Mazda Vehicle, along with this addendum card and original warranty booklet, to any Mazda Dealer in the United States, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, Saipan or American Samoa during their normal service hours.

If you have any questions or need assistance regarding this warranty, refer to the “When You Need to Talk to Mazda” section of your original warranty booklet.

5. Limited Liability

The liability of Mazda under this warranty is limited solely to the repair or replacement of parts defective in Mazda-supplied material, or workmanship by a Mazda Dealer at its place of business. Specifically, it does not include any expense of, or related to, transportation to such a dealer or payment for loss of use of the Mazda Vehicle during warranty repairs.

6. Other Terms

The “Other Terms” stated in the New Vehicle Limited Warranty section of your original warranty booklet also apply to this warranty.

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Powertrain Warranty Parts List

Below are the powertrain components covered under the Powertrain Limited Warranty:

- **Engine**

- Cylinder Block, Cylinder Head, and All Internal Lubricated Parts (Piston engines)

- Rotor Housing and All Internal Lubricated Parts (Rotary engines)

- Timing gears

- Timing chain/belt and tensioner

- Timing chain/belt front cover and gaskets

- Flywheel

- Valve Covers and Gaskets

- Oil Pan

- Oil Pump

- Intake Manifold and Gaskets

- Exhaust Manifold and Gaskets

- Engine Mounts

- Turbocharger Housing and All Internal Parts

- Supercharger Housing and All Internal Parts

- Water Pump and Gaskets

- Thermostat and Gaskets

- Fuel Pump

- Seals and Gaskets

- **Transmission and transaxle**

- Transmission Case and All Internal Parts

- Torque converter

- Clutch Pressure Plate

- Transmission Mounts

- Transfer Case and All Internal Parts

- Transmission/Transaxle Control Module

- **Front/Rear Drive System**

- Final Drive Housing and all Internally Lubricated Parts

- Rear Axle Housing (Differential) and all Internally Lubricated Parts

- Manual and Automatic Hub (4×4)

- Front Wheel Hubs and Bearing (FWD Transaxles)

- Rear Axle/Hub Bearings (RWD and AWD only)

- Axle/Drive Shafts

- Universal Joints

- Constant Velocity Joints

- Propeller shaft (RWD and AWD only)

- Seals and Gaskets