

# Blue Print Warranty Statement

## 1. General

- 1.1** Automotive Distributors Ltd (ADL) offers an unlimited mileage warranty against manufacturing defects on all its Blue Print brand products when these are purchased directly from ADL, its branches or subsidiaries, or through ADL's recognised distribution channels. This warranty does not seek to limit the rights of the consumer and is in addition to them.
- 1.2** The warranty commences on the date of installation of the component. Products fitted after 1st February 2009 carry a three year warranty. Products fitted before this date carry a two year warranty. Terms, conditions and exclusions apply and these are explained in full below.
- 1.3** This is not a "no quibble" warranty – all Warranty claims are subject to inspection at the discretion of ADL and must be submitted in accordance with the Company's procedures.

## 2. Blue Print Warranty Terms and Conditions

### 2.1 Warranty Period

- 2.1.1** Three Year Warranty: All Blue Print products first fitted on or after 1st February 2009 are warranted against manufacturing defects for 36 months, from date of first fitment.
- 2.1.2** Two Year Warranty: All Blue Print products first fitted before 1st February 2009 are warranted against manufacturing defects for 24 months, from date of first fitment.

### 2.2 Extent

- 2.2.1** The Blue Print Warranty applies only to Blue Print branded automotive components and accessories originally sold by Automotive Distributors Ltd, its branches or subsidiaries. It does not apply to additional products or services offered by ADL in support of the sale of Blue Print automotive components, such as marketing merchandise or technical support.
- 2.2.2** The Blue Print Warranty applies to all products which are correctly selected using the latest Blue Print catalogue (including third party catalogue systems authorised by ADL to carry Blue Print catalogue data) or are selected via a cross reference to another brand (so long as the cross reference has been supplied by ADL or is shown to be indisputably accurate by ADL's own research). Parts must always be fitted according to the vehicle manufacturer's specification.

- 2.2.3** The Blue Print Warranty covers manufacturing defects only and not general "wear and tear". All parts must be replaced in accordance with the vehicle manufacturer's recommended service schedule.
- 2.2.4** The Blue Print Warranty does not cover the replacement of a part damaged as a result of incorrect fitment, misuse, abuse, accident, modification, improper maintenance, or failure caused by a product for which Automotive Distributors Ltd is not responsible.
- 2.2.5** In addition to the cost of replacing defective parts, the Blue Print Warranty covers the cost of any associated labour (as detailed in 3.2 below) and the cost of repairing any consequential damage to a vehicle that can be directly attributed to the failure of the Blue Print component.
- 2.2.6** The Blue Print Warranty does not cover any vehicle recovery or transportation charges, nor does it apply to any personal transport, accommodation or other costs incurred by the vehicle owner, user and/or passengers as a result of a malfunction or failure of a Blue Print part.
- 2.2.7** The Blue Print Warranty will only apply to products purchased directly from Automotive Distributors Ltd, its branches or subsidiaries, or its recognised distributors. Products re-sold by non-approved internet resellers are specifically excluded and do not carry any Blue Print Warranty as a result.
- 2.2.8** ADL reserves the right to reject warranty claims where the vehicle in question has been modified from standard factory specification, or has been used for any form of racing, time trial, track day or any other activity that can be fairly described as being outside of normal road use.

## 3. Warranty Service

- 3.1** Warranty claims on Blue Print products must be made via the distributor who supplied the product, in accordance with ADL's Warranty Procedures. Proof of installation / fitment date may be requested.
- 3.2** Valid claims will be reimbursed for the cost of the defective parts, any directly associated labour (at an agreed labour rate and based on vehicle manufacturer approved (ICME) repair times) plus directly attributable consequential damage resulting as a consequence of the manufacturing defect.

## 4. Statutory Rights

This statement does not affect your statutory rights. For full details of our terms and conditions of sale please refer to our local distributor.

