 <b>HYUNDAI</b> <b>Technical Service Bulletin</b>	GROUP <b>RECALL</b>	NUMBER <b>26-01-036H</b>
	DATE <b>APRIL 2026</b>	MODEL(S) <b>PALISADE (LX3) PALISADE HYBRID (LX3 HEV)</b>
<b>SUBJECT:</b> 3 <sup>RD</sup> ROW LH SEAT BELT BUCKLE WIRE HARNESS INSPECTION & WIRING EXTENSION INSTALLATION (RECALL 297)		

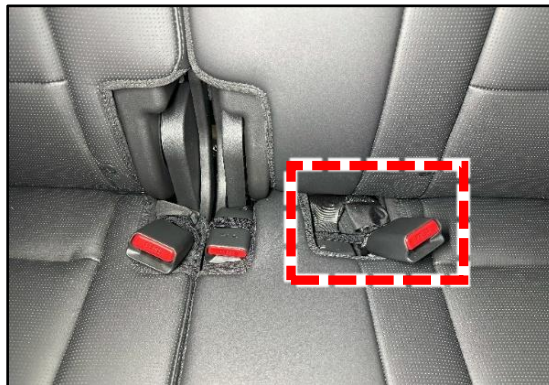
**\* IMPORTANT**

Vehicle repairs related to safety recalls are critically important and must be performed properly in accordance with TSB procedures. Review this bulletin in its entirety prior to beginning any repair work.

As required by federal law, dealers must not deliver new vehicles for sale or for lease to customers until all open recalls have been performed. Dealers must also perform all open recalls on used vehicles, demo, and rental vehicles prior to placing them into customer use and whenever an affected vehicle is in the shop for any maintenance or repair.

Access the “Vehicle Information” screen via WebDCS to identify open recalls.

**Description:** In certain 2026MY Palisade (LX3) and Palisade Hybrid (LX3 HEV) vehicles with Limited and Calligraphy trims, the internal wiring within the 3<sup>rd</sup> row left-hand (driver side) seat belt buckles may become damaged due to excessive tension applied when the buckle is pulled. Damage to the buckle wiring can prevent detection of the seat belt latch status for the 3<sup>rd</sup> row driver side seating position. Unfastened seat belts could increase the risk of injury during a crash. This bulletin provides instructions for inspecting the 3<sup>rd</sup> row LH seat belt buckle wiring, installation of a wiring extension and, if necessary, replacement of the seat belt buckle.



**Applicable Vehicles (Certain):**

Model Year	Model	Trim	Production Dates
2026	Palisade (LX3)	Calligraphy & Limited	05/08/2025 - 11/22/2025
	Palisade Hybrid (LX3 HEV)		08/11/2025 - 11/17/2025

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**Parts Information:**

Model	Part Name	Part Number	Figure	Remarks
Palisade (LX3) & Palisade Hybrid (LX3 HEV)	3rd LH Buckle Wire Extension Kit	898V9- P9000QQH		Kit Contents (1 each): • Extension wiring • Nonwoven fabric (3" X 3" in.)
	3rd Seat Buckle, LH	898J3-XXXXX		<b><u>ONLY</u> replace if damage confirmed on wire harness for seat belt buckle</b>

**Warranty Information:**

Model	Op. Code	Operation	Op. Time	Causal Part	Nature Code	Cause Code
Palisade (LX3) & Palisade Hybrid (LX3 HEV)	61D057R0	3 <sup>rd</sup> Row Power Seat LH Belt Buckle Harness Inspection and Wiring Extension Installation	0.3 M/H	898J3-P9010NNB	Q61	ZZ3

**NOTE 1:** Submit claim on Claim Entry Screen as "Campaign" type.

**NOTE 2:** If any part(s) not subject to this TSB are found in need of replacement while performing the repair procedure, and the affected part(s) are still under warranty, the dealer may submit a separate claim using the same repair order. If the part(s) not subject to this TSB are out of warranty coverage, the dealer has the option to submit a PA Request for goodwill consideration on a case-by-case basis.

**NOTE 3:** This TSB includes repair validation photos. Op times include VIN, mileage, and repair validation photo(s) as outlined in the Digital Documentation Policy.

**NOTE 4:** If the seat belt buckle requires replacement, submit claim through warranty. Ensure that normal warranty process is followed before replacing the buckle. The incident parts are subject to callback through the normal Warranty Technical Center (WTC) parts return process. **Claim is subject to debit if the part is not returned.**

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**Service Procedure:**

**DIGITAL DOCUMENTATION**



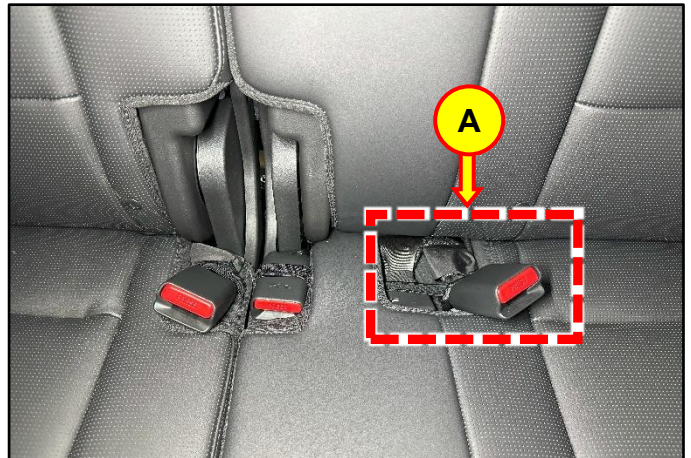
This TSB includes repair validation photos. Refer to the latest Warranty Digital Documentation Policy for requirements.

**NOTICE**

Applying the recommended torque to all fasteners is essential to reduce potential issues from occurring after the service procedure.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Row LH Seat Belt Buckle Harness Inspection**

1. Locate the 3<sup>rd</sup> row LH (driver side) seat belt buckle (A).

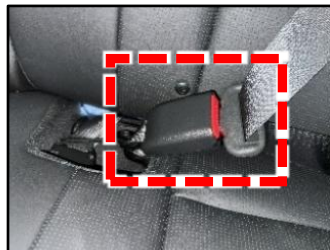


2. Apply the parking brake and then turn the vehicle ignition **ON**.

Without depressing the brake pedal, press the **START/STOP** button twice.



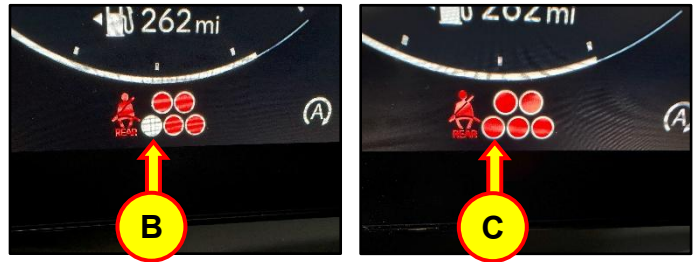
3. Buckle and unbuckle the 3<sup>rd</sup> row LH (driver side) seat belt.



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4. Confirm the light indicator on the instrument cluster for the 3<sup>rd</sup> row LH (driver side) changes to **white** (B) when buckled and **red** (C) when unbuckled.

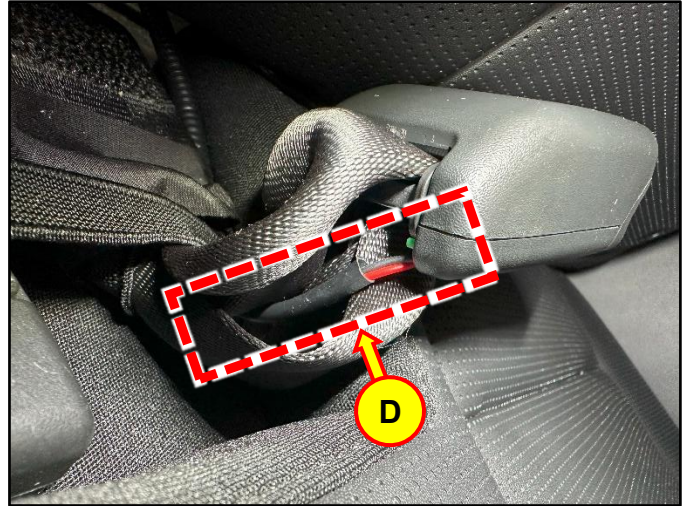
- If the indicator does **NOT** change to white when buckled (C), then go to **step 6**.
- If it is operating as designed (B), then go to the next step.



5. Inspect the red and black wire harness (D) from the seat belt buckle.

Inspect for possible damage such as torn, cut, or exposed wire.

- If damage is found with the wire harness, then go to **step 6**.
- If the seat belt buckle is operating as designed and **NO** damage is found with the wire harness, then proceed to [3<sup>rd</sup> Row LH Seat Belt Buckle Wire Extension Installation](#).



6. Replace the seat belt buckle by referring to the shop manual:
- **Body (Interior / Exterior / Electrical) > Seat Belt > Rear Seat Belt Buckle > Removal and Installation > 3<sup>rd</sup> Row Seat Belt Buckle [LH]**

**NOTICE**

If the seat belt buckle requires replacement, refer to the EPC for part number and submit the claim through the normal warranty process.

**Submit a separate campaign claim under recall campaign to close out the recall.**

7. Verify proper operation of the 3<sup>rd</sup> row seat and the LH seat belt buckle.
8. The service procedure is now complete.

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1. Open the tailgate and move the LH (driver side) 3<sup>rd</sup> row seat to the most forward position by pressing and holding the forward button (A).



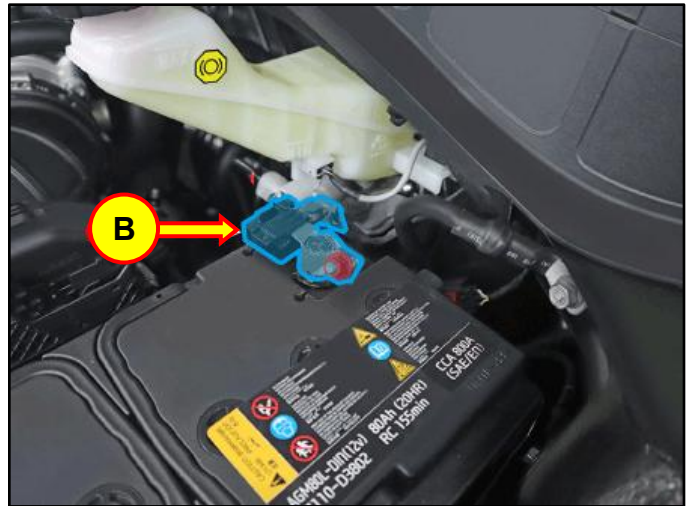
2. Disconnect the 12V negative (-) battery terminal (B).

**Tightening Torque:**

lb-ft	6.5
lb-in	78
N.m	8.8

**Information**

On Palisade Hybrid vehicles, the 12V battery is in the rear cargo area of the vehicle under the luggage center tray.



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3. Open the luggage center tray cover (C).

**CAUTION**

Wear gloves to prevent hand injuries.

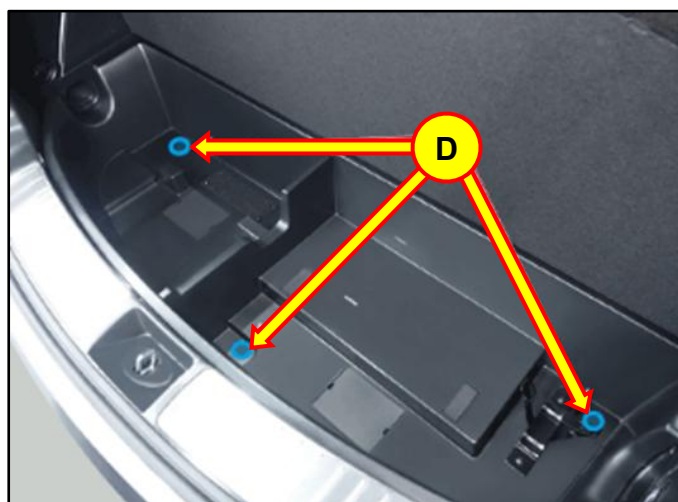
**NOTICE**

Use a plastic trim removal tool when removing components to prevent damage.

Be careful **NOT** to bend or scratch components during removal.



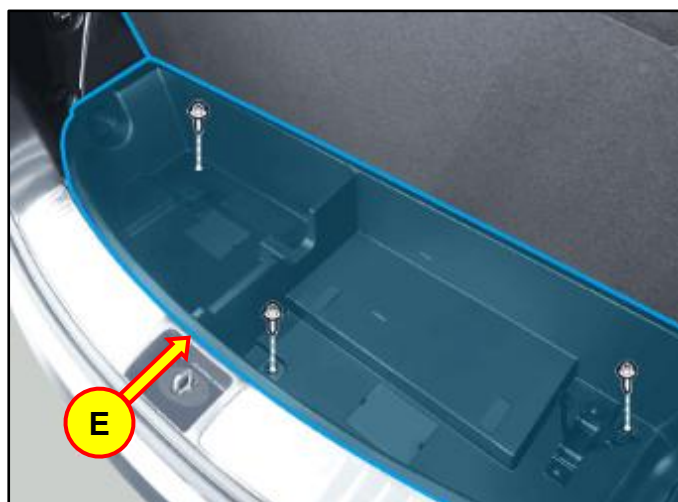
4. Remove the hole plugs (D) in the luggage center tray.



5. Remove the screws, then remove the luggage center tray (E).

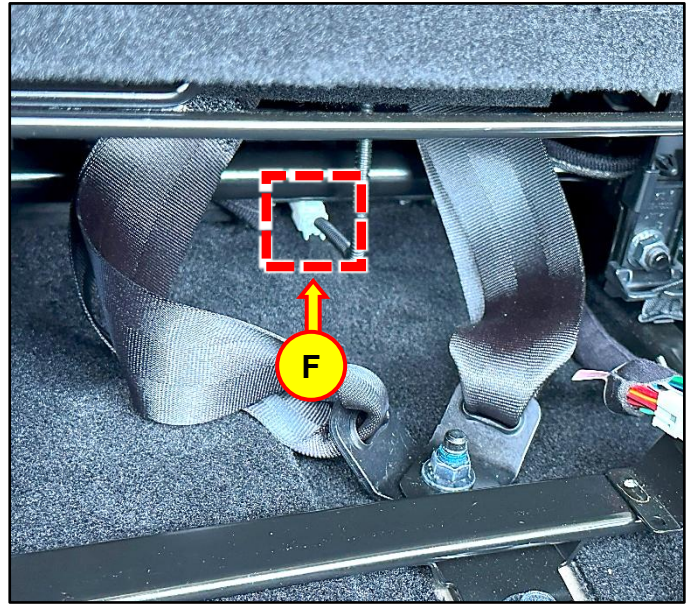
**i Information**

On Palisade Hybrid vehicles, disconnect the negative (-) battery terminal on the 12V battery, which can now be accessed under the luggage center tray.

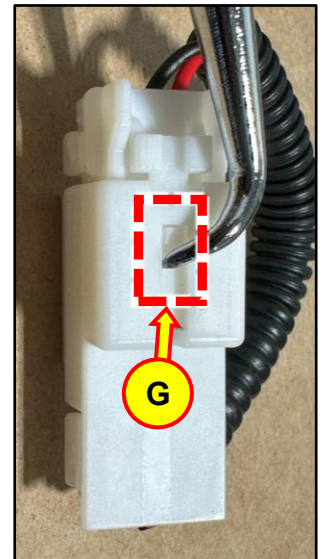
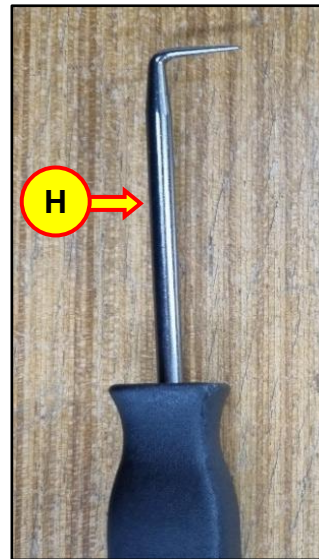


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6. Disconnect the connector (F) of the lower 3<sup>rd</sup> row LH seat belt buckle by pressing the locking pin from the center groove (G) in the connector with an angled pick tool (H), or equivalent.

***i* Information**

The connector sits facing down, place the pick underneath the connector and push upward to unlock the pin.



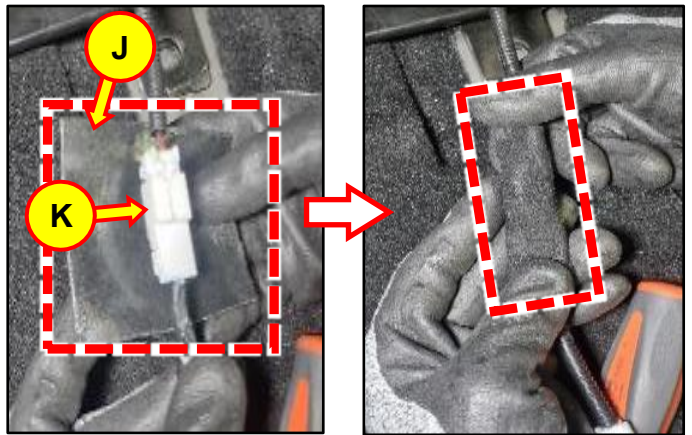
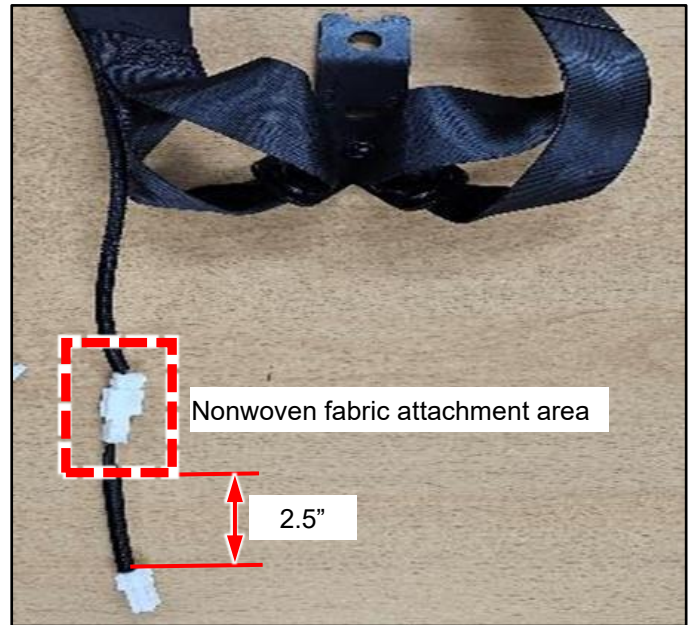
7. Securely connect the new extension wiring (I) from the kit to the disconnected wiring connector.



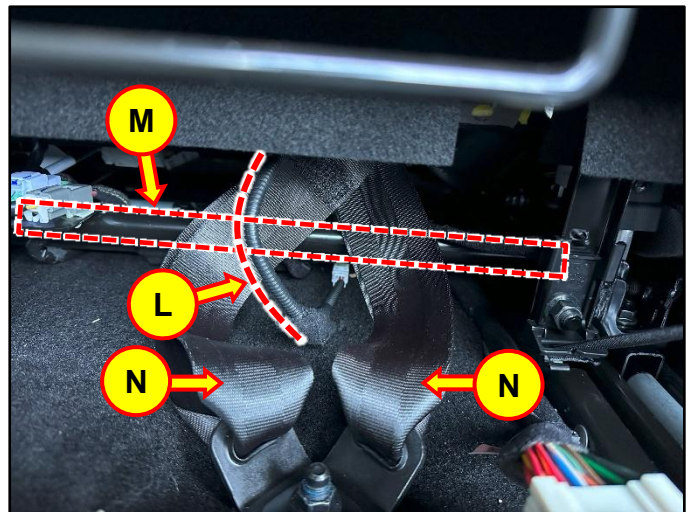
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8. Wrap the nonwoven fabric (J) from the kit around the extension wiring connector housing (K) about **2.5" inches** from the end connector as shown in the picture to the right.



9. Position the extended wire harness (L) around the seat beam (M) and between the two seat belts (N) as shown in the picture to the right.



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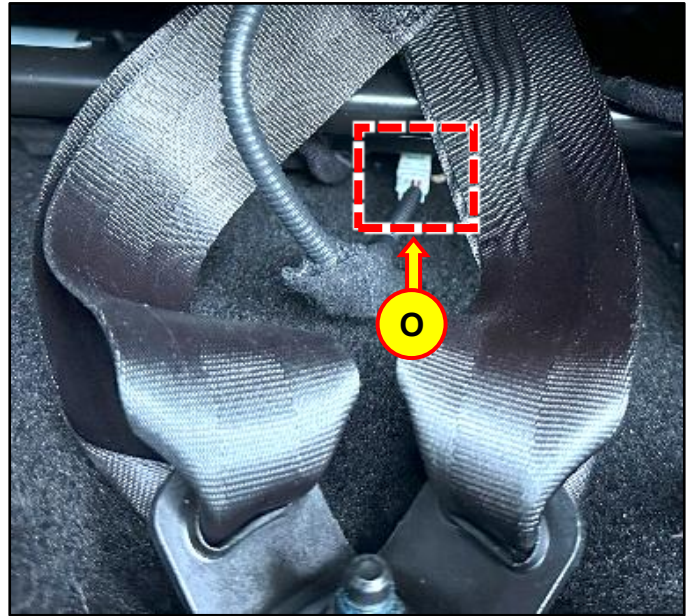
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10. Connect the extension wiring connector (O).



**Information**

Ensure the wrapped connector is in the position shown.



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**DIGITAL DOCUMENTATION**



Using the STUI camera function, take a photo of the new wiring extension installed at the LH 3rd row seat belt buckle.

Upload the photo to STUI.

**NOTE:** If the STUI camera function is **NOT** used, write the last 6 digits of the VIN and date of repair on a piece of



12. Verify proper operation of the 3<sup>rd</sup> row LH seat belt buckle.
13. Reinstall all parts in the reverse order of the removal process.
14. The service procedure is now complete.