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Bulletin No.: PI0872

Date: December, 2012

PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

Subject: Evaporative Emissions Pipe Rubs on Engine Cover, Brace or Battery Cable - Service

Engine Soon Light On, DTC P0442 Set

Models: 2013 Cadillac ATS

Equipped with 3.6L Engine (RPO LFX)

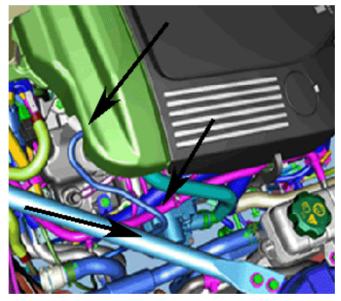
Built Prior to November 1, 2012

Condition/Concern

Some customers may comment on a Service Engine Soon light and technicians may find DTC P0442 set.

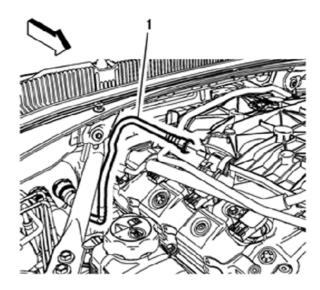
Recommendation/Instructions

Technicians should inspect the evaporative emissions hose/pipe for contact at the following areas:



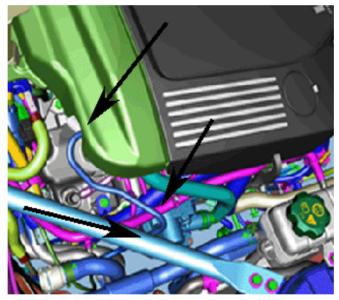
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- Engine Cover
- Battery Cable
- · Engine Compartment diagonal brace



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1. Inspect the evaporative emission hose/pipe for contact.



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2. If contact is found between the evaporative emission hose/pipe and the engine cover, battery cable or diagonal brace, install a 435 mm (17 in) piece of flexible conduit over the nylon portion of the evaporative emission hose/pipe.



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- 3. Slide the conduit forward on the pipe so that it contacts the quick connect fitting on the purge solenoid valve as shown in the picture above.
- 4. Clear any DTCs.

If the evaporative emission hose/pipe is damaged, replace the evaporative emission hose/pipe and install conduit to prevent future contact as explained in this PI. Refer to Evaporative Emission Pipe Replacement in SI for replacement procedures.

Parts Information

| Part Number | Description | Material Allowance |
|---|-------------|--------------------|
| 12125347* | Conduit | 435 mm (17 in) |
| *This can be used to service 10 vehicles. Place unused conduit on the shelf for future use. | | |

Warranty Information

For vehicles repaired under warranty, use the applicable labor code for the repair performed:

| Labor Operation | Description | Labor Time | |
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| L9734* | Install Conduit to Evaporative Emission System Hose/Pipe | 0.3 hr | |
| L0271 | Evaporative Emission System Hose/Pipe Replacement | Use Published Labor Operation Time | |
| *This is a unique labor operation for bulletin use only. It will not be published in the Labor Time Guide. | | | |