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Passat	2012-2013	All	All	All	All

Condition

94 12 02 October 8, 2012 2031039 Daytime Running Lamp Bulb Inoperative

Technical Background

Under certain conditions (speed, force, temperature, time) the Day Time Running Light (DRL) bulb can be subjected to premature failure. Excessive shock is generated from closing the hood caused by allowing it to drop from too great of a distance, which could result in premature failure of the DRL bulb filament.

Production Solution

N/A

Service

When closing the engine hood following any service or inspection, make sure that the hood is at a distance no greater than 12 inches before allowing the hood to drop closed, as per the vehicle owner guide.

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Tip:

12" may be approximately waist height (assuming an average height). When closing the hood above the waist, please lower it before dropping it ensuring 12" are not exceeded.



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Warranty

Information only.

Required Parts and Tools

No special parts required. No special tools required.

Additional Information

All part and service references provided in this Technical Bulletin are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Dept. and Repair Manuals for the latest information.

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