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SERVICE BULLETIN

APPLICABILITY: 2012-13MY Impreza 2.0L 4-Door Sedan Models

NUMBER: 07-78-13R

SUBJECT: Insect Entry into Rear Combination Lamps

DATE: 10/02/13

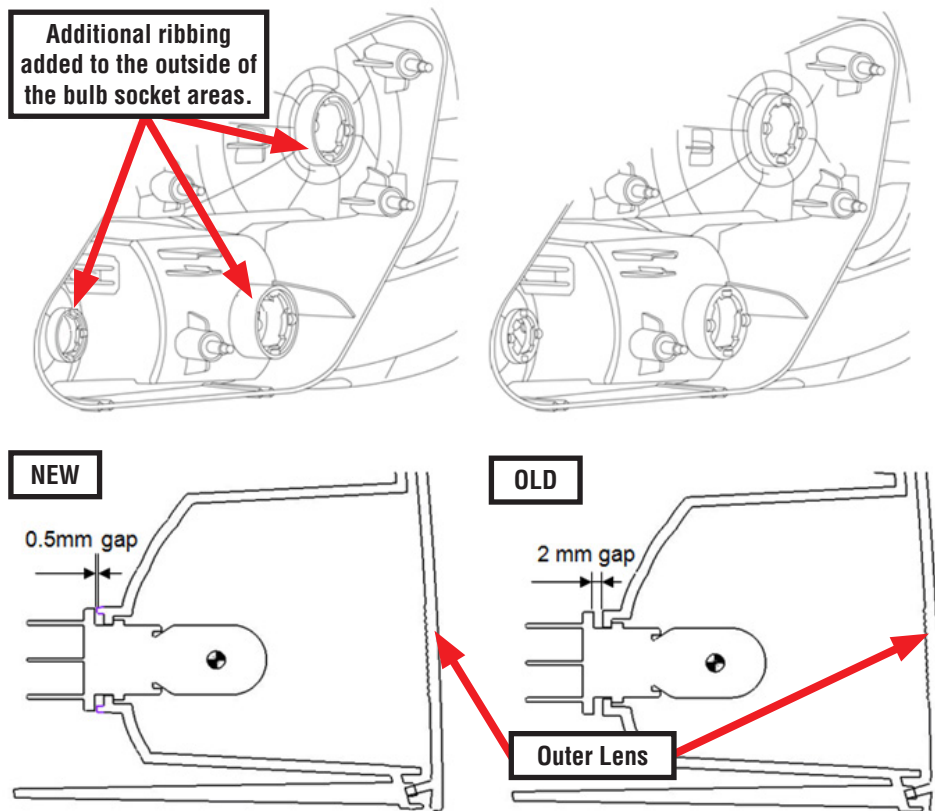
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INTRODUCTION

In the event of a customer concern regarding insects found inside the rear combination lamps, a countermeasure lamp assembly is now available to prevent the intrusion. The new combination lamps have an additional lip molded around the three bulb socket areas which decreases the gap between the socket and the housing from 2mm to 0.5mm.

COUNTERMEASURE IN PRODUCTION

The countermeasure combination lamps were incorporated into production 6/20/2013. Reference illustrations below show the difference between the old and new style combination lamps.



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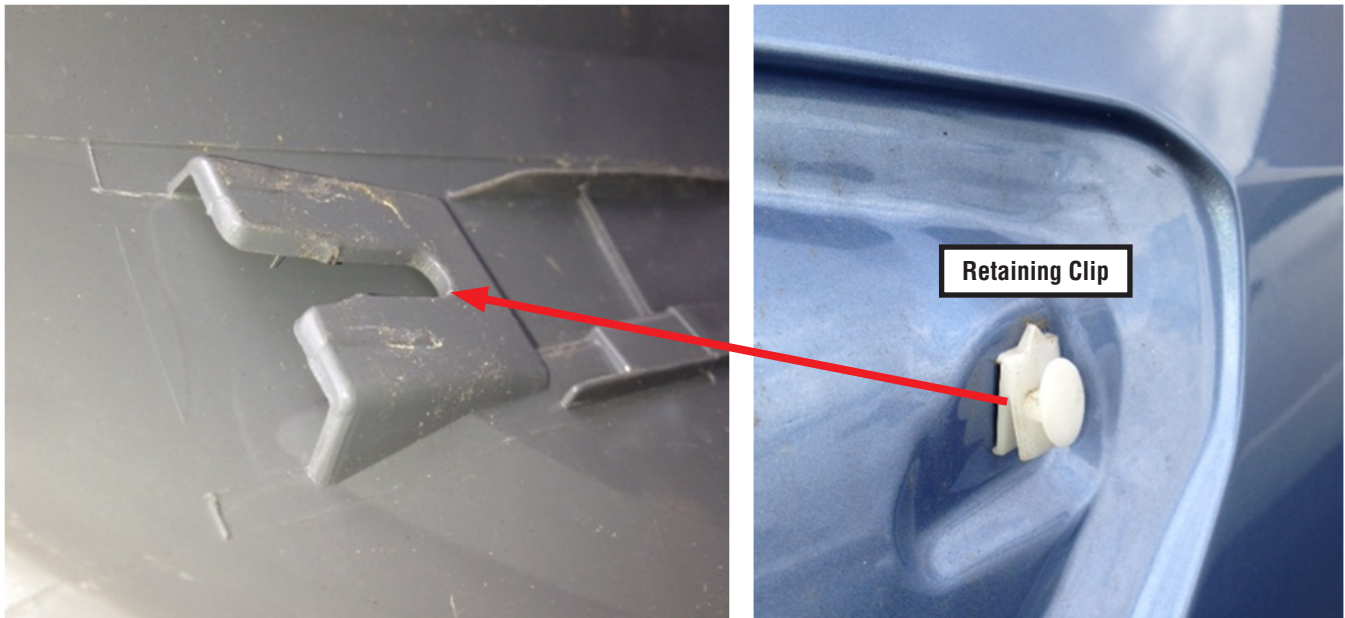
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PART INFORMATION

PART NAME	PART NUMBER
Lens & Body Compl (Right)	84912FJ181
Lens & Body Compl (Left)	84912FJ191

SERVICE PROCEDURE / INFORMATION

- Disconnect the combination lamp wiring harness connector and remove the four retaining nuts. Then slide the lamp assembly directly rearward to disengage it from the retaining clip. Be careful not to damage the retaining clip.



- Always replace the packing / gasket (included) with the new combination lamp assembly.
- After confirming the new lamp assembly is properly slid back on to the retaining clip, tighten the 4 retaining nuts to 7.5 Nm (5.5 ft. lbs.).

WARRANTY / CLAIM INFORMATION

For vehicles within the Basic New Car Limited Warranty period, this repair may be claimed using the following information:

LABOR DESCRIPTION	LABOR OPERATION #	FAIL CODE	LABOR TIME
One Rear Combination Lamps R&R	A916-201	XCB-48	0.2
Both Rear Combination Lamps R&R	A916-204		0.4