


SUBJECT
Retrofit for Missing Rear Seat Through-Load Option
MODEL

F83 (M4 Convertible)

SITUATION

The rear seat through-load capability is 100% standard option for F83 (M4 Convertible) 2015 model year. Some vehicles may have this option is missing.

AFFECTED VEHICLES

Vehicles produced from 7/09/2014 to 3/16/2015

Customers who own an affected vehicle will receive a letter from Customer Relations asking them to schedule an appointment with their BMW Center to retrofit this option.

In DCSnet, the Warranty Vehicle Inquiry's "Vehicle Comment" section for an affected vehicle will display the following message:

BMW NA is offering a retrofit installation of the "rear seat through-loading" option on this vehicle. Please see SI B51 08 15. If the vehicle has been already retrofitted, no further action is required.

Note: The parts supply for this retrofit is currently limited; parts will be distributed only on a VIN basis. Please see the special ordering instructions in the Part section below.

PROCEDURE

Please refer to the attachment to this bulletin for the retrofit procedure details.

PARTS INFORMATION

To order the parts for this retrofit please email specialpartsrequest@bmwna.com with your Dealer code (where the parts should be delivered), the last seven digits of the VIN, your name and phone number.

We will ship **all** of the parts listed below using the VIN as the Purchase Order number. If you already have the small hardware parts in stock and do not wish to receive them, then indicate that in the email.

Part Number	Description	Quantity
51 47 7 363 430	Insert, partition wall, middle (both brackets are included)	1
07 14 7 265 827	Blind rivet	2
51 47 7 300 752	Flap, thief-proofing	1

51 47 7 293 946	Trim panel partition wall bottom	1
51 47 7 293 945	Panel, partition, top	1
51 47 7 325 991	Trim panel, bulkhead, interiors	1
07 14 9 193 301	Expanding rivet Philips head	2
07 14 7 136 172	Expanding rivet push-in	4
51 34 7 351 100	Stop, top right	1
51 34 7 351 099	Stop, top left	1
07 14 9 148 299	Fillister head screw (M10 x 22)	2
07 14 9 158 182	Fillister head screw with collar (M5 x16 mm)	2

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Covered under the terms of the BMW New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks.

Defect Code	85 10 02 58 NA	Retrofit option code SA456 components
Labor Operation:	Labor Allowance:	Description:
51 47 143	Refer to KSD2	Removing and installing or replacing trim for interior partition
And:		
51 99 000	12 FRU	Work time for the remaining work to retrofit option 456

If you are using a Main labor code for another repair, use the Plus code labor operation 51 47 643 instead.

Refer to KSD2 for the corresponding flat rate unit (FRU) allowance.

Work time labor operation code 51 99 000 is not considered a Main labor operation. Also, since the “work time” FRU allowance to be claimed is specified, a separate punch time is not required.

ATTACHMENTS

View PDF attachment [B510815 Retrofit Procedure](#).

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