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Body Equipment

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Technical Service

SUBJECT

The Driver's Door Can No Longer Be Opened from the Outside

MODEL

F22 (2 Series Coupe)

F23 (2 Series Convertible)

F33 (3 Series Convertible)

F34 (4 Series Gran Turismo)

F36 (4 Series Gran Coupe)

F82 (M4 Coupe)

F83 (M4 Convertible)

SITUATION

The driver's door cannot be opened from the outside by the door handle. The door still can be opened from the inside.

CAUSE

The Bowden cable has become detached.

PROCEDURE

Refer to the attached procedure in order to secure the Bowden cable and add a cable strap to prevent it from becoming detached in the future.

PARTS INFORMATION

Part Number	Description	Quantity
61 13 1 367 599	Cable (tie) strap	1

WARRANTY INFORMATION

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

Defect Code:	51 21 04 37 00	
Labor Operation:	Labor Allowance:	Description:
		Removing and installing bowden cable

51 21 233

Refer to KSD2

for outer door handle on the “left” front
door

If you are using a Main labor code for another repair, use the Plus code labor operation 51 21 733 instead.

ATTACHMENTS

View PDF attachment [B512315 Attachment](#).

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