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Rear Axle

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Technical Service

SUBJECT

Howling Noise from the Rear Differential

MODEL

F30 (3 Series Sedan) PHEV

SITUATION

When coasting from 85 – 70 mph, there is a howling noise from the rear differential.

CAUSE

Resonance behavior during the running-in phase of the PHEV rear differential

PROCEDURE

Do not replace any parts. Inform the customer that this running-in phase can take up to 700 miles.

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Not Applicable.

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