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THIS BULLETIN SUPERSEDES SERVICE BULLETIN 18-110-15, DATED DECEMBER 22, 2015, WHICH SHOULD BE REMOVED FROM YOUR FILES. ALL REVISIONS ARE HIGHLIGHTED WITH **ASTERISKS** AND INCLUDE ADDITIONAL DIAGNOSTIC TROUBLE CODES (DTCs) AND LABOR OP.

FOR HELP WITH USING WITECH FOR ECU FLASH REPROGRAMMING, CLICK ON THE APPLICATION'S "HELP" TAB.

THE WITECH SOFTWARE IS REQUIRED TO BE AT THE LATEST RELEASE BEFORE PERFORMING THIS PROCEDURE.

SUBJECT:

Flash: 2.4L Powertrain Diagnostic And System Enhancements

OVERVIEW:

This bulletin involves reprogramming the Engine Control Module (ECM) with the latest available software.

MODELS:

2016 (BU) Jeep Renegade

NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles within the following markets/countries: NAFTA.

NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles built on or after October 16, 2015 (MDH 1016XX) and on or before May 20, 2016 (MDH 0520XX) equipped with a 2.4L Engine (Sales Code ED6).

SYMPTOM/CONDITION:

A small number of customers may experience a Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) illumination. Upon further investigation the technician may find one or more of the following Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs):

- **P050D Cold Start Rough Idle.
- U1424-00 Implausible Engine Torque Signal Received.
- P0335 Crankshaft Position Sensor Circuit.
- P1185 General Pressure Sensor Correlation.
- P0128 Thermostat Rationality.

- P1CEC Variable Valve Solenoid Valve Cold Start Closing Position 1 Timing Over-Retard.
- P1CED VAriable Valve Timing Solenoid Valve Cold Start Closing Position Timing Over-Advance.
- P1607 PCM Internal Shutdown Timer Rationality.
- P2610 PCM Internal Engine Off Timer Performance.
- P0440 General EVAP System Failure.
- P0441 EVAP Purge System Performance.
- P0456 EVAP System Small Leak.
- P0455 EVAP System Large Leak.
- P0452 EVAP Pressure Switch Stuck Closed.
- P0133 O2 Sensor 1/1 Slow Response.
- C0501 Wheel Speed Signal Left Front Rationality.
- C0507 Wheel Speed Signal Right Front Rationality.
- C050D Wheel Speed Signal Left Rear Rationality.
- C0513 Wheel Speed Signal Right Rear Rationality.
- U0428-00 Implausible Data Received From Steering Angle Sensor Module.
- P1185 General Pressure Sensor Correlation.
- C0061 Lateral Acceleration Sensor.**

DIAGNOSIS:

Using a Scan Tool (wiTECH) with the appropriate Diagnostic Procedures available in TechCONNECT, verify all engine systems are functioning as designed. If DTCs or symptom conditions, other than the ones listed above are present, record the issues on the repair order and repair as necessary before proceeding further with this bulletin.

If the customer describes the symptom/condition listed above or if the technician finds the DTC, perform the Repair Procedure.

REPAIR PROCEDURE:

NOTE: The Transmission Control Module (TCM) must be updated to the latest available software at the conclusion of this repair procedure. Refer to all applicable published service bulletins for detailed repair procedures and labor times regarding updating the TCM software.

NOTE: Install a battery charger to ensure battery voltage does not drop below 13.2 volts. Do not allow the charging voltage to climb above 13.5 volts during the flash process.

NOTE: If this flash process is interrupted/aborted, the flash should be restarted.

- 1. Reprogram the PCM with the latest software. Detailed instructions for flashing control modules using the wiTECH Diagnostic Application are available by selecting the application's "HELP" tab.
- 2. Clear all DTCs that may have been set in any module due to reprogramming. The wiTECH application will automatically present all DTCs after the flash and allow them to be cleared.
- 3. Verify the TCM is programmed with the latest available software. Refer to all applicable published service bulletins for detailed repair procedures and labor times regarding updating the TCM software.

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POLICY:

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

TIME ALLOWANCE:

Labor Operation No:	Description	Skill Category	Amount
18-19-06-JZ	Module, Powertrain Control (PCM) - Reprogram (0 - Introduction)	1 - Engine Repair and Performance	0.2 Hrs

NOTE: The expected completion time for the flash download portion of this procedure is approximately 6 minutes. Actual flash download times may be affected by vehicle connection and network capabilities.

FAILURE CODE:

The dealer must choose which failure code to use. If the customer came in with an issue and the dealer found updated software to correct that issue, use failure code CC, for all other use failure code RF.

- If the customer's concern matches the SYMPTOM/CONDITION identified in the Service Bulletin, failure code CC is to be used.
- If an available flash is completed while addressing a different customer concern, failure code RF is to be used.

CC	Customer Concern
RF	Routine Flash