Ticking or pulsing noise from high-pressure pump and fuel injectors

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Design group 07.02 Injection pump, Plug-in pump, High pressure pump

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Validity

All engines 276 / 278 / 157 / 152.

Reason for change

It is not required to submit cases

Reason for block

Complaint:

High-frequency ticking or pulsing noise from high-pressure pump and/or fuel injectors.

Cause:

The customer may be hearing the noise of pump lifting piston inlet in piston seat in the high pressure fuel pump or the closing noise of fuel injector tips following injection.

Regardless, these noises are the normal sound level of components, characteristic to the high-pressure injection system.

Remedy:

In the event of any noise complaints a reference vehicle must be used for comparison to assess the actual noise level.

Compare the noise in similar condition with or without foam enclosure for the high-pressure pump, with the engine hood closed, outside and from the inside the cabin.

Refer to general procedures and documentation related to engine complaints such as SI01.10-P-0001B or S-B-01.10/34.

Determination of sound levels might lead to component replacement in some situations. There is no need to submit cases however; it is a good practice to keep sound files and other information for any future references.

Symptoms
Power generation / Engine noise / Ticking
Power generation / Engine noise / Knocking/clacking
Power generation / Engine noise / Clattering
Power generation / Engine noise / Rings/knocks

Validity			
Vehicle	Engine	Transmission	
*	157.984	*	

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*	157.980	*
*	157.981	*
*	278	*
*	152	*
*	276	*
*	157	*
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