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GROUP: Body

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SUBJECT:

Rattle/Squeak From Lower Rear Seat

OVERVIEW:

This bulletin involves inspecting the rear seat track adjuster bar speed nut fasteners.

MODELS:

2014 - 2015 (KL)

Jeep Cherokee

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

NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles built on or after May 25, 2015 (MDH 0525XX) and on or before October 20, 2015 (MDH 1020XX).

SYMPTOM/CONDITION:

The customer may describe a rattling/ticking noise from rear seat track(s)/seat track adjuster bar area.

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DIAGNOSIS:

1. If the customer describes symptom/condition, verify by driving the vehicle over roads of varying quality and surface types. firmly hold the seat track adjuster bar and listen for a rattle/tick around one or more of the seat track adjuster bar to track connection areas (Fig. 1).



Fig. 1 Speed Nut locations

1 - The Four Seat Track adjustment Bar to Adjustment Track Locations

- 2. Does the rattle noise stop?
 - a. YES>>> Proceed to Step #1 of Repair Procedure.
 - b. NO>>> This bulletin has been completed, use LOP (23-19-18-90) to close the Service Bulletin. Normal diagnosis should be performed.

REPAIR PROCEDURE:

1. Move the seat forward so the speed nut is clear of the J-rail and accessible (Fig. 2).

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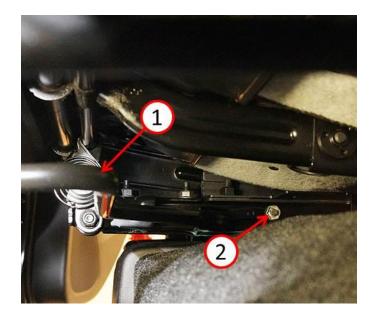


Fig. 2 Bottom of Rear Seat

- 1 Seat Track Adjuster Bar
- 2 Speed Nut
- 2. Tighten the speed nut to specification of 6 Nm (52 in lbs) (Fig. 3).

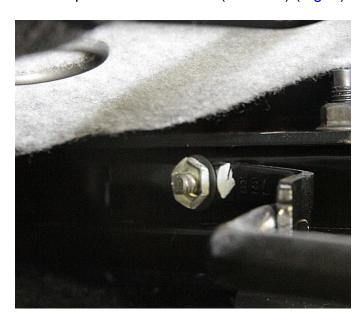


Fig. 3 Speed Nut

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POLICY:

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

TIME ALLOWANCE:

Labor Operation No:	Description	Skill Category	Amount
23-19-18-90	Road Test Vehicle to Identify Rattle/Tick Noise (0 - Introduction)	6 - Electrical and Body Systems	0.2 Hrs.
23-19-18-91	Road Test and Repair Second Row Seat Track Adjusters (0 - Introduction)	6 - Electrical and Body Systems	0.4 Hrs.

FAILURE CODE:

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