



# SERVICE BULLETIN

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## 2016 MAXIMA; ACCESSORY ACCENT LIGHTING FLICKERS

**APPLIED VEHICLES:** 2016 Maxima (A36) SR, SL, and Platinum trim levels ONLY

### IF YOU CONFIRM

That the interior accent lighting flickers intermittently.

### ACTION

1. Disconnect the BROWN wire that is part of the Accessory Connector Harness used when the Kit was installed.
2. Please refer to the following SERVICE PROCEDURE which shows the wire which needs to be disconnected.

### SERVICE PROCEDURE

1. Write down all radio station presets.

Presets	1	2	3	4	5	6
AM						
FM 1						
FM 2						
SAT 1						
SAT 2/3						
Bass	Treble	Balance	Fade	Speed Sen. Vol.		

2. Disconnect both battery cables, negative cable first.

**IMPORTANT:** The purpose of **ACTION** (above) is to give you a quick idea of the work you will be performing. You **MUST** closely follow the entire **SERVICE PROCEDURE** as it contains information that is essential to successfully completing this repair.

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3. Remove front kicking plate inner. Refer to INT-34, "FRONT KICKING PLATE: Removal and Installation - Inner" in the Electronic Service Manual.

4. Using a suitable tool, release metal clips (see Figure 1), then remove dash side finisher.

**CAUTION:** Take great care removing the finisher, it is fragile.

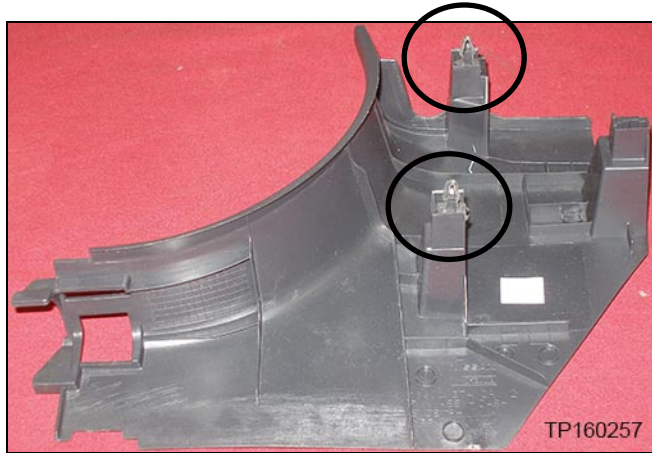


Figure 1

5. Remove the glove box. Refer to IP-24, "GLOVE BOX ASSEMBLY: Removal and Installation" in the ESM.
6. Identify the harness bundle shown in Figure 2 below.

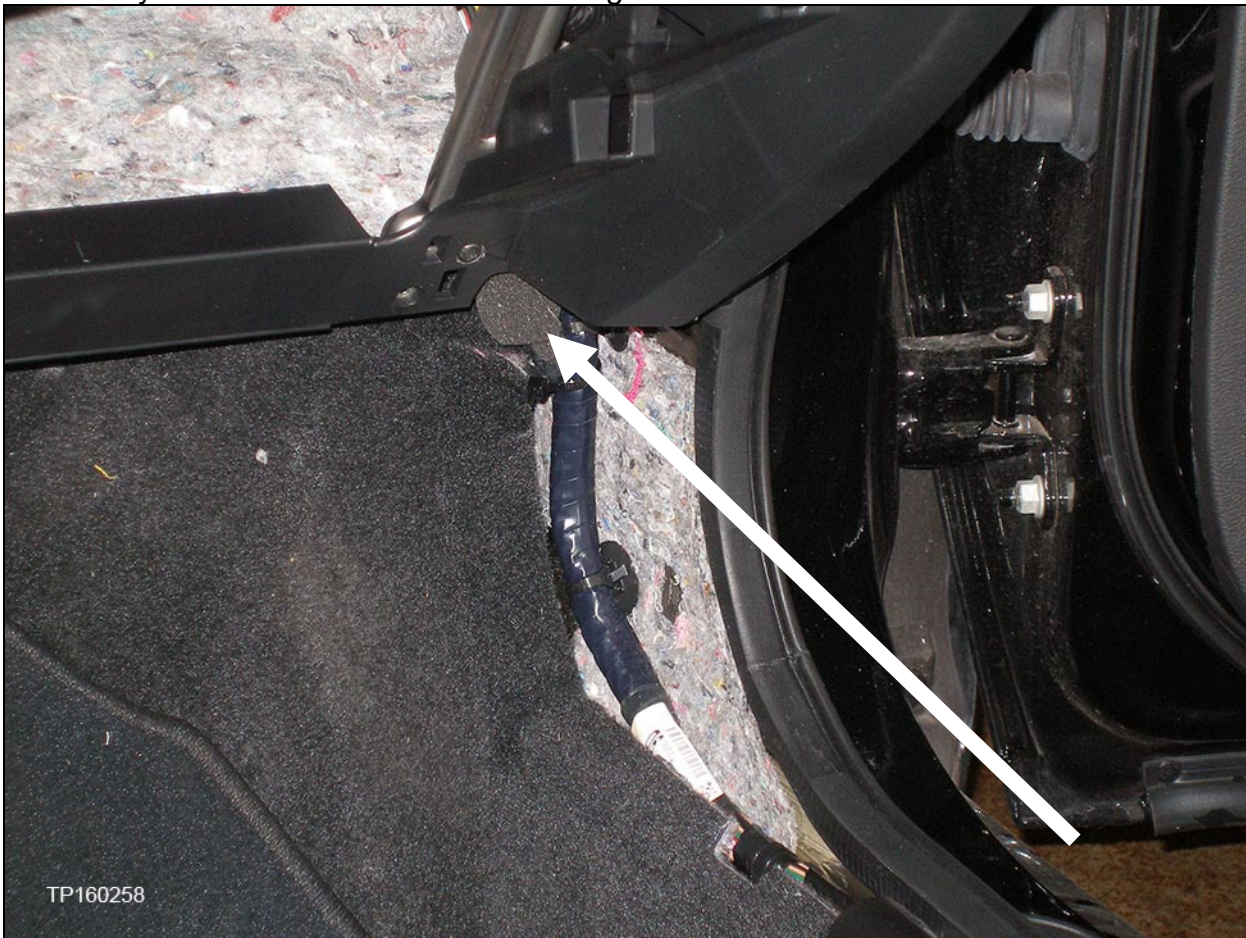


Figure 2

7. Disconnect the harness end to make the harness bundle more accessible (Figure 3).



Figure 3

8. Unwrap the harness bundle to expose the BROWN wire shown in Figure 4.

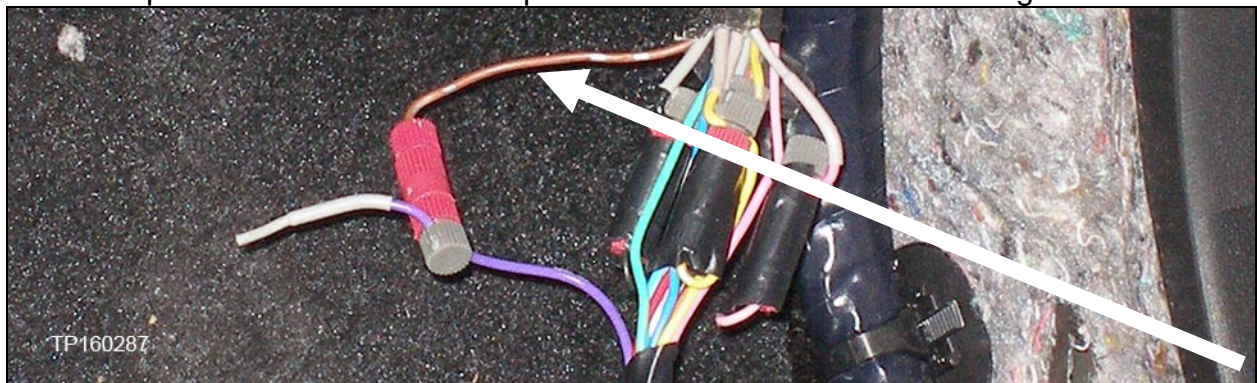


Figure 4

9. Cut the BROWN wire and wrap the two ends with electrical tape to insulate (Figure 5).



Figure 5

10. Bundle the wires together with electrical tape to further insulate them.

11. To isolate the bundle from rattles, wrap it with foam tape listed in the PARTS INFORMATION section of this bulletin.

12. Reassemble the vehicle in the reverse order of removal.

13. Connect both battery cables, negative cable last.

14. Reset / initialize all applied systems i.e., radio, power windows, clock, sunroof, etc.

- Refer to the ESM as needed.

### PARTS INFORMATION

DESCRIPTION	PART #	QUANTITY
EPDM Semi Closed Cell Soft Foam 50mm x 150mm x 5mm	J-50397-1 *	1 piece**

\* EPDM Semi Closed Cell Soft Foam 50mm x 150mm x 5mm P/N J-50397-1 is supplied in Squeak & Rattle Kit #J-50397. All items in the Squeak & Rattle Kit are available from TECH-MATE. To order, contact TECH-MATE at 1-800-662-2001. Or visit their website at [nissantechmate.com](http://nissantechmate.com). When ordering for this bulletin, refer to the P/N listed above.

\*\* Use **Expense Code 041** in the amount of \$2.00.

### CLAIMS INFORMATION

Submit a Primary Operation (PO) type line claim using the following claims coding:

DESCRIPTION	OP CODE	SYM	DIA	FRT
Repair Accessory Harness	RX5HAA	ZE	32	0.5

**Expense code:**

EXPENSE CODE	DESCRIPTION	MAX AMOUNT
041	SUPPLIES	\$2.00