Replacing a Bulkhead Module with a 500k Auto Baud Rate BHM

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General Information

Vehicles built in model year 2016 use a bulkhead module (BHM) with a 500k auto baud rate. If a BHM needs replacement, it must be replaced with the new BHM (A66-03086-000) with a 500k auto baud rate.

IMPORTANT: It is normally not necessary to replace the BHM. Replacing the BHM should be a last resort to solving electrical problems, unless the unit needs replacing due to physical damage.

Replacement

- 1. Open the hood.
- 2. Disconnect the negative leads from the batteries.

NOTE: The bulkhead module is located on the frontwall slightly below and outboard of the steering column. See Fig. 1.

- 3. Disconnect bulkhead harnesses B1 through B4 from the engine side of the frontwall. See Fig. 2.
- 4. Disconnect bulkhead harnesses B5 through B7 from the bulkhead module on the cab side of the frontwall. See Fig. 3.
- 5. Remove the tread plate from the driver door entry.
- 6. Remove the kick panel from the left side of the driver footwell.
- 7. Remove the five Torx® capscrews that secure the BHM to the cab side of the frontwall, then remove the BHM by pulling it through the opening into the cab.
- 8. Place the new BHM through the frontwall opening from the cab side, then secure it with five Torx capscrews and torque them 48 lbf·in (540 N·cm).
- 9. Install the kickpanel in the left side of the driver footwell and secure it with Torx capscrews.
- 10. Install the tread plate at the driver door entry.
- 11. Connect the bulkhead harnesses B5 through B7 to the BHM on the cab side of the frontwall.
- 12. Connect the bulkhead harnesses B1 through B4 to the BHM on the engine side of the frontwall.

IMPORTANT: The ignition and the battery switch must be in the ON position *before* the batteries are connected for the 500k auto baud rate BHM to operate properly.

- 13. Turn the ignition switch to the ON position.
- 14. Turn the battery cutoff switch (if equipped) to the ON position.
- 15. Connect the batteries.
- 16. Close the hood.
- 17. Flash the new BHM. Refer to **Section 54.12**, **Subject 110** for the *Business Class M2 Workshop Manual*, or **Section 54.07**, **Subject 110** for the *108SD/114SD Workshop Manual*.

Warranty

This is an informational bulletin only. Warranty does not apply.

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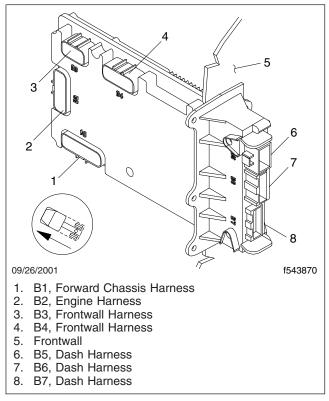


Fig. 1, Bulkhead Module Harness Connections

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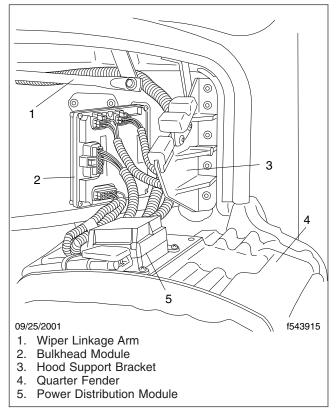


Fig. 2, Bulkhead Module from the Engine Side

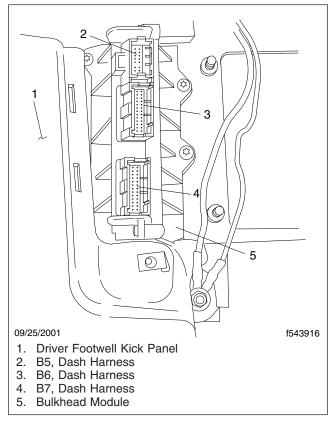


Fig. 3, Bulkhead Module from the Cab Side