

# **QUALITY ACTION**

# CAMPAIGN BULLETIN

## Automatic Transmission Dealer Inventory

Reference: PC561 Date: April 6, 2017

Attention: Dealer Principal, Sales, Service & Parts Managers

Affected Models/Years:	Affected Population:		SERVICE COMM Activation date:	
MY2017 Titan (non-XD) (A61) Gasoline – <b>2WD</b>	NA	6,705	April 6, 2017	NO

#### \*\*\*\*\*Dealer Announcement\*\*\*\*

Nissan is conducting a dealer inventory quality action to perform several inspections on **6,705** specific 2017 Titan (non-XD) Gasoline 2-wheel drive vehicles identified in Service Comm.

Dealer will perform the following:

- A/T Fluid Leak Inspection
- Steering Gear Leak Inspection

Affected vehicles are <u>not</u> subject to stop sale and are either currently in dealer inventory or assigned and in transit to the dealer. Nissan requests dealers to complete this inspection prior to sale to help ensure customer satisfaction.

#### \*\*\*\*\*What Dealers Should Do\*\*\*\*

- 1. Verify if vehicles currently in new dealer inventory are affected by this service action using Service Comm **I.D. PC561** 
  - New vehicles in dealer inventory can also be identified using DCS (Sales-> Vehicle Inventory, and filter by Open Campaign).
    - Refer to NPSB 15-460 for additional information
  - <u>Please continue to check newly arriving inventory for campaign</u> applicability.
- 2. Use the attached procedure to inspect the vehicle and, if necessary, repair.
- 3. The service department should submit the applicable warranty claim for the action(s) performed so it can be closed on Service Comm and release the vehicle.

#### \*\*\*\*\* Dealer Responsibility \*\*\*\*\*

It is the dealer's responsibility to check Service Comm using the appropriate campaign I.D for the inspection status on each affected vehicle currently in new vehicle inventory. Nissan requests dealers to perform this repair on new vehicles in inventory prior to being retailed to help ensure customer satisfaction.

#### **NISSAN NORTH AMERICA, INC.**

Aftersales DIVISION



# PC561 - TITAN (A61G, 2WD) MULTI-POINT INSPECTION

#### **SERVICE PROCEDURE:**

## Inspection 1: A/T Fluid Leak Inspection

1. Verify the VIN of the affected Vehicle.

2. Raise the vehicle on a lift (Figure 1).

Note: 4WD shown, 2WD similar.

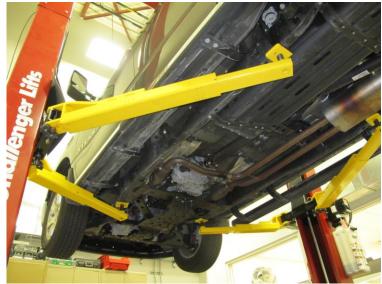


Figure 1

3. Locate the engine under cover (Figure 2).

Note: 4WD shown, 2WD similar.

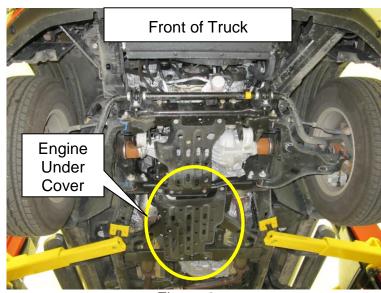
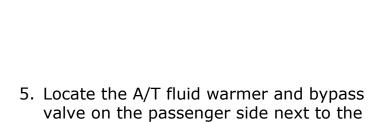


Figure 2

- 4. Remove the engine under cover (Figure 3).
  - Remove the (5) engine under cover bolts.

Note: 4WD shown, 2WD similar.



catalyst (Figure 4, 5).

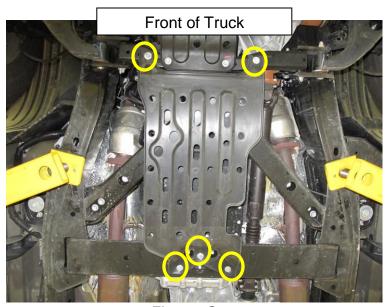


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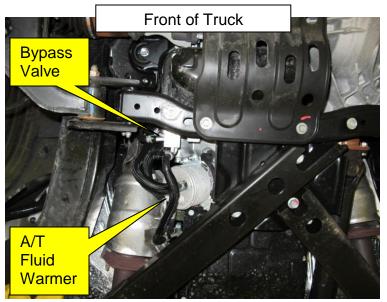


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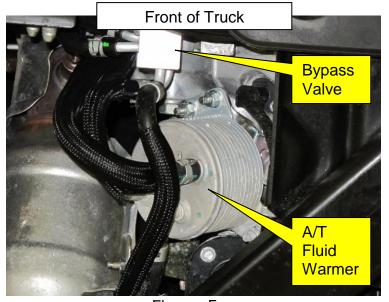


Figure 5

- 6. Inspect **four** A/T Warmer Hoses for proper configuration (Figure 6).
  - A. Straight tube hose placement: hose pushed all the way until flush with warmer housing.
  - B. Bent tube hose placement: hose pushed all the way to stop/lip or outward flare.
  - C. Clamp placement c; clamp located 5MM +or- 2MM (1/8<sup>th</sup> to 1/4 inch) from end of hose.

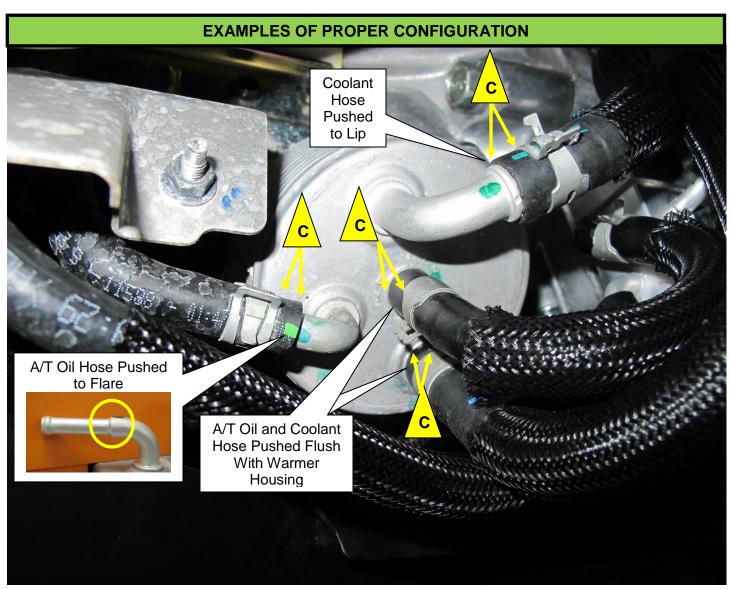


Figure 6

## 7. EXAMPLES OF A/T WARMER HOSE CONNECTIONS THAT REQUIRE **ADJUSTMENT.**

- Grenade pin not released (Figure 7).
- Clamp not seated properly on hose (Too close to the end of the hose) (Figure 8).
- Clamp not seated properly on hose (Too close to barb lip) (Figure 9).
- Hose not seated properly on barb (Check hose insertion length) (Figure 10).

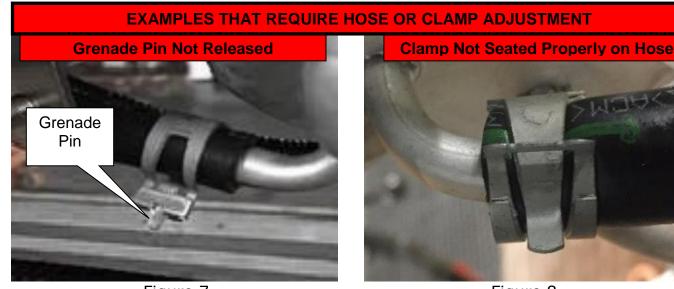


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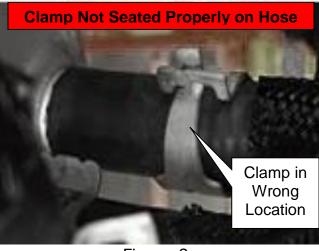


Figure 8



Figure 10

Figure 9

8. CORRECT ANY HOSES NOT PROPERLY INSTALLED, REFERENCE STEP 6 (FIGURE 6).

- 9. Inspect **four** bypass valve hoses for proper configuration (Figure 11, 12).
  - A. Bent tube hose placement: hose pushed to beginning of pipe bend.
  - B. Clamp placement B: clamp located 7.5MM +or- 2.5MM (3/16 to 3/8 inch) from the end of the hose.

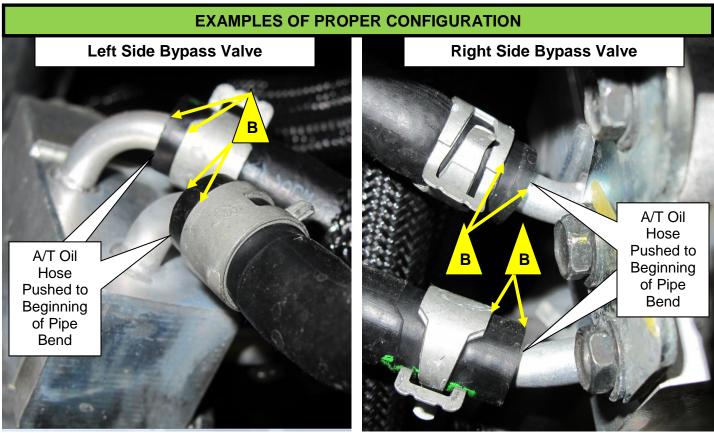


Figure 11 Figure 12

# 10. EXAMPLES OF BYPASS VALVE HOSE CONNECTIONS THAT REQUIRE ADJUSTMENT.

- Blue pull tab clamp not released (Figure 13).
- Clamp not seated properly on hose (Too close to the end of the hose) (Figure 14).
- Clamp not seated properly on hose (Too close to barb lip) (Figure 15).
- Hose not seated properly on barb (Check hose insertion length) (Figure 16).

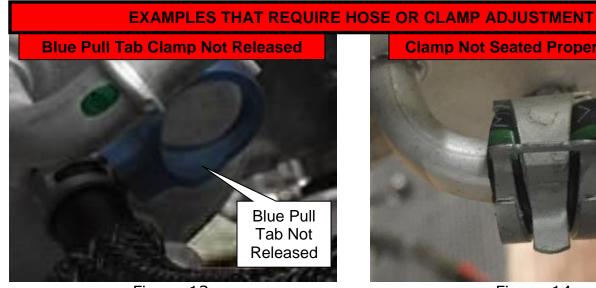


Figure 13



Figure 14



Figure 15



Figure 16

## 11. CORRECT ANY BYPASS VALVE HOSES THAT ARE NOT PROPERLY INSTALLED, REFERENCE STEP 9 (FIGURE 11, 12).

- 12. Install engine undercover.
  - Torque (5) bolts to 13.5N·m (10 ft-lb).
- 13. Once Inspection is complete and all hoses are properly installed, move to Inspection 2.

## **Inspection 2: STEERING GEAR LEAK**

- 1. Locate and remove the front under cover (Figure 1).
  - Remove the (7) retaining bolts.

Note: 4WD shown, 2WD similar.



Figure 1

2. Locate the steering gear (rack & pinion) connections for the Power Steering Oil Return Pipe Assembly and Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose Assembly (Figure 2, 3).

Note: 4WD shown, 2WD similar.

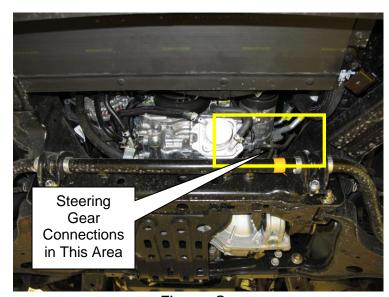


Figure 2

- 3. Inspect for **LEAKS** between the Steering Gear and Power Steering Oil Return Pipe and Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose connections (Figure 3).
  - If <u>NO LEAK</u> found, inspection is complete, proceed to step 16.
  - If **LEAK** found, proceed to step 4.

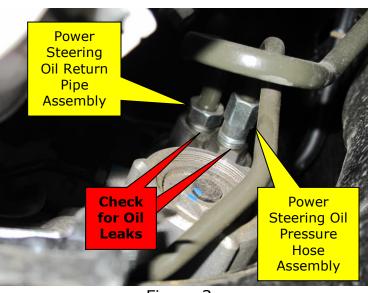


Figure 3

- 4. Clean area and re-torque both lines to ensure O-Ring is fully seated/sealed (Figure 4).
  - Torque Power Steering Oil Return Pipe connection to:

19.7N·m (15 ft-lb)

 Torque Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose connection to:

33.4N·m (25 ft-lb)

- 5. Lower vehicle without removing from lift, start engine and moderately turn the wheels left to right contacting the steering stops at the end of each turn.
  - Straighten front wheels and turn vehicle off
  - Raise vehicle on lift
- Inspect for <u>LEAKS</u> again between the Steering Gear and Power Steering Oil Return Pipe and Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose connections (Figure 5).
  - If <u>NO LEAK</u> found, inspection is complete, proceed to step 16.
  - If **LEAK** found, proceed to step 7.
- 7. If a leak is found, isolate the leak to the affected line and replace the O-ring (Figure 4).
  - Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose connection repair; proceed to step 8
  - Steering Gear and Power Steering Oil Return connection repair; proceed to step 11.

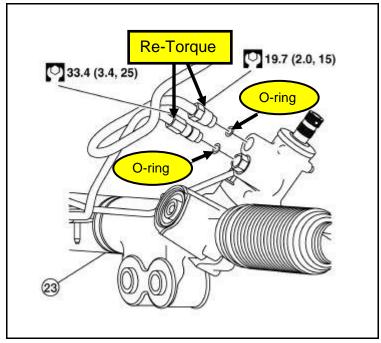


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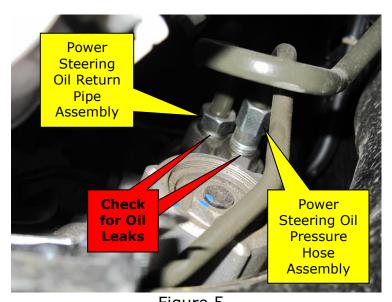


Figure 5

- 8. Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose connection/O-ring repair.
  - Remove power steering hose bracket bolt (Figure 6).
- 9. Locate the Steering Gear and Power Steering Oil Pressure connection (Figure 7).
  - Loosen connection using a suitable tool.

**Caution:** Do not loosen steering gear check valve insert; hold in place while loosening high pressure pipe fitting.

**Note:** Have drip container available to collect leakage.

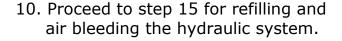
**Note:** When removing components such as hoses, tubes/lines, etc., cap or plug openings to prevent fluid from spilling.

**Caution:** Do not reuse drained power steering fluid.

 Remove old O-ring and replace with Nissan authorized part listed below.

## P/N: 49328-03E00

- Torque Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose connection to:
   33.4N·m (25 ft-lb)
- Reinstall power steering hose bracket bolts: Torque bolts to 9N.m (80 in-lb)



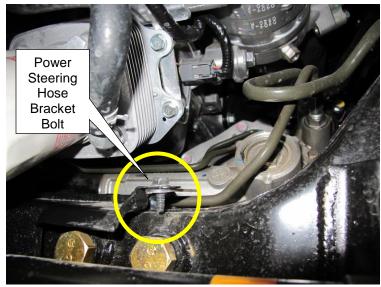


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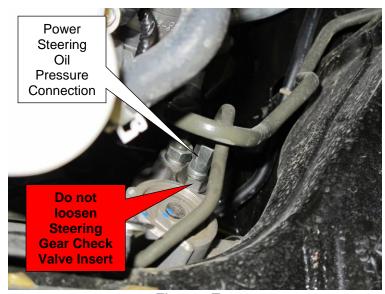


Figure 7

- 11. Steering Gear and Power Steering Oil Return connection/O-ring repair.
  - Remove the power steering oil return line bracket bolt located inside the left fender well on the top of the frame (Figure 8, 9).



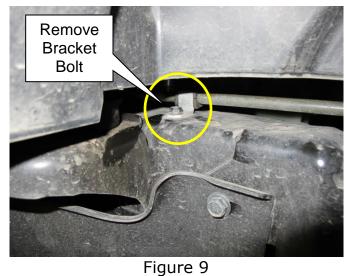
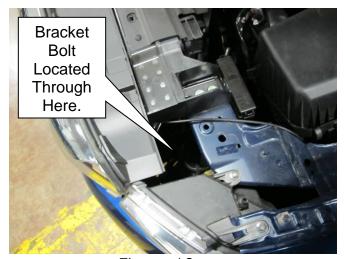


Figure 8

• Remove the power steering oil return line bracket bolt located inside the left front-end body assembly (Figure 10, 11).





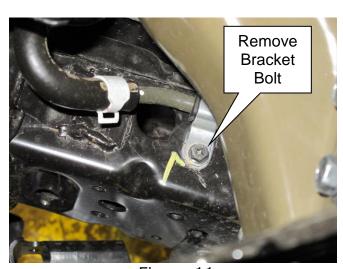


Figure 11

- 12. Locate the Steering Gear and Power Steering Power Oil Return pipe Connection (Figure 12).
  - Loosen connection using a suitable tool.

**Note:** When removing components such as hoses, tubes/lines, etc., cap or plug openings to prevent fluid from spilling.

**Note:** Have drip container available to collect leakage.

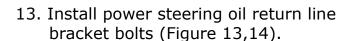
 Remove old O-ring and replace with Nissan authorized part listed below.

### P/N 49328-03E00

 Torque Power Steering Oil Return Pipe connection to:

19.7N·m (15 ft-lb)

**Caution:** Do not reuse drained power steering fluid.



- Torque Power Steering Oil Return
  Pipe bracket bolts to:
  - 9N·m (80 in-lb)
- 14. Proceed to step 15 for refilling and air bleeding the hydraulic system.

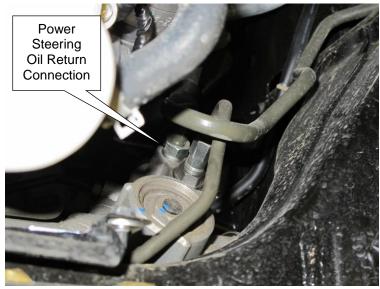


Figure 12



Figure 13



Figure 14

#### 15. REFILLING AND AIR BLEEDING HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

**CAUTION:** Do not deviate from instructions or damage may occur.

**NOTE:** The following procedure will require an assistant for steps 10 through 13.

- **1.** Allow vehicle to cool to room temperature.
- 2. Verify that all power steering hydraulic connections are made and tightened to specifications.
- **3.** Turn front wheels fully left, lightly touching wheel stop.
- **4.** Fill power steering fluid reservoir to top just below neck and install the power steering fluid reservoir cap.
- **5.** Start the engine. After two seconds, stop the engine.

#### **CAUTION:**

- Do not crank and run engine for more than two seconds or new air may be drawn into the power steering system and pump damage may occur.
- Do not turn steering wheel at this time or new air may be drawn into the power steering system and pump damage may occur.
- **6.** Remove power steering fluid reservoir cap and fill power steering fluid reservoir to top just below neck. Reinstall power steering fluid reservoir cap.
- **7.** Repeat Steps 5 and 6 until power steering fluid level stabilizes at the top of reservoir just below the neck.

**NOTE:** Tank will need to be filled approximately 4 – 6 times. If power steering fluid is extremely foamy, allow vehicle to stand for a few minutes, then repeat Steps 4, 5 and 6.

- **8.** Remove power steering reservoir cap.
- **9.** Verify that power steering fluid has stabilized to top of reservoir just below neck. Add power steering fluid if necessary.

**NOTE:** Complete steps 10 through 13 without stopping between steps.

- **10.** Have an assistant start the engine. The power steering fluid reservoir level will immediately begin to drop.
- **11.** Quickly add power steering fluid to keep the fluid level at the COLD MAX line until the fluid level has stabilized.
- **12.** Keep engine running and have the assistant slowly (approximately 90° [1/4 turn] per second) turn the steering wheel completely from left to right, then back to the left, lightly contacting the steering stops at the end of each turn, while adding power steering fluid to keep fluid level at the COLD MAX line.
- **13.** Reinstall the power steering reservoir cap, then have assistant stop the engine.
- 14. With the engine stopped, check the power steering reservoir fluid level.
- **15.** Remove power steering reservoir cap and add or remove fluid so that the level is at the COLD MAX line. Reinstall the power steering reservoir cap.
- **16.** Start the engine and moderately (approximately 180° [1/2 turn] per second) turn the steering wheel from left to right, then back to the left, lightly contacting the steering stops at the end of each turn. Stop the engine.
- 17. With the engine stopped, check the power steering reservoir fluid level.
- **18.** Remove power steering reservoir cap and add or remove fluid so that the level is at the COLD MAX line. Reinstall the power steering reservoir cap.
- **19.** Repeat steps 16, 17 and 18 until the power steering reservoir fluid level has stabilized to the COLD MAX line and no air bubbles or foam exist in the fluid.

**NOTE:** If power steering fluid is extremely foamy, allow vehicle to stand for a few minutes, then repeat Steps 9 through 19 until air bubbles or cloudiness do not exist.

- 20. Adjust final fluid level to COLD MAX line at a fluid temperature of 0° 30°C (32° 86°F).
- **21.** Reinstall the power steering reservoir cap.
- 22. Inspect for power steering fluid leaks.

- 16. Install front under cover.
  - Torque (7) bolts to **5.5N·m (49 in-lb)**.
- 17. Submit a warranty claim using the claims information for the Inspection/Repairs completed.
- 18. Release the vehicle, inspection complete.

# **Inspection 1: A/T Fluid Leak Inspection**

PARTS INFORMATION: (NOT REQUIRED)

## **Inspection 2: Steering Gear Leak**

### **PARTS INFORMATION:**

Description	Quantity	Part #	
O-Ring (Same for both lines)	2 Max	49328-03E00	
Genuine NISSAN PSF or Equivalent	2 Max	999MP-AG000P	

## **CLAIMS INFORMATION**

# Submit claim using the following claims coding:

Work Order Line Type: "CM" Campaign

Campaign: PC561

Claim Type:	CM							
PNC:	PC561							
Symptom:	ZZ							
Diagnosis:	99							
Description:	Op Codes	Flat Rate Time	Parts Required on claim	Expense Code Required				
MULTI-POINT INSPECTION								
Multi-Point Inspection: (ALL)								
1. AT Fluid Leak Inspection								
(Includes Hose & Clamp Adjustment)	PC5610	0.5 Hr	No	No				
2. Steering Gear Leak								
(Includes Re-torque if Required)								
INSPECTION 2 - Repair								
Inspect Automatic Transmission Fluid Leak & Steering Gear Leak. Replace O-Ring: Power Steering Oil <b>Pressure</b> Hose Connection	PC5611	1.4 Hr	Yes	No				
Inspect Automatic Transmission Fluid Leak & Steering Gear Leak. Replace O-Ring: Power Steering Oil <b>Return</b> Pipe Connection	PC5612	1.4 Hr	Yes	No				
Inspect Automatic Transmission Fluid Leak & Steering Gear Leak. Replace <b>Both O-Rings</b> : Power Steering Oil Pressure Hose & Return Pipe Connections	PC5613	1.5 Hr	Yes	No				