

# Service Update

## 16135 One Touch Fold Seat Release



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**Revision Description:** This bulletin has been revised to update Step 1 and 6 with a new graphic and description, and add additional notes to the service procedure. Please discard all copies of bulletin 16135.

**Attention:** This service update includes vehicles in dealer inventory and customer vehicles that return to the dealership for any reason. This bulletin will expire at the end of the involved vehicle's New Vehicle Limited Warranty period.

Make	Model	Model Year		RPO	Description
		From	To		
GMC	Acadia	2017	2017		

Involved vehicles are marked "open" on the Investigate Vehicle History screen in GM Global Warranty Management system. This site should always be checked to confirm vehicle involvement prior to beginning any required inspections and/or repairs.

<b>Condition</b>	Certain 2017 model year GMC Acadia vehicles may have a condition in which the rear cargo area left hand 2nd row seat release handle doesn't release the seat, or requires too much effort to release.
<b>Correction</b>	Dealers are to inspect, and if necessary, adjust the 2nd row seat cable.

### Parts

No parts are required for this procedure.

### Warranty Information

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Time	Trans. Type	Net Item
9102782	Inspect Operation of 2nd Row Seat Release - No Further Action Required	0.2	ZFAT	N/A
	Add: Adjust 2nd Row Seat Cable	0.3		

### Service Procedure

**Note:** The seat release lever has resistance from 0 to about 70% of rotation. The release of the seat will occur approximately between 70 and 90% with much more resistance. Be sure to pull the release lever to the full 90 degree rotation to ensure the seat releases.



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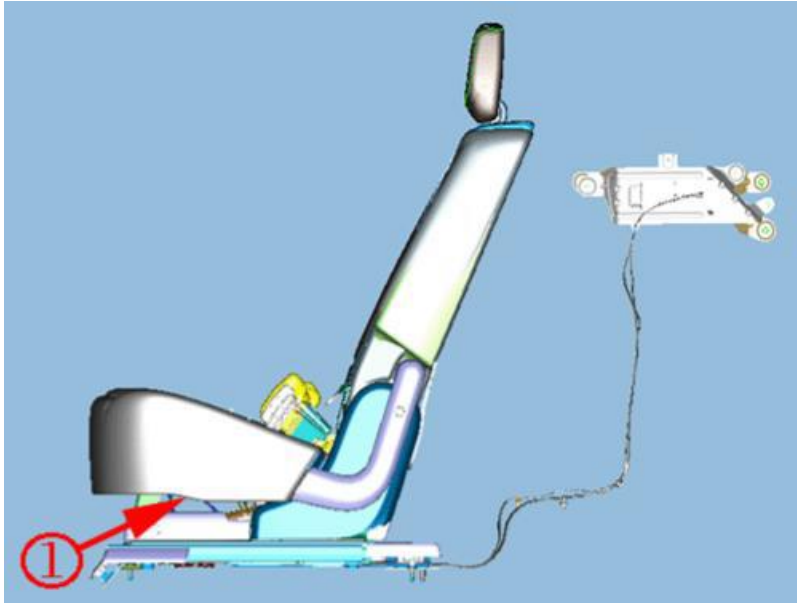
- Inspect the operation of the 2nd row seat release using the release levers located in the rear cargo area shown above.
  - If the 2nd row seat releases the seat correctly without extra effort, no further action is required.

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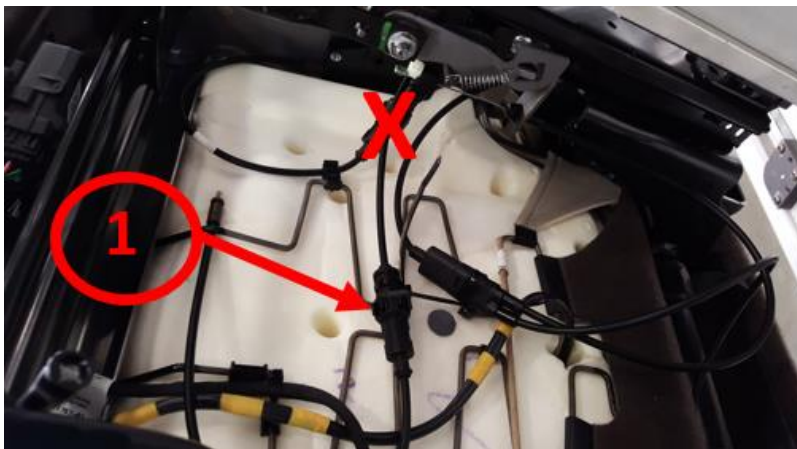
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- If the 2nd row seat release handle does not release the seat or requires too much effort, proceed to step 2 and adjust the 2nd row seat release cable.
2. Ensure that the 2nd row seat is in the upright position and both recliners are fully locked.



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**Note:** GAT (All-Terrain) models do not have an under seat adjuster. Skip to step 5.

3. Look under the seat to locate the One Touch Fold (OTF) cable adjuster # 1 (See picture above) and open the slider on the adjuster body.

**Note:** Do not open the other adjuster (marked with an "X" in the picture above), as it will not help resolve this issue.

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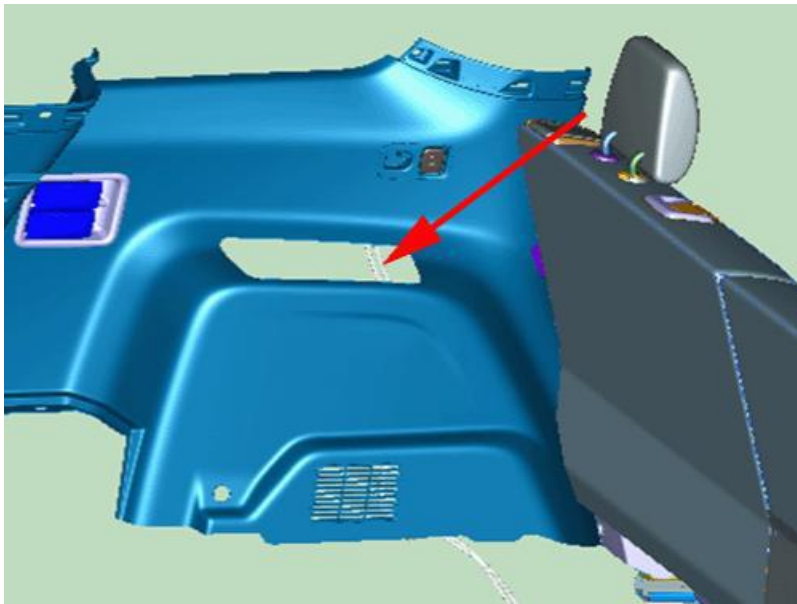
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4. To open the adjuster body, pull out and up on the tabs as illustrated above.

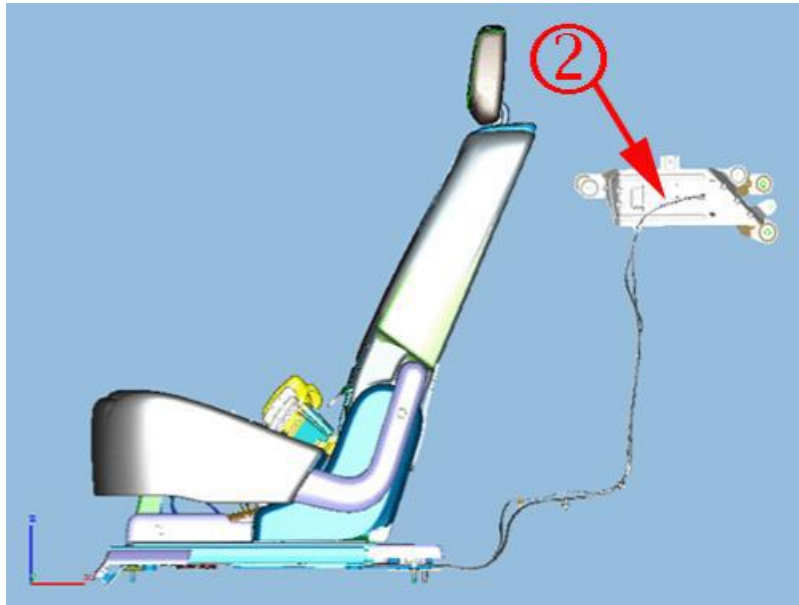
**Note:** You may have to remove some cable ties used to secure the adjuster to the bottom of the seat to gain proper access to the adjuster body.



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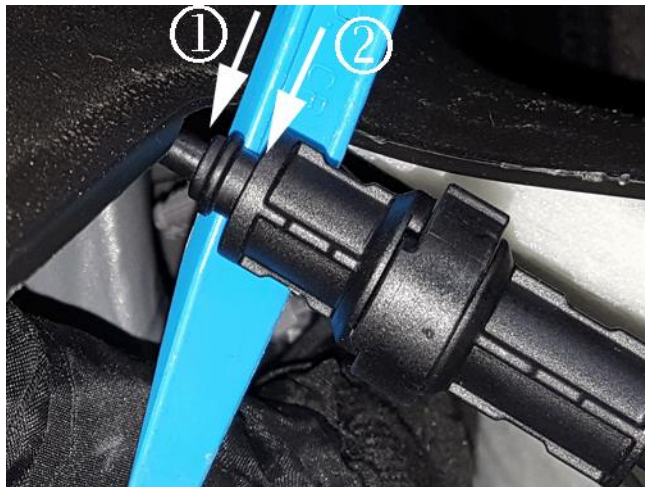
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5. Locate the OTF cable adjuster (2) under the 3rd row cup holder in the quarter trim panel. Refer to *Quarter Trim Panel Cup Holder Replacement - Left Side* in SI for the removal of the cup holder. Open the cable adjust slider.

**Important:** Seats must be in upright position and both recliners fully locked prior to closing the cable adjusters. If recliners are not both locked, potential for cable system to hold open one or both recliners exists.



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6. Verify movement of the adjuster. There should be free movement (plunger type) between point (1) and (2).

**Note:** Prior to locking the tab, be sure not to have any artificial tension on the cable or housing. The adjuster is spring loaded and self-adjusting.

7. If equipped, move and adjust the cable adjuster and close adjuster in quarter trim.
8. Verify release lever function and verify both recliners are locked by returning seat back to the upright position and pushing on each side of seat back to confirm recliners are locked.

**Important:** It may take more than one attempt at adjustments to get the seat to operate as intended. Repeat steps until the concern is corrected.

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### Dealer Responsibility

Whenever a vehicle subject to this service update enters your vehicle inventory, or is in your facility for service in the future, you must take the steps necessary to be sure the service update correction has been made before selling or releasing the vehicle.

All new, used, GM Certified Used, courtesy transportation vehicles, dealer shuttle vehicles, etc. in dealers' possession and subject to this bulletin must be held and inspected/repaired per the service procedure of this bulletin before customers take possession of these vehicles. Involved vehicles must be held and not delivered to customers, dealer-traded, released to auction, used for demonstration, or any other purpose.

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