

Service Bulletin

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TECHNICAL

Subject: No Start/Stall - Seat Bottom Contacting Rear Electrical Center (REC)

Brand:	Model:	Model Year:		VIN:		Engine:	Transmission:
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Buick	Lucerne	2008	2011			AII	All
Cadillac	DTS	2008	2011			All	All

Involved Region or Country	North America and N.A. Export Regions	
Condition	Some customers may comment on a no-start or stalling.	
Cause	The rear seat bottom may come into contact with the rear electrical center (REC) cover. The contact/interface results in varying amounts of deflection of the fuel pump relay (FPR). The movement of the FPR causes potential wear of the male terminals on the FPR.	

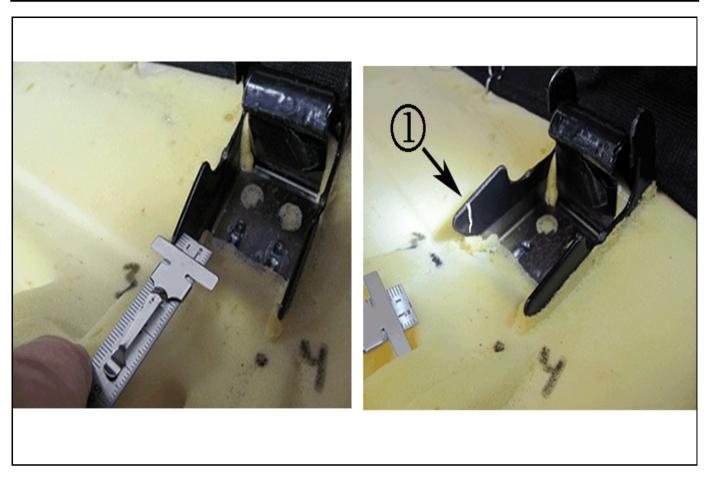
Correction

- Install a low profile fuel pump relay (DTS and Lucerne).
- Remove material from the rear seat bottom frame, driver side mounting brackets (Lucerne Only).

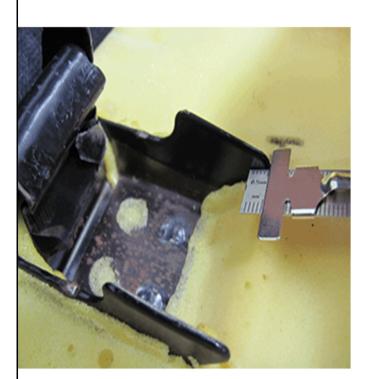
Service Procedure

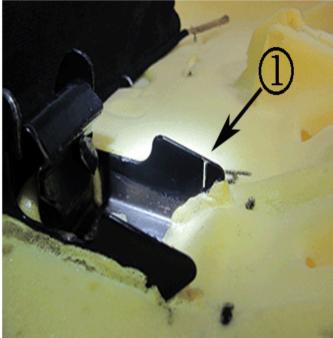
- 1. Open the rear door and remove the rear seat bottom cushion.
- 2. Disconnect the battery.
- 3. Remove the fuel pump relay from the rear body fuse block and discard. Refer to Relay Replacement (within an Electrical Center).
- 4. Install the new low profile fuel pump relay to the rear body fuse block and install the cover.
- 5. Connect the battery.

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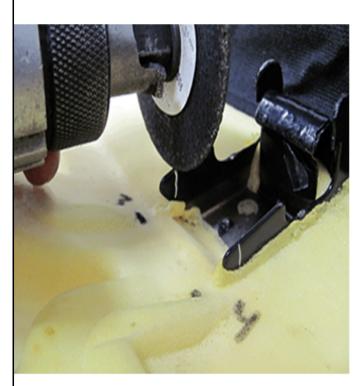


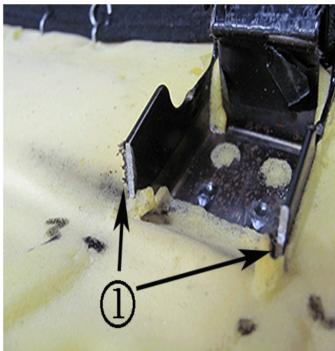


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6. For Lucerne only, with the rear seat cushion on a bench, measure 5 mm (0.197 in) from each edge of the right side seat mount bracket and mark with a paint marker as shown (1).

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- 7. For Lucerne only, using a cut off wheel or equivalent, carefully cut each side of the bracket as shown (1). Check for any rough edges and file if necessary.
- 8. Install the rear seat cushion and close door.

Parts Information

Description	Part Number	
Low Profile Fuel Pump Relay	88953222	

Warranty Information

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Time	
5480178* (Lucerne)	Replace Fuel Pump Relay, and Cut Rear Seat Bracket	0.4 hr	
5430510 (DTS)	Relay Replacement	Use Published Labor Operation Time	
*This is a unique Labor Operation for Bulletin use only.			

Version	2
Modified	July 18, 2016 – Added Cadillac DTS.