

Latest Vehicle Concern Fixes

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Seatbelt Automatic Locking Retractor Operation

17 - 20MY Discovery

Customer Voice:

- A customer may report that the seatbelt won't extend outward, it only retracts and a ratchet locks the seatbelt from being extended.

Technical Description:

- All current Jaguar Land Rover models sold in the North American market are equipped with passenger seatbelt reels that have an Automatic Locking Retractor (ALR) function. The ALR function is designed to allow a child car seat to be securely lashed down in place using the vehicle's seatbelt. The ALR is activated by fully extending the seatbelt. Upon letting the seatbelt retract, a ratchet mechanism is engaged to stop the seatbelt reel from playing out any seatbelt material until the seatbelt is near fully retracted and the ALR is disengaged.

Status:

- Seatbelt reel assemblies have been replaced where they were functioning normally due to a lack of understanding on how the ALR function operates.
- Before replacing a seatbelt reel assembly for not extending, please ensure that the operation of the ALR function is understood.
- If after a proper inspection, a seatbelt reel assembly requires replacement, please submit an EPQR detailing the customer concern.

