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SUBJECT:

Rear Brake (Moan) Noise

OVERVIEW:

This bulletin involves installing a rear brake anti-moan kit.

MODELS:

2019 - **2020**

RAM 1500 Pickup

NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles within the following markets/countries: North America and EMEA.

SYMPTOM/CONDITION:

The customer may comment on the following:

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 A low frequency moan or howl noise from the rear brakes, primarily in cold/humid conditions, typically on the first brake stop in forward or reverse, after vehicle has been sitting for lengthy periods of time (cold brakes).

DIAGNOSIS:

If the customer describes the symptom/condition listed above, perform the Repair Procedure.

PARTS REQUIRED:

Qty.	Part No.	Description
1	68446866AA	Brake Kit, Moan

NOTE: Rotor and pad replacement is NOT required for the Repair Procedure.

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REPAIR PROCEDURE:

1. Remove and **discard** one of the existing caliper bolts at a time from the rear axle brake flange on one side of the vehicle (Fig. 1).



Fig. 1
Existing Caliper Bolts

2. Loosely install one of the brackets with the caliper mounting hole on the brake flange on the inboard side using one of the **new** bolts provided in the kit (Fig. 2).



Fig. 2
One Bracket Installed into Position

3. Repeat Step 1 for the second bracket on the same caliper (Fig. 3) .



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Fig. 3
Both Brackets Installed

- 4. Loosely fasten the brackets around the axle tube using the U-clamp and nuts provided in the kit to keep the brackets from twisting when tightening to specifications (Fig. 4).
- 5. Tighten the caliper bracket bolts to 100 N·m (74 ft.lbs) (Fig. 3) .
- 6. Tighten the U-clamp nuts to 45 N·m (33 ft.lbs) (Fig. 4) .





Fig. 4
Brake Brackets and U-Clamp Installed

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7. Repeat Step 1 thru Step 6 for the caliper on the other side of the rear axle.

POLICY:

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

TIME ALLOWANCE:

Labor Operation No:	Description	Skill Category	Amount
05-85-05-9E	Rear Caliper Support Brackets - Install Both Sides (2 - Skilled)	6 - Electrical and Body Systems	0.5 Hrs.

FAILURE CODE:

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