

## **Service Bulletin**

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# **TECHNICAL**

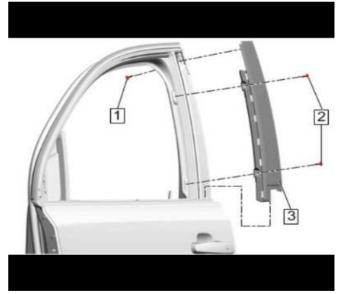
Subject: Plastic to Metal Squeak/Creak Noise Heard Coming from the Driver or Passenger Side B-Pillar Area

Brand:	Model:	Model Year:		VIN:		Engine:	Transmission:
Branu.		from	to	from	to		
Chevrolet	Traverse	2020	2022			All	All

Involved Region or Country	North America, Uzbekistan, Russia, Middle East, Israel, Palestine, Chile (West), Colombia (West), Peru (West), GM Korea Company, Other Africa.
Additional Options (RPOs)	
Condition	Some customers may comment on hearing a squeak/creak noise coming from the driver or passenger side B-pillar area while driving, or when opening and closing front door.
Cause	The cause of the condition may be interference contact between the metal B-Pillar of the front side door window frame and the front side door window frame rear applique.
Correction	After verifying the condition, apply anti-squeak tape to affected areas on B-Pillar, following the steps in the Service Procedure below.

#### **Service Procedure**

Important: Service agents must comply with all International, Federal, State, Provincial, and/or Local laws applicable to the activities it performs under this bulletin, including but not limited to handling, deploying, preparing, classifying, packaging, marking, labeling, and shipping dangerous goods. In the event of a conflict between the procedures set forth in this bulletin and the laws that apply to your dealership, you must follow those applicable laws.



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1. Remove the front side door window frame rear applique (3) on the affected side. Refer to Front Side Door Window Frame Rear Applique Replacement, in SI.

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**Note:** The common area most effected is shown in the left graphic above, and visual wear markings that may be visible on the paint, which could assist with identifying affected areas, is shown on the right.



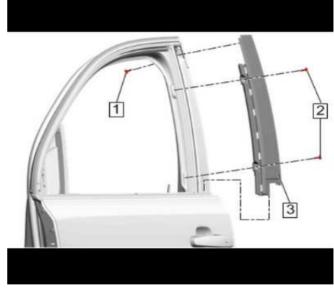
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**Note:** Some examples of the common tape application locations are shown in the graphics above.

2. Apply strips of Kent Automotive Anti-Squeak Film Tape # KT13512, or an equivalent UHMW Polyethylene anti-squeak tape, to the affected areas on the B-Pillar of the front side door window frame where the rear applique connects.



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- 3. Reinstall the front side door window frame rear applique. Refer to *Front Side Door Window Frame Rear Applique Replacement*, in SI
- 4. Verify that the condition has been corrected.

#### **Parts Information**

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Causal	Description	Part	Material
Part		Number	Allowance
N/A	Kent Automotive Anti-Squeak Film Tape	KT13512	\$3.20 (U.S.) \$4.34 (Canada.)

### **Warranty Information**

For vehicles repaired under the Bumper-to-Bumper coverage (Canada Base Warranty coverage), use the following labor operation. Reference the Applicable Warranties section of Investigate Vehicle History (IVH) for coverage information.

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Time	
2086088*	Apply Anti-Squeak Tape to Front Side Door Window Frame Under Rear Applique	0.7 hr	
*This is a unique Labor Operation for Bulletin use only.			

Version	3
Modified	Released July 23, 2020
	Revised August 18, 2021 – Added 2021 Model Year.
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