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Symptom/Vehicle Issue: Squeak Noise Opening Front Doors

**Customer Complaint/Technician Observation:** Customer / technician experiences a squeaking noise upon opening or closing the front door(s). Noise may appear to be coming from the hinges or front of the door area.

**Discussion**: The front fenders have a noise suppressing stuffer at the back edge near the front door forward edge. If the stuffer is out of position (rearward) it can contact the leading edge of the door upon door opening causing a squeak or chirp noise. The stuffer can be moved forward by using a fiber trim stick with the door(s) making the noise in the open position to gain access (fig 1). Gently push the stuffer forward out of the path of the door until there is adequate clearance between the door and stuffer. Cycle the door several times to ensure there is no longer contact between the stuffer and the door.

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Figure 1

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