

#### SIB 65 22 22

2022-11-22

# SERVICE ACTION: RAM CONVERSION (BOOSTER FLASH) AND PROGRAMMING

Please perform the procedure outlined in this Service Information on all affected vehicles before customer delivery. In the event the customer has already taken delivery of the vehicle, please perform the procedure the next time the vehicle is in the shop.

## **MODEL**

E-Series	Model Description	Production Date	Option Code
G70	7 Series Sedan	July 4 – October 27, 2022	With SA 6F1

#### **AFFECTED VEHICLES**

Affected vehicles which require this Campaign to be completed will show it as "Open" when checked either in AIR, the "Service Menu" of DCSnet (Dealer Communication System), ISPA NEXT or Warranty Vehicle Inquiry.

## **SITUATION**

After Remote Software Update (RSU), the sound output from the booster can be muted. Sound can only be heard via the tweeters of the Bowers & Wilkins Diamond Surround Sound system.

## **CAUSE**

Unfavorable software settings in the Receiver Audio Module (RAM).

#### CORRECTION

Activate, and then deactivate the "Booster Flash" conversion in the RAM.

## **PROCEDURE**

For this procedure, ISTA 4.38.3x or higher is required for programming/coding. Software correction for this issue is included with the following I-Level version:

I-Level G070-22-11-530 or newer (available with ISTA 4.38.3x, released on November 16, 2022)

## It is absolutely necessary that programming is carried out with the above mentioned or a more recent I-level!

**Note:** If an affected vehicle is already at the above I-level but this Service Action shows "open", continue with the Procedure.

Two rounds of programming (within one single ISTA session) are required for completion of the repair. In the second programming, the "Booster Flash" conversion is deactivated, as otherwise the vehicle would not be RSU capable afterwards.

- Connect a BMW-approved battery charger to the vehicle
- Connect the programming system to the vehicle (ISTA 4)

## 1st Round of Programming:

- · Select "Vehicle Management" tab
- · Select "Vehicle Modification" tab
- · Select "Conversion" tab
- · Select "Conversion of Booster Flash"
- Determine the measures plan

 Accept and fully work through the measures plan with the control units to be programmed/encoded and enabled

#### 2nd Round of Programming

- · Select "Vehicle Management" tab
- · Select "Vehicle Modification" tab
- · Select "Removal of Retrofit/Conversion" tab
- Select "Deactivating the Booster Flash"
- · Determine the measures plan
- Accept and fully work through the measures plan with the control units to be programmed/encoded and enabled
- · Follow the rework list
- · Depending on the rework list, carry out a vehicle test and delete the fault memory if needed

After the programming has been fully completed, check functionality of the system.

Note: ISTA will automatically reprogram and code all programmable control modules that do not have the latest software.

#### Always connect a BMW-approved battery charger/power supply (SIB 04 23 10).

For information on programming and coding with ISTA, refer to Dealer Universal Portal / TIS / Technical Documentation / Diagnostics and Programming / Programming Documentation.

#### **CLAIM INFORMATION**

During this workshop visit, the affected vehicle may also show one or more programming and encoding Technical Campaign repairs open, the programming and encoding procedure may only be invoiced one time.

Only select this Technical Campaign (WP 1 or 2) to perform and submit for updating the vehicle to the required level or higher.

For the other open campaigns on the vehicle, please be sure to also perform any additional before and/or after work (including attaching labels) as required. Close the other open programming and encoding Campaign repairs as outlined in their corresponding Service Information Bulletin.

Plus work (+)	Completion before the first vehicle delivery to a customer or the vehicle is already in the workshop
Main work	The vehicle arrives at your center and this Service Action shows open (No other Main work will be performed or claimed during this workshop visit)

As determined by the above, reimbursement for this Service Action will be via normal claim entry utilizing the work package information below that applies.

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Only one of the flat rate labor operation codes listed below can be used for claim submission/reimbursement purposes.

Work Pkg	Labor Operation	Description	Labor Allowance
# 1	00 73 736	Programming and encoding (Includes Round 1 and 2) the vehicle control units, includes Carrying out vehicle test (00 00 556/61 21 528) (Plus work)	12 FRU
Or:			
		Programming and encoding (Includes	

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# 2	00 73 155	Round 1 and 2) the vehicle control units,	13 FRU	
		includes Carrying out vehicle test (00 00		
		006/61 21 528) (Main work)		

#### **Claim Repair Comments**

Only reference the SIB number and the work package (Pkg) number performed in the RO technician notes and the claim comments (For example: B65 22 22 WP 1), unless otherwise required by State law.

#### Programming and Encoding - Vehicle Control Units (RO and Claim Comments Required)

This procedure automatically reprograms and encodes any vehicle control modules that do not have the latest software level.

If one or more control modules fail during the reprogramming procedure, claim the required consequential repair work procedures to address this issue (including performing the IRAP Control Unit Recovery first as required, refer to the SIB in AIR) under the Defect Code in this bulletin with the labor operations in AIR that apply.

Please explain the additional work procedures that were performed (The why and the what) on the repair order and in the claim comments.

For covered repairs that address control module failures that occurred prior to performing this reprogramming procedure, claim this work with the Defect Code and labor operations (including the diagnosis that applies\*) in AIR that apply.

\*Based on which one applies to your center, please refer to <u>SI B01 01 20</u> or <u>B01 07 20</u> for the applicable procedure for documenting, claiming, and explaining, on the RO and in the claim comments, your diagnosis work time (WT), job/repair work time (WT), and the vehicle repairs your center performed, unless otherwise required by State law.

And, if applicable:

#### Alternative Mobility Solution (AMS) for Vehicle Owners (RO and Claim Comments Required)

This Service Action repair qualifies for Alternative Mobility Solution (AMS) expense reimbursement, claim this item under the Defect Code noted above as follows:

Sublet Code 2 - Itemize the AMS sublet amount on the repair order and in the claim comment section.

Please refer to SI B01 29 16 for additional information.

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