

Reference	SSM76049
Models	Defender / L663 Discovery / L462
Title	Noisy Rear Drive Shaft Assembly
Category	Driveline
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Symptom	597997 Driveline Noise Concerns

Content **Model / Model Year / Derivative**

DISCOVERY / 23MY only / All derivatives.

DEFENDER / 23MY only / All derivatives.

Situation:

JLR Engineering investigations have found a clicking noise from the rear of the vehicle. The noise can be heard coming from both sides of the vehicle while moving forward or backward.

Cause:

Tooling concern.

Action:

Follow the instruction(s) below.

SERVICE INSTRUCTION:

Vehicles with the above symptoms must have both rear half shaft nuts renewed and then torqued to the below specification:

Stage 1: 300 Nm.

Stage 2: -90 deg.

Stage 3: 120 Nm.

Stage 4: 60 deg.

An update to the TOPIx Workshop Manual Specifications is currently in progress.

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