



## TECHNICAL SERVICE BULLETIN

### 3.5L PowerBoost - Illuminated Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) With DTC P084B In PCM

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#### Model:

Ford 2023 F-150	Engine: 3.5L PowerBoost
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**Issue:** Some 2023 F-150 vehicles equipped with a 3.5L PowerBoost engine may exhibit an illuminated MIL with diagnostic trouble code (DTC) P084B stored in the powertrain control module (PCM). This may be due to the software level of the PCM. To correct this condition, perform the Service Procedure below to reprogram the PCM to the latest software level via the Ford Diagnosis and Repair System (FDRS).

**Action:** Follow the Service Procedure to correct the condition on vehicles that meet all of the following criteria:

- 2023 F-150
- 3.5L PowerBoost engine
- DTC P084B stored in the PCM

**Warranty Status:** Eligible under provisions of New Vehicle Limited Warranty (NVLW)/Emissions Warranty/Service Part Warranty (SPW)/Special Service Part (SSP)/Extended Service Plan (ESP) coverage. Limits/policies/prior approvals are not altered by a TSB. NVLW/Emissions Warranty/SPW/SSP/ESP coverage limits are determined by the identified causal part and verified using the OASIS part coverage tool.

#### Labor Times

Description	Operation No.	Time
2023 F-150 PowerBoost: Reprogram The Appropriate Modules As Required By The Software Update And Service Procedure (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)	MT232363	Actual Time

#### Repair/Claim Coding

Causal Part:	RECALEM
Condition Code:	04

#### Service Procedure

1. Reprogram the PCM using the latest software level of the FDRS diagnostic scan tool. Follow all on-screen instructions carefully to complete all coordinated module software updates.

**NOTE: Advise the customer this vehicle is equipped with an adaptive transmission shift strategy which allows the vehicle's computer to learn the transmission's unique parameters and improve shift quality. When the adaptive strategy is reset, the computer will begin a relearning process. This relearning process may result in firmer than normal upshifts and downshifts for several days.**

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