Technical Service Bulletin

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Subject:

CREAK OR SQUEAK NOISE FROM FRONT OF VEHICLE WHEN TRAVELING OVER A BUMP WHILE TURNING AT LOW-SPEED

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BULLETIN NOTES

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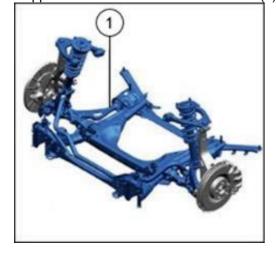
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APPLICABLE MODEL(S)/VINS

2024 CX-90

DESCRIPTION

Some vehicles may exhibit a creaking or squeaking noise from the front of the vehicle when traveling over a bump while turning at low-speed. This is caused by a stick-slip phenomenon occurring between the rubber bushing and the stopper on the rear of the front lower arm (1). A mass production change is under study.



Customers having this concern should have their vehicle repaired using the following repair procedure.

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REPAIR PROCEDURE

1. Verify the customer concern.

NOTE: This is a provisional procedure, not a permanent one.

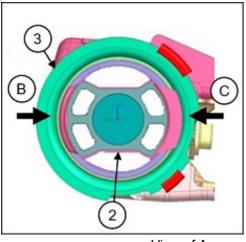
- 2. Prepare the grease with the following specifications.
 - Grease type (approximately 3 oz): Rubber Grease (Granville Red Rubber Grease) or Silicone Grease (similar to Mazda Silicone Brake Caliper Grease 0000-77-XG3A)

NOTE: DO NOT use any other types of grease or spray lubricants, otherwise the vehicle will return with the same issue.

- 3. Lift up the vehicle.
- 4. Apply the grease aiming at the yellow highlighted area (4) in View of B and C of the contact surface between the rubber bush (3) and the stopper (4) on both left/right sides of the front lower arm (rear) (1), completely filling each of the 4 cavities with approximately 0.75 oz of grease.

NOTE: The following images show RH side.





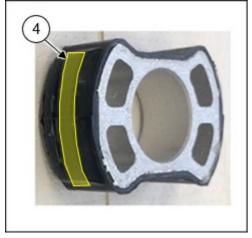
View of A

- (2) Rubber Bushing
- (3) Stopper

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View of B (Rubber Bushing)



View of C (Rubber Bushing)

5. Wipe off excess grease (1) on the non-contact surface.

NOTE: Clear off the grease from the edge of the stopper, but DO NOT wipe off the grease inside of the stopper.



- 6. Apply the grease on the other side front lower arm (rear) using the same procedure.
- 7. Verify the repair.

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WARRANTY INFORMATION

- · This warranty information applies only to verified customer complaints on vehicles eligible for warranty repair.
- This repair will be covered under Mazda's New Vehicle Limited Warranty term.
- Additional diagnostic time cannot be claimed for this repair.

Warranty Type	А
Symptom Code	82
Damage Code	9W
Part Number Main Cause	KJK3-34-J00* (*: A, B or D)
Quantity	0
Operation Number / Labor Hours:	XXWB7XRX / 0.5 Hrs.(both sides)

NOTE: Grease amount is included in the labor time.

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