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THIS REPAIR IS MOBILE FRIENDLY

MODEL

E-Series	Model Description	Production Date	Affected Option Code
F66	MINI Cooper S Hardtop 2 Door	Vehicles produced up to May 24, 2024	459 Seat adjustment, electrical, with memory

SITUATION

When the driver and/or front passenger seat is folded forward, it does not move forward to the comfort entry position. The seat backrest adjustment does not function either.

CAUSE



The seat harness wiring is trapped in the microswitch inboard of the seat backrest pivot.

NOTE: A **star** is shown at the same location on each picture as a common reference point.

CORRECTION

Reposition the seat wiring harness and secure it with a plastic cable tie.

PROCEDURE

1. Open the zip fastener at the bottom rear of the seat backrest assembly.



2. Check whether the seat wiring harnesses are stuck in the microswitch inboard of the seat backrest pivot.

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3. Move wiring harnesses away from microswitch and secure the wiring harnesses to the backrest structure with a cable strap.

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4. Reassemble seat and test operation.

PARTS INFORMATION

Part Number	Description	Quantity
61 13 1 367 599	Cable Tie (L=200 mm/3.6 mm) [forced rounding = 50]	1

CLAIM INFORMATION

Covered under the terms of the MINI New Vehicle Limited Warranty for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks.

Repair Code:	5210031500	Backrest adjustment, front seat Permanent malfunction
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Diagnosis

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Allowance
52 00 001*	Seats - locating complaint(s) (Work time)	WT FRU
Or:		
00 58 500*	Diagnosis Worktime Flat Rate (Plusposition)	2 FRU

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Or:		
00 58 000*	Diagnosis Worktime Flat Rate (Main work)	3 FRU

Only one Main work "type" flat rate labor operation code can be claimed per workshop visit. If the diagnosis above includes Main work, then use the Plusposition labor operation codes for any other repair/work that was performed.

And:

Together with the diagnosis above that applies to your dealer, claim the work below that was performed.

Repair – One or Both Sides

Labor Operation	Description	Labor Allowance
52 99 000	Work time to relocate the seat wiring harness and secure (One side)	3 FRU
Or:		
52 99 000	Work time to relocate the seat wiring harnesses and secure (Both sides)	5 FRU

(*) Based on which one applies to your dealer, please refer to **SI M01 01 20** or **M01 04 20** 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 dealer performed, unless otherwise required by State law.

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