TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Upgraded Rear Seat Latch Strap

AFFECTED VEHICLE RANGE:

Discovery Series II (LT)

up to YA 256122 up to XA 907212

SITUATION:

REAR SEAT LATCH STRAPS BROKEN

The customer may experience separation of the strap from its securing rivets due to insufficient reinforcement stitching.

RESOLUTION:

INSTALL NEW STRENGTHENED REPLACEMENT COMPONENT

A modified strap with additional stitching has been developed and is fitted to all vehicles from the safe VIN quoted above. The improved strap is available as a repair kit (VUB000130) for installation using the two replacement retaining rivets provided in the kit as described below.

PARTS INFORMATION:

VUB000130.....Replacement Seat Latch Strap Kit. Qty 2 (1 per seat)

WARRANTY CLAIMS:

78.85.89/45.....Time 0.25 hrs. Install upgraded seat latch straps FAULT CODE: D

Normal warranty policy and procedures apply

REPAIR PROCEDURE

- 1. Carefully center mark and drill out both rivets used to secure the damaged or broken strap.
- 2. Position the ends of the new strap on either side of the lever.
- 3. Insert the new rivets supplied in the kit through the strap webbing and the seat release lever. (Figure 1)
- 4. Press the two halves of the rivets together with your fingers until they seat together.
- 5. Protect the outer surfaces of the rivets to avoid marring.

△ NOTE: Initially the rivet will resist compression and then it will compress approximately 3mm (1/8 inch).

6. Using large parallel jaw pliers, compress the two halves of each rivet together to secure the strap to the lever.



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