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SERVICE

TECHNICAL BULLETIN

Lower Steering Column Area Whistle Noise – Transfer Pipe Flush "Rush" – Install Revised Steering Rack MODEL 2003 MY-ON S-TYPE

VIN

M44998-ON

Issue:

This bulletin addresses customer concerns of a whistle noise emanating from the lower steering column area, when the steering wheel is moved quickly at low speeds, (lock-to-lock) when maneuvering into a parking space. This concern can be caused by the rush of fluid through the transfer pipe.

Note: This bulletin is for a 'whistle' noise only, if there is a 'squeak' emanating from the lower steering column area, refer to Technical Bulletin S211-04.

Action:

In case of a verified customer complaint of the above condition, install a new steering gear, with modified transfer pipe drilling. Refer to Global Technical Reference GTR Workshop Manual, section: 211-02.

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Global Technical Reference (GTR) Workshop Manual Information:

Dealer access: <u>https://hub.franchise.jaguar.com</u> Internet access: <u>http://www.jaguartechinfo.com</u>

Parts Information:

DESCRIPTION	PART NUMBER	<u>QTY</u>
Steering gear - LHD - Prior VIN M94764	XR8 54499	1
Steering gear - LHD - From VIN M94765	C2P 7680	1
Fluid	JLM 21703	As required

Warranty Information:

Warranty claims should be submitted quoting the information found in the table below. This will result in payment of the stated time and, where applicable parts/miscellaneous expense codes as listed.

Description	SRO	Time	Causal Part Number
Install new steering gear - Prior VIN N13088	57.10.01	2.2 hrs.	C2P 7680 or XR8 54499
Install new steering gear - From VIN N13089	57.10.01	1.8 hrs.	C2P 7680

Note: Repair procedures are under constant review, and therefore repair times are subject to change. The times quoted here must be taken as guidance only. Always refer to DDW to obtain the latest repair time.