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FOR HELP WITH USING WITECH FOR ECU FLASH REPROGRAMMING, CLICK ON THE APPLICATION'S "HELP" TAB.

THE WITECH SOFTWARE IS REQUIRED TO BE AT THE LATEST RELEASE BEFORE PERFORMING THIS PROCEDURE.

SUBJECT:

Flash: Powertrain Diagnostic And System Improvements

OVERVIEW:

This bulletin involves reprogramming the Powertrain Control Module (PCM) with the latest software.

MODELS:

2013 - 2014	(LC)	Dodge Challenger
2013 - 2015	(LD)	Dodge Charger
2013 - 2015	(LX)	Chrysler 300
2015	(LA)	Dodge Challenger

NOTE: This bulletin applies to vehicles equipped with 5.7L V8 Hemi VVT Engine (Sales Code EZC) or equipped with 5.7L V8 Hemi MDS VVT Engine (Sales Code EZH).

NOTE: **This bulletin applies to 2013-2014 MY LD vehicles equipped with 5.7L V8 Hemi MDS VVT Engine (Sales Code EZH) with Police Group (Sales Code AHB) or Special Service Group (Sales Code AHV).**

SYMPTOM/CONDITION:

A small number of customers may experience a Malfunction Indicator Lamp (MIL) illumination. Upon further investigation the technician may find one or more of the following Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs):

- U1424-00 Implausible Engine Torque Signal Received (2015 MY).
- P0456 Evap System Small Leak.
- P2610 PCM Internal Engine Off Timer Performance.
- P2299 Brake Pedal Position / Accelerator Pedal Position Incompatible.
- P0335 Crankshaft Position Sensor Circuit (2014-2015 MY).
- U0140 Lost Communication With Body Control Module (LC, LD and LX).
- P1621 O2 Sensor Reference Voltage Circuit Low.
- P1622 O2 Sensor Reference Voltage Circuit High.
- P0606 Internal Control Processor.
- P0300 Multiple Cylinder Misfire.
- P219A Bank 1 Air-Fuel Ratio Imbalance.
- P219B Bank 2 Air-Fuel Ratio Imbalance.
- P0307 Cylinder 7 Misfire.
- P2096 Downstream Fuel Trim System 1 Lean.
- P2097 Downstream Fuel Trim System 1 Rich.

The following software enhancements are also available (2015 MY):

- Reverse gear lock-out change from 16 kph (10 mph) to 4.8 kph (3 mph) (Sales Code EZC with DEC).
- Change to purge vapor control calibration (Sales Code EZH with DGJ).
- Improvements to vehicle overspeed control (Sales Code EZH with DGJ).
- Calibration update to the electronic voltage regulator voltage setpoint (Sales Code EZH with DGJ).

Additional Symptoms:

- **Customers with a Pursuit Dodge Charger (LD) may describe an unpleasant odor in the vehicle under certain extreme ambient conditions 2013-2014 MY LD with (Sales Codes EZH with AHB or AHV only).**
- Technicians may find that the original vehicle Frequency Operated Button Integrated Key (FOBIK) does not function properly following replacement of the Wireless Ignition Node (WIN/WCM). The Secret Key information stored in the PCM may be corrupt. This update will restore the PCM's ability to store/transfer valid Secret Key information (LC vehicles).
- Accuracy improvements for the Automatic Oil Change Indicator (AOCI) system.
- Engine buck or delay feeling during low speed driving.
- Less than desired engine performance during Multiple Displacement System (MDS) mode transitions.

DIAGNOSIS:

Using a Scan Tool (wiTECH) with the appropriate Diagnostic Procedures available in TechCONNECT, verify all related systems are functioning as designed. If DTCs or symptom conditions, other than the ones listed above are present, record the issues on the repair order and repair as necessary before proceeding further with this bulletin.

If the customer describes the symptom/condition listed above or if the technician finds the DTCs, perform the Repair Procedure.

REPAIR PROCEDURE:

NOTE: Install a battery charger to ensure battery voltage does not drop below 13.2 volts. Do not allow the charging voltage to climb above 13.5 volts during the flash process.

NOTE: If this flash process is interrupted/aborted, the flash should be restarted.

- Reprogram the PCM with the latest software. Detailed instructions for flashing control modules using the wiTECH Diagnostic Application are available by selecting the application's "HELP" tab.
- 2. (This step applies only to LC vehicles) Perform the "PCM Replaced" function located in wiTECH under the WCM/WIN module view under the Miscellaneous Functions tab. This will transfer the current/valid Secret Key information from the WIN/WCM to the PCM.
- 3. Clear all DTCs that may have been set in any module due to reprogramming. The wiTECH application will automatically present all DTCs after the flash and allow them to be cleared.

POLICY:

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

TIME ALLOWANCE:

Labor Operation No:	Description	Skill Category	Amount
18-19-06-RK	Module, Powertrain Control (PCM) - Reprogram (0 - Introduction)	1 - Engine Repair and Performance	0.2 Hrs.

NOTE: The expected completion time for the flash download portion of this procedure is approximately 3 minutes. Actual flash download times may be affected by vehicle connection and network capabilities.

FAILURE CODE:

The dealer must use failure code CC with this Service Bulletin.

- If the customer's concern matches the SYMPTOM/CONDITION identified in the Service Bulletin, failure code CC is to be used.
- When utilizing this failure code, the 3C's (customer's concern, cause and correction) must be provided for processing Service Bulletin flash/reprogramming conditions.

CC	Customer Concern	
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