



Applies To: **2009 TSX – ALL**  
**2010 TSX – From VIN JH4CU...AC000001 thru JH4CU...AC016137**

**February 5, 2010**

**Fuel Fill Door Is Hard to Open**  
 (Supersedes 08-025, dated June 13, 2008; see Revision Summary)

**REVISION SUMMARY**

This service bulletin has been revised extensively; American Honda recommends that you review the entire bulletin.

**SYMPTOM**

When the fuel fill door is pressed, the release latch does not disengage. The problem may be intermittent, and it usually only occurs when the door has not been opened for at least a day.

**PROBABLE CAUSE**

The fuel door lifter assembly is faulty.

**CORRECTIVE ACTION**

Replace the fuel fill door push lifter.

**PARTS INFORMATION**

Fuel Fill Door Push Lifter: P/N 74486-TF0-013

**WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION**

The normal warranty applies.

Operation Number: 3101P8

Flat Rate Time: 0.1 hour

Failed Part: P/N 74486-TF0-003

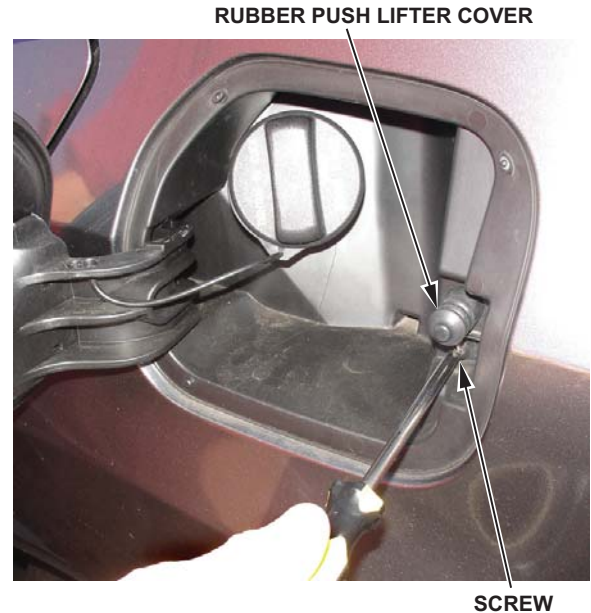
Defect Code: 07403

Symptom Code: 07902

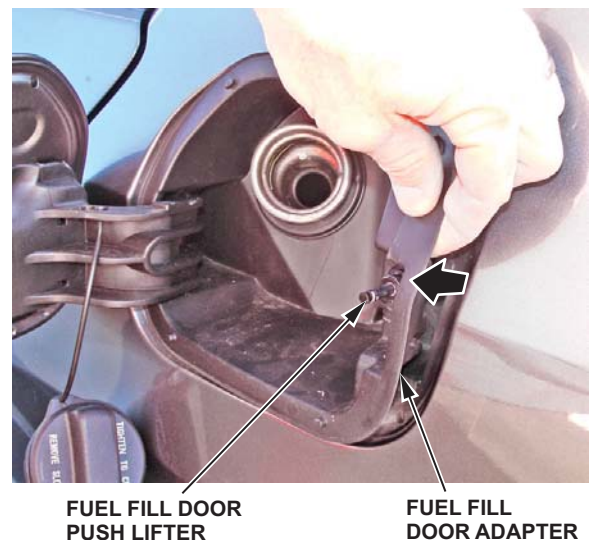
Skill Level: Repair Technician

**REPAIR PROCEDURE**

1. Remove the screw and the rubber push lifter cover from the fuel fill door adapter.

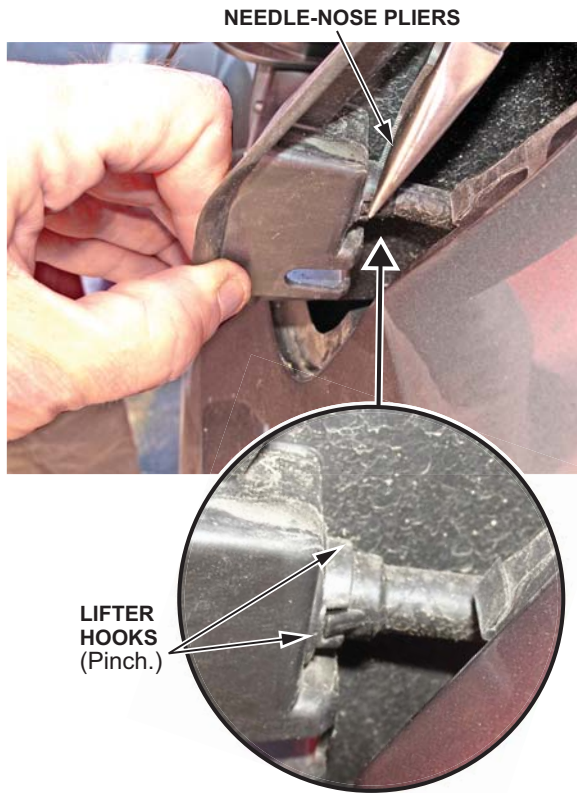


2. Gently pull on the fuel fill door adapter to access the back of the push lifter assembly.



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3. Pinch the push lifter hooks with a pair of needle-nose pliers to release the lifter from the adapter.



4. Install a new push lifter, push the adapter back into position, and reinstall the screw and the rubber push lifter cover.