

TECHNICAL SERVICE BULLETIN Seat Pan Looseness, Lateral Movement, And/Or Clunk/Thump Noise On Turns

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Model:

Lincoln 2017-2019 Continental 2018-2020 Navigator

Issue: Some 2017-2019 Continental and 2018-2020 Navigator vehicles may experience seat pan looseness, lateral movement and/or a clunk/thump noise on turns. To correct the condition, follow the Service Procedure steps to reinforce the cushion hook on the affected seat(s).

Action: Follow the Service Procedure steps to correct the condition on vehicles that meet all of the following criteria:

- 2017-2019 Continental or 2018-2020 Navigator
- Seat pan looseness, lateral movement, and/or clunk/thump noise on turns

Parts

Part Number		Description	Quantity
W527404-	Package Contains 1 Piece, 2 Pieces	3/8 Inch Wide Hose Clamps	2 Per Affected
S300	Required Per Affected Seat	Or Equivalent	Seat
Obtain	-	3/4 Inch Heater Hose, 1 Inch	2 Per Affected
Locally		Long	Seat

Warranty Status: Eligible Under Provisions Of New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage Warranty/ESP coverage limits/policies/prior approvals are not altered by a TSB. Warranty/ESP coverage limits are determined by the identified causal part and verified using the OASIS part coverage tool.

Labor Times

Description	Operation No.	Time
2017-2019 Continental 2018-2020 Navigator: Install Heater Hose And Clamp On One (1) Front Seat (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)		0.4 Hrs.
2017-2019 Continental 2018-2020 Navigator: Install Heater Hose And Clamp On Both (2) Front Seats (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations)		0.7 Hrs.

Repair/Claim Coding

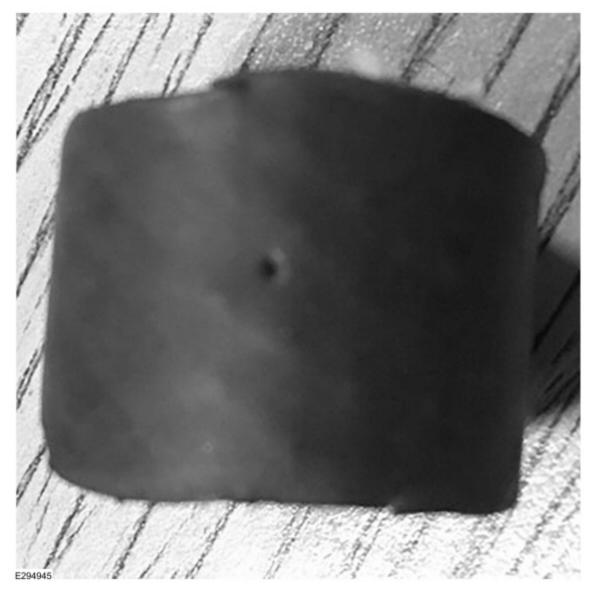
Causal Part:	9661711
Condition Code:	33

Service Procedure

1. Using both height and front tilt functions, adjust the affected seat to the highest position.

- 2. Remove only the affected driver front seat module (DSM) or passenger front seat module (SCMB) from the affected seat(s). Refer to Workshop Manual (WSM), Section 501-10A.
- 3. Remove the seat module mounting bracket.
- 4. Cut a 25.4 mm (1 in.) long section of 19 mm (3/4 in.) diameter heater hose. (Figure 1)

Figure 1



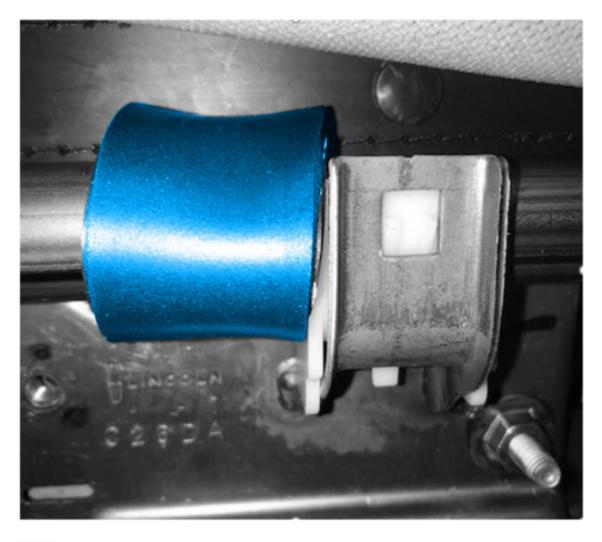
5. Cut a slit in the 25.4 mm (1 in.) piece. (Figure 2)

Figure 2



6. Install the hose over the front cross tube. (Figure 3)

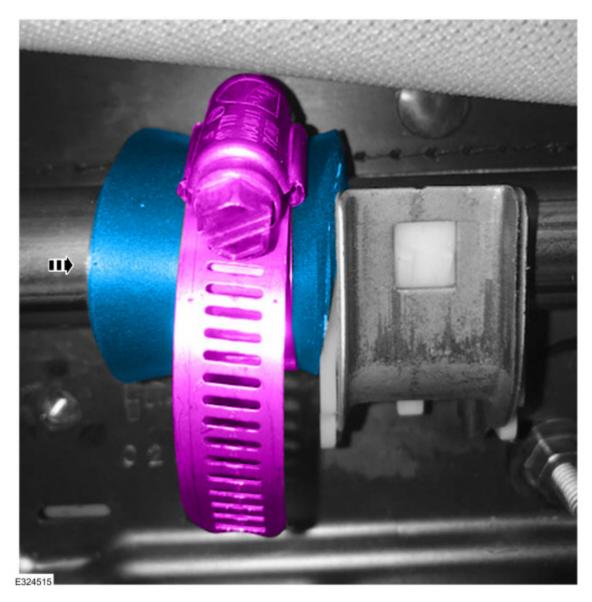
Figure 3



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- **7.** Open the hose clamp and slip the hose clamp over the heater hose to secure the heater hose to the front cross tube.
- **8.** Push the heater hose up against the cushion hook and tighten the hose clamp to 3.7 Nm (33 in-lbs). (Figure 4)

Figure 4



9. Repeat Steps 4 through 8 on the other side of the seat track. (Figure 5) Figure 5



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- 10. If the noise is present on both front seats, repeat Steps 1 through 9 on the other front seat.
- 11. Install the affected DSM and/or SCMB and mounting bracket. Refer to WSM, Section 501-10A.
- **12.** Return the affected seat(s) to their normal position.

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