## **Technical Bulletin**



# SERVICE BULLETIN

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# 2009 370Z; SEAT POPPING NOISE/SLIGHT MOVEMENT FROM FRONT RIGHT SEAT CORNER

APPLIED VEHICLE: 2009 370Z (Z34) Left Side Manual Seat ONLY

APPLIED VIN/DATE: Vehicles built before JN1AZ44(\*\*)9M 410159 / 26-Jun-2009

#### IF YOU CONFIRM

A popping-type noise and/or slight movement from the right front seat bottom seat cushion during turns:

#### **ACTION**

Remove the Seat Cushion Frame from the seat.

Replace the push-type star washers of the frame as shown in the Service Procedure of this bulletin.

**NOTE:** Do not replace the entire Seat Cushion Frame of the seat for this incident, if it should occur.

#### **CLAIMS INFORMATION**

Submit a Primary Part (PP) type line claim using the following claims coding:

DESCRIPTION	PFP	OP CODE	SYM	DIA	FRT
Rpl Front Seat Lifter Star Washer	87182-1EA1A	VX2JAA	ZL	46	0.7

#### PARTS INFORMATION

DESCRIPTION	PART#	QUANTITY	
NUT-PUSH (push-type star washer)	87182-1EA1A	2	

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### **SERVICE PROCEDURE**

1. Remove Seat Cushion Frame from the vehicle. Refer to **section SE, SEAT Disassembly and Assembly** in the 2009 370Z Electronic Service Manual.

**NOTE:** Both the inner side AND outer side star washer being replaced in this procedure is shown below.

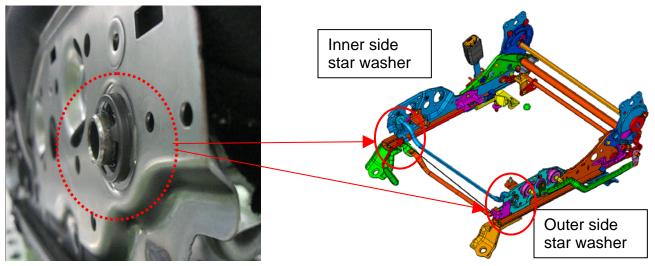


Figure 1

3. Remove the original star washer from the inner side of frame with cutters or small flathead screwdriver.



Figure 3

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- 4a. Locate a pipe, socket, or similar tool with an internal dimension (ID) between 20 to 21mm that can be used as a drift. Ensure size is such that it does not interfere with "legs" of star washer (see Figure 4).
- 4b. Use tool to drive new star washer onto connector bar.

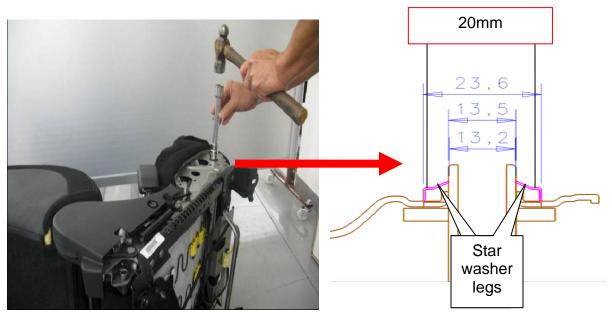
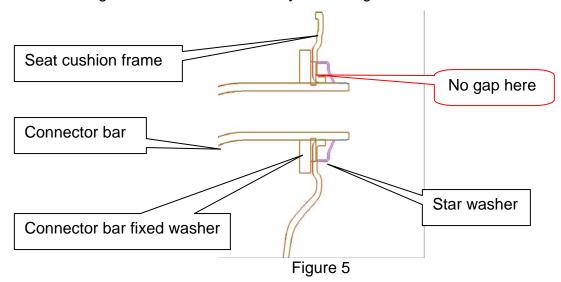


Figure 4

5. After drifting ensure star washer is fully seated against seat frame.



- 6. Perform steps 3 through 5 for the outer star washer.
- 7. Re-assemble vehicle in reverse order of disassembly.

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