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BODY CLOSURES

FRONT DOOR (G2424155)

REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

DOOR
ASSEMBLY ALL
76.28.01 FRONT - DERIVATIVES
EACH RENEW

REMOVAL

CAUTION:

Protect the surrounding paintwork to avoid damage.

NOTES:

- This procedure contains illustrations for left hand drive vehicles, right hand drive vehicles are similar.
- This procedure contains illustrations showing certain components removed to provide extra clarity.
- This procedure contains some variation in the illustrations depending on the vehicle specification, but the essential information is always correct.
- Disconnect the startup battery ground cable.
 Refer to:Startup Battery Disconnect and Connect (414-00 Battery and Charging System General Information, General Procedures).
- Remove the door mirror.
 Refer to:Door Mirror (501-09 Rear View Mirrors, Removal and Installation).
- Remove the front door lower moulding.
 Refer to:Front Door Lower Moulding (501-08 Exterior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).

4. Remove the front door window.

Refer to:Front Door Window (501-11 Glass, Frames and Mechanisms, Removal and Installation).

5. Remove the front door latch.

Refer to:Front Door Latch (501-14 Handles, Locks, Latches and Entry Systems, Removal and Installation).

6. Remove the front door weatherstrip.

Refer to:Front Door Weatherstrip (501-03 Body Closures, Removal and Installation).

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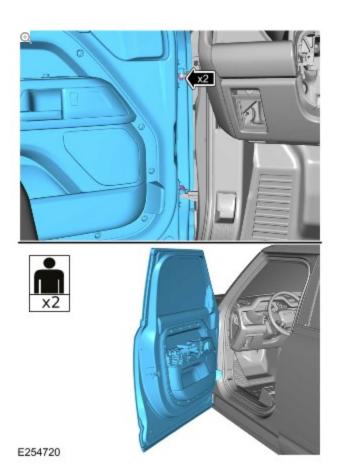
Disconnect the front door wiring harness from the body wiring harness.

CAUTIONS:

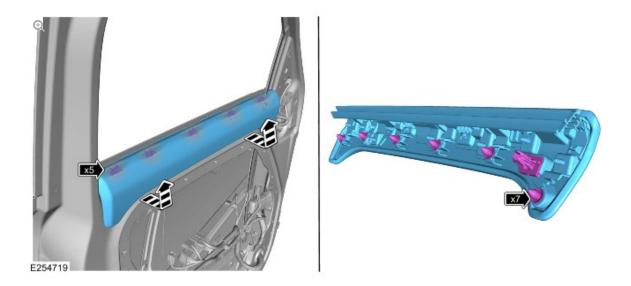
- Lay the front door on felt covered supports.
- The component(s) may be heavy. Take extra care when handling.

NOTE:

This step requires the aid of another technician.

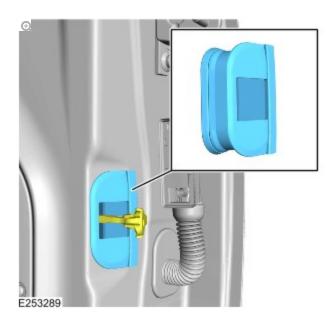


- Remove the 2 bolts.
- Remove the front door.

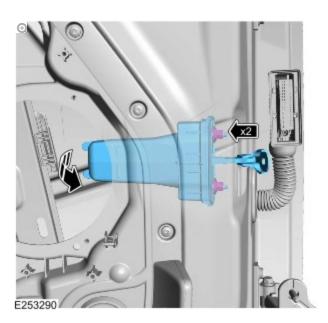


- Release the 12 clips.
- Remove the front door upper trim panel as illustrated.

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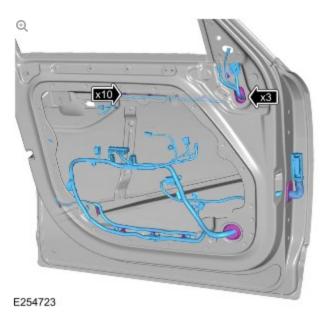


Remove the rubber access cover.



- Remove the 2 nuts.
- Remove the front door check arm.

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- Release the 10 wiring harness clips.
- Release the 3 grommets.
- Remove the front door wiring harness.

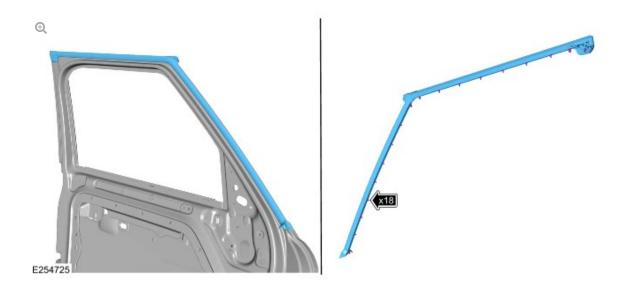


- Remove the 4 bolts.
- Remove the 2 front door hinges.

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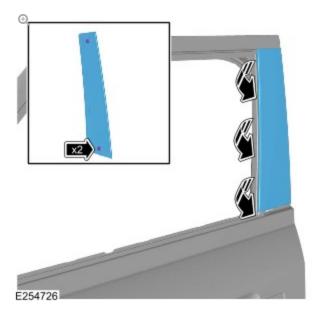


Remove the front door window runner seal.



- Release the 18 clips.
- Remove the front door upper weatherstrip.

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- Release the 2 clips.
- Remove the front door frame finisher.



Remove the front door frame upper finisher.

INSTALLATION

- 1. Install the front door frame upper finisher.
- 2. Install the front door frame finisher.
- 3. Install the front door upper weatherstrip.
- 4. Install the front door window runner seal.
- Install the 2 front door hinges.
 - Install and tighten the 4 bolts.Torque: 35Nm
- 6. Install the front door wiring harness.
 - Install the 3 grommets.
 - Install the 10 wiring harness clips.

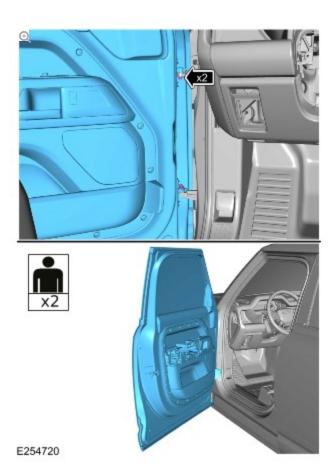
7.	Install the front door check arm.
	 Install and tighten the 2 nuts. Torque: 12Nm
8.	Install the access cover.
9.	Install the front door upper trim panel.

CAUTION:

The component(s) may be heavy. Take extra care when handling.

NOTE:

This step requires the aid of another technician.



- Install the front door.
- Install and tighten the 2 bolts.

Torque: 13.5Nm

- Check the front door gaps and align if necessary.
 Refer to:Front Door Alignment (501-26 Body Repairs Vehicle Specific Information and Tolerance Checks, General Procedures).
- 11. Connect the front door wiring harness to the body wiring harness.
- 12. Install the front door weatherstrip.
 Refer to:Front Door Weatherstrip (501-03 Body Closures, Removal and Installation).

- 13. Install the front door latch.

 Refer to:Front Door Latch (501-14 Handles, Locks, Latches and Entry Systems, Removal and Installation).
- 14. Install the front door window.
 Refer to:Front Door Window (501-11 Glass, Frames and Mechanisms, Removal and Installation).
- 15. Install the front door lower moulding.
 Refer to:Front Door Lower Moulding (501-08 Exterior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).
- Install the door mirror.
 Refer to:Door Mirror (501-09 Rear View Mirrors, Removal and Installation).
- 17. Connect the startup battery ground cable.
 Refer to:Startup Battery Disconnect and Connect (414-00 Battery and Charging System General Information, General Procedures).