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**GROUP:** Exhaust System

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**SUBJECT:**

Exhaust System Noise

**OVERVIEW:**

This bulletin involves listening to the exhaust pipe to muffler connection on both the right and left sides. It will only be necessary to replace the exhaust pipe/catalytic converter assembly and gasket if the exhaust is leaking at the joint.

**MODELS:**

2011 (WK) Grand Cherokee

**NOTE: This Service Bulletin applies to vehicles equipped with a 3.6L engine (Sales Code ERB) built before June 25, 2010 (MDH 06257XX).**

**SYMPTOM/CONDITION:**

Some customers may notice that the exhaust is louder than expected. This condition is caused by the rear joint of the exhaust pipe/catalytic converter assembly being out of specification.

**DIAGNOSIS:**

If the above Symptom/Condition is present, perform the Repair Procedure.

**PARTS REQUIRED:**

Qty.	Part No.	Description
AR (1)	68036556AE	Left, exhaust pipe and catalytic converter
AR (1)	68037894AE	Right, exhaust pipe and catalytic converter
AR (2)	05184214AE	Gasket, Exhaust Manifold

**NOTE: Very few vehicles are expected to need this repair. Only order parts if the vehicle is experiencing the condition.**

**REPAIR PROCEDURE:**

1. Raise vehicle on a hoist.

2. Start engine.
3. Inspect right and left exhaust at the joints between the exhaust pipe and muffler.

**NOTE: Very few vehicles are expected to need this repair. Only order parts if the vehicle is experiencing the condition.**

4. Can a leak be heard at the joint?
  - a. No >>> Return vehicle to Customer or inventory.
  - b. Yes >>> Replace exhaust pipe/catalytic converter assembly and gasket.

***POLICY:***

Reimbursable within the provisions of the warranty.

***TIME ALLOWANCE:***

<b>Labor Operation No:</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
11-50-01-97	Right and Left Exhaust - Inspect (C)	0.2 Hrs.
11-50-01-98	Right Catalytic Converter, Pipe And Gasket - Replace (C)	0.8 Hrs.
11-50-01-99	Left Catalytic Converter, Pipe And Gasket - Replace (C)	0.8 Hrs.

***FAILURE CODE:***

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