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WIRING HARNESSES

TAILGATE WIRING HARNESS (G2323868)

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REMOVAL

 NOTES:

- This procedure contains some variation in the illustrations depending on the vehicle specification, but the essential information is always correct.
- This procedure contains illustrations showing certain components removed to provide extra clarity.

1. Disconnect the startup battery ground cable.

Refer to: [Startup Battery Disconnect and Connect](#) (414-00 Battery and Charging System - General Information, General Procedures).

2. Remove the right loadspace trim panel.

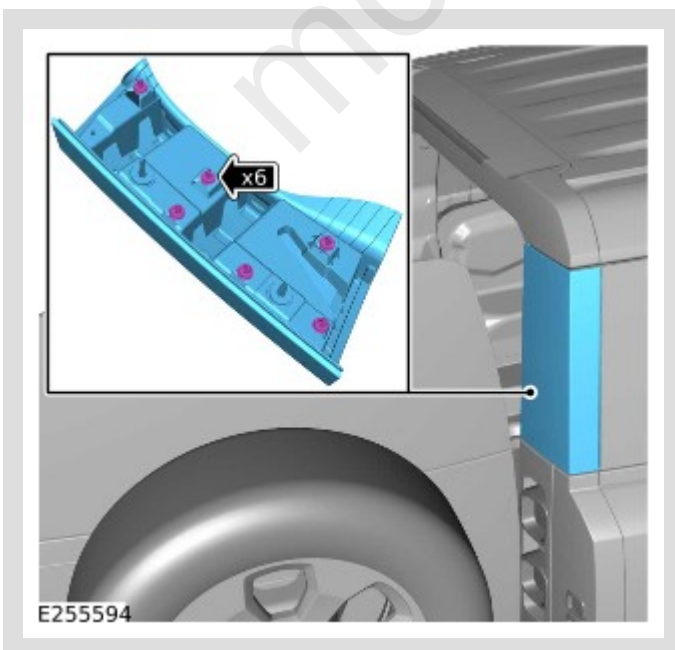
Refer to: [Right Loadspace Trim Panel](#) (501-05 Interior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).

Refer to: [Right Loadspace Trim Panel - \[+ 7 Seat Configuration, 110](#) (501-05 Interior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).

3. Remove the tailgate trim panel.

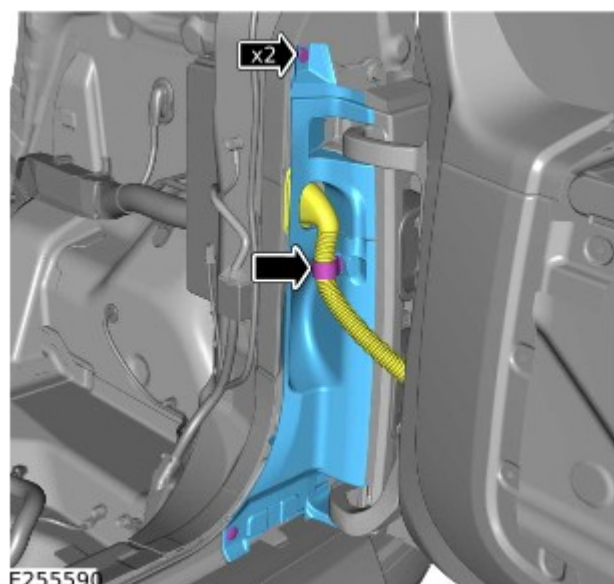
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- 4.



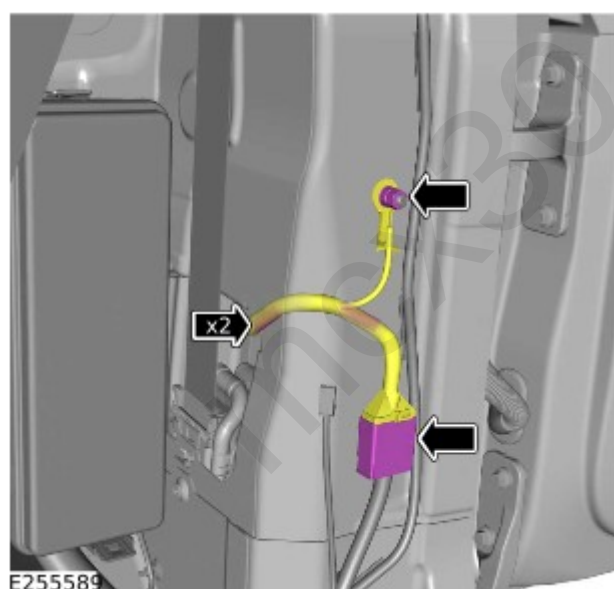
- Release the 6 clips.
- Remove the D-pillar upper finisher.

5.



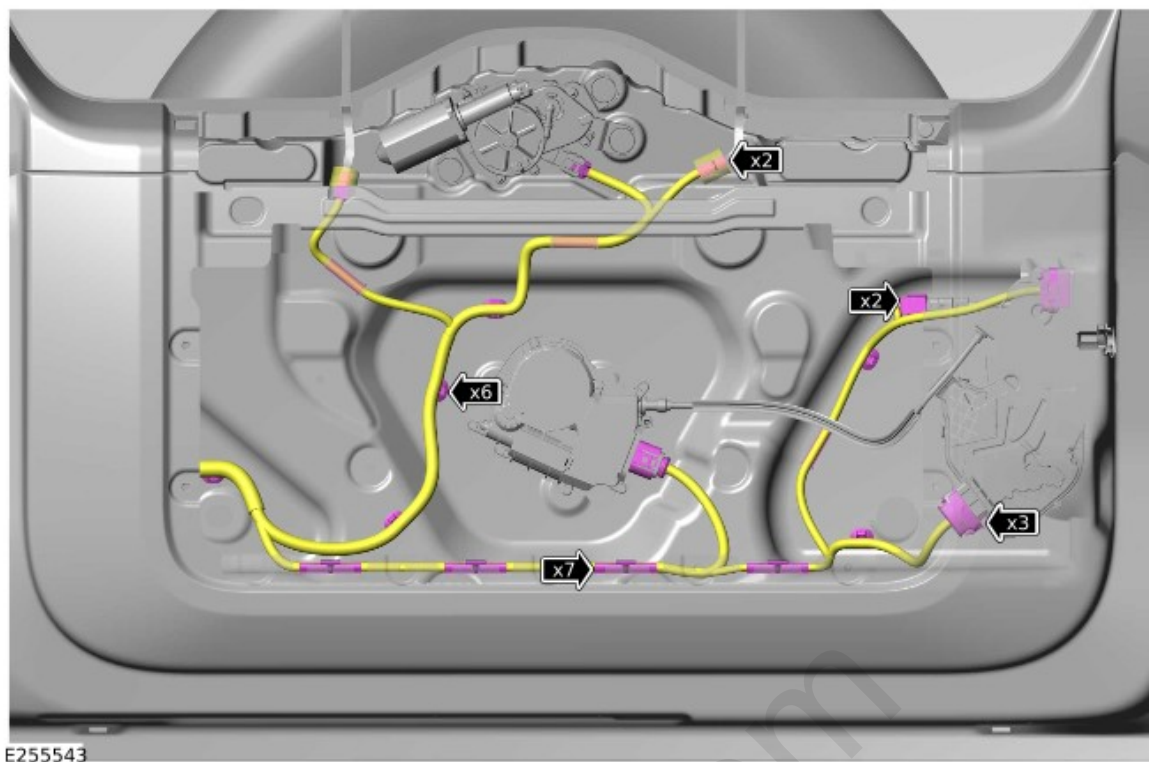
- Release the 3 clips.
- Remove the aperture right finisher.

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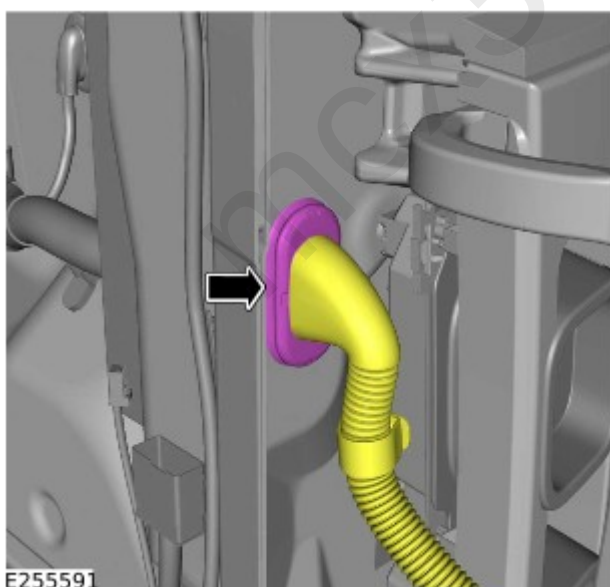
- Remove the ground nut.
- Disconnect the electrical connector.
- Release the 2 wiring harness clips.

7.



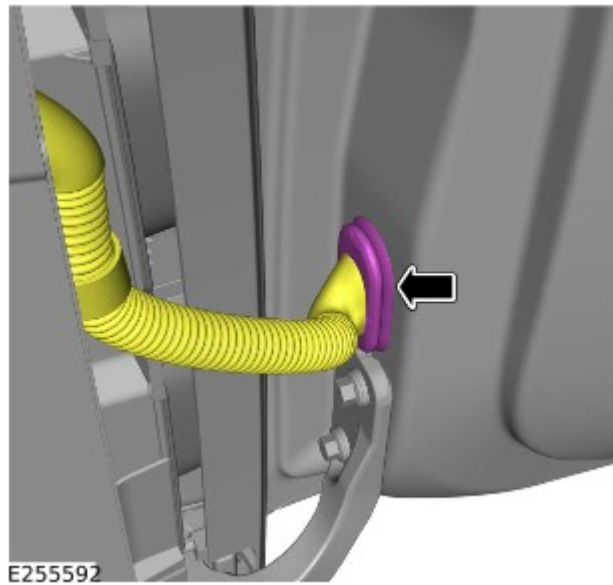
- Disconnect the 7 electrical connectors.
- Release the 13 wiring harness clips.

8.



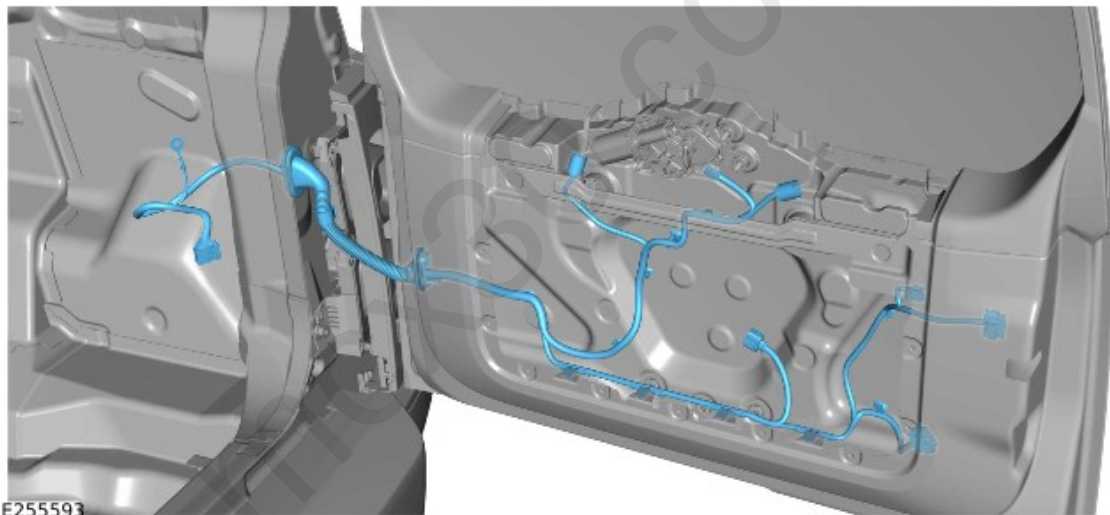
Release the upper grommet.

9.



Release the lower grommet.

10.



Remove the tailgate wiring harness.

INSTALLATION

1. Install the tailgate wiring harness.

- 2.
- Install the lower grommet.
 - Install the upper grommet.

- 3.
- Connect the 7 electrical connectors.
 - Install the 13 wiring harness clips.

- 4.
- Connect the electrical connector.
 - Install the 2 wiring harness clips.
 - Install and tighten the ground nut.
Torque: 9Nm

- 5.
- Install the aperture right finisher.
 - Install the 3 clips.

6. Install the D-pillar upper finisher.

7. Install the tailgate trim panel.
Refer to: [Tailgate Trim Panel](#) (501-05 Interior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).

8. Install the right loadspace trim panel.
Refer to: [Right Loadspace Trim Panel](#) (501-05 Interior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).
Refer to: [Right Loadspace Trim Panel - \[+ 7 Seat Configuration, 110](#) (501-05 Interior Trim and Ornamentation, Removal and Installation).

9. Connect the startup battery ground cable.
Refer to: [Startup Battery Disconnect and Connect](#) (414-00 Battery and Charging System - General Information, General Procedures).