

SECTION 501-14: Handles, Locks, Latches and Entry Systems
REMOVAL AND INSTALLATION

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Tailgate Latch Remote Control

Removal and Installation

1. If equipped, remove the tailgate step assist handle. For additional information, refer to [Section 501-04](#).
 2. Remove the bolts and the tailgate access panel (7 bolts for flareside bed, 8 for without step tailgate, or 13 with step tailgate).
 - To install, tighten to 5 Nm (44 lb-in).
 3. Open the 2 clips and release the 2 tailgate latch actuating rods from the tailgate remote control.
 4. If equipped, release the tailgate latch actuating rod locator from the tailgate.
 5. Remove the 2 tailgate release handle nuts and the tailgate remote control.
 - To install, tighten to 9 Nm (80 lb-in).
 6. To install, reverse the removal procedure.
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