



TECHNICAL ALERT

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ATTENTION: *Service Manager* *Service Advisor* *Technician*

Discovery Series II Maintenance Enhancement

SITUATION

Without lubrication deterioration and corrosion can affect the door hinges and particularly the rear end-door hinges on a Discovery Series II. The currently published Maintenance Schedule specifies:

"Lubricate door locks, check straps, hood latch and safety catch, fuel door hinges"

RESOLUTION

To ensure that all door hinges, including the rear end-door hinges, are included in this step and are routinely lubricated, Land Rover is amending step 2.3 in the Maintenance Schedule to include a specific reference to door hinges. The new wording posted on the InfoTrail versions of the check list reads as follows:

"2.3 Lubricate door locks, check straps, all door hinges, hood latch and safety catch, fuel door hinges"

The lubricant to be used for the hinges is a multipurpose Lithium based grease N.L.G.I. consistency No. 2. The recommended brand name is **Castrol Syntec**.