8.8 LIMITED SLIP AXLE MOAN/GROAN NOISE DURING LOW SPEED TURNING MANEUVERS

TSB 06-19-2

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2005-2007 Mustang

This article supersedes TSB **06-12-11** to update the Service Procedure.

ISSUE

Some 2005-2007 Mustang GT vehicles equipped with the 8.8 inch limited slip axle may exhibit a moan/groan noise when making tight low speed turns. This may be more noticeable when the axle is at full operating temperature. The noise may also be confused as originating from the brakes or steering system.

ACTION

Follow the Service Procedure steps to correct the condition.

SERVICE PROCEDURE

- 1. First, verify the concern.
 - a. Make sure the axle is at full operating temperature.
 - Perform several full lock turns at low speeds in both directions.
 - c. If the noise is verified to be in the rear axle, proceed to Step 2.
 - d. If the concern can not be verified or the noise is not coming from the rear axle assembly, then do not continue with this TSB and follow normal diagnostics in the Workshop Manual (WSM).

 Replace the limited slip clutch pack, install the new limited slip clutch pack kit following the procedures in the Mustang WSM, Section 205-02B (Differential Carrier Removal and Differential Case/Ring Gear Disassembly).

PART NUMBER	PART NAME
6L1Z-4947-B	Clutch Pack

WARRANTY STATUS: Eligible Under Provisions Of

New Vehicle Limited Warranty Coverage

OPERATION DESCRIPTION TIME

061902A 2005-2007 Mustang: Install 3.3 Hrs.

The Limited Slip Clutch Pack (Do Not Use With 4205A, 4205A4, 4205A12, 4205A13, 4234A)

DEALER CODING

BASIC PART NO. CODE 4947 D4

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