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## DESCRIPTION AND OPERATION

### Rear Suspension

**⚠ WARNING:** All vehicles are equipped with gas-pressurized shock absorbers which will extend unassisted. Do not apply heat or flame to the shock absorbers during removal or component servicing. Failure to follow these instructions can result in personal injury.

**⚠ CAUTION:** Suspension fasteners are critical parts because they affect performance of vital parts and systems and their failure can result in major service expense. A new part with the same part number must be installed if installation becomes necessary. Torque values must be used as specified during reassembly to make sure of correct retention of these parts.

The rear suspension consists of the following components:

- Rear spring
  - Rear shock absorber
  - Rear upper suspension arm and bushings
  - Rear lower suspension arm and bushings
    - common LH and RH
  - Panard rod and bushings
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  - Stabilizer bar assembly with drop links
    - tagged on LH side (GT and Pony packages only)
  - Lateral stiffener bar
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