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# 2nd Row Tip-Up Style Seat Lower Cushion Excessive Movement

Service

Category Vehicle Interior

Section Seat Market USA



#### **Applicability**

| YEAR(S)     | MODEL(S) | ADDITIONAL INFORMATION |
|-------------|----------|------------------------|
| 2011 – 2013 | Sienna   |                        |

#### Introduction

Some Sienna vehicles may exhibit a condition where the left hand (driver's side) middle row seat with the tip-up style lower seat cushion has excessive up and down movement. While some seat movement is a normal characteristic of the design, this bulletin will help identify excessive movement and provide steps to address this condition.

#### **Parts Information**

#### **Repair Procedure 1**

| PREVIOUS PART NUMBER | CURRENT PART NUMBER | PART NAME             | QTY |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----|
| 90201-A0004          | Same                | Shim - 3 mm           | 1   |
| 90080-16099          | 78899-08400         | Screw*                | 1   |
| 71396-28030-B0       | 71396-08010         | Seat Support Cushion* | 1   |

<sup>\*</sup> Vehicles built <u>BEFORE</u> 12/2011 Production Date.

#### **Repair Procedure 2**

| PREVIOUS PART NUM | BER CURRENT PART NUMBER | PART NAME                            | QTY |
|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----|
| 79106-08010       | Same                    | LH Lower Seat Frame (Captain Seat)   | 1   |
| 79106-08020       | Same                    | LH Lower Seat Frame (w/ Center Seat) | 1   |

#### **NOTE**

Follow the inspection procedure in this bulletin to identify which repair procedure and parts will be required.



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#### **Required Tools & Equipment**

| SPECIAL SERVICE TOOLS (SST) | PART NUMBER    | QTY |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-----|
| Plastic Pry Tool Set*       | 00002-06000-01 | 1   |

<sup>\*</sup> Essential SST.

#### **NOTE**

Additional SSTs may be ordered by calling 1-800-933-8335.

#### **Warranty Information**

| OP CODE | DESCRIPTION                                     | TIME | OFP         | T1 | T2 |
|---------|---|------|-------------|----|----|
| BD1223  | 3 mm Shim Installation (Only)                   | 0.5  |             |    |    |
| BD1222  | R & R Seat Frame Assembly (Only)                | 2.8  | 79106-08010 | 62 | 40 |
| BD1224  | R & R Seat Frame Assembly and Install 3 mm Shim | 3.3  | 79106-08020 | .0 |    |

#### APPLICABLE WARRANTY

- . This repair is covered under the Toyota Comprehensive Warranty. This warranty is in effect for 36 months or 36,000 miles, whichever occurs first, from the vehicle's in-service date.
- Warranty application is limited to occurrence of the specified condition described in this bulletin.

#### **Inspection Procedure**

- 1. Confirm amount of lower seat cushion movement.
  - A. Latch the lower seat cushion into place.
  - B. Apply pressure down on the seat cushion to verify amount of movement in the lower seat cushion.

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#### **Inspection Procedure (Continued)**

- 2. While applying pressure, measure the amount of movement in the lower cushion assembly.
  - A. Apply tape to the front edge of the cushion.
  - B. Draw a reference line on tape.

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C. Using a metric ruler, measure vertical movement of the lower cushion.



Figure 1. Example of Seat Measurement

Refer to the video link below for an example of the Seat Measurement: Seat Measurement

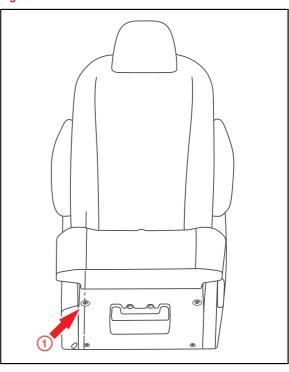
| MEASUREMENT | ACTION   |  |
|-------------|--|--|
| 0 – 3 mm    | Normal characteristic of seat mechanism. No repair should be performed.        |  |
| 4 – 12 mm   | Excessive amount of movement. See Repair Procedure 1.                          |  |
| 13+ mm      | Seat latch mechanism damaged and requires replacement. See Repair Procedure 2. |  |



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#### Repair Procedure 1: Shim Installation

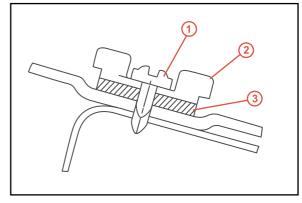
1. Tip up lower cushion to gain access to the inboard Figure 2. seat support cushion.



- **Inboard Seat Support Cushion**
- 2. Remove the inboard seat support cushion and screw.
- 3. Install the 3 mm shim to the bottom of the inboard Figure 3. seat support cushion and reinstall the seat support cushion and screw.

**NOTE** 

For vehicles built before 12/2011, a new seat support cushion and screw are required to properly install the 3 mm shim.



| 1 | Screw                |
|---|----------------------|
| 2 | Seat Support Cushion |
| 3 | Shim                 |

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#### Repair Procedure 1: Shim Installation (Continued)

- 4. Measure the seat movement per the Inspection Procedure.
- 5. Confirm proper seat operation.

#### Repair Procedure 2: Seat Frame Replacement

1. Replace the lower seat frame assembly.

Refer to the Technical Information System (TIS), applicable model and model year Repair Manual:

#### **Captain Seat Type:**

- 2011 Sienna:
   Vehicle Interior Seat "Seat: Rear No. 1 Seat Assembly (for Captain Seat Type):
   Removal / Disassembly / Reassembly / Installation"
- 2012 Sienna:
   Vehicle Interior Seat "Seat: Rear No. 1 Seat Assembly (for Captain Seat Type):
   Removal / Disassembly / Reassembly / Installation"
- 2013 Sienna: Vehicle Interior – Seat – "Seat: Rear No. 1 Seat Assembly (for Captain Seat Type): Removal / Disassembly / Reassembly / Installation"

#### **Bench Seat Type:**

- 2011 Sienna:
   Vehicle Interior Seat "Seat: Rear No. 1 Seat Assembly (w/Center Seat): Removal / Disassembly / Reassembly / Installation"
- 2012 Sienna:
   Vehicle Interior Seat "Seat: Rear No. 1 Seat Assembly (w/Center Seat): Removal /
   Disassembly / Reassembly / Installation"
- 2013 Sienna:
   Vehicle Interior Seat "Seat: Rear No. 1 Seat Assembly (w/Center Seat): Removal / Disassembly / Reassembly / Installation"
- 2. Measure lower cushion movement per the Inspection Procedure at the beginning of this bulletin.

| MEASUREMENT | ACTION  |
|-------------|---|
| 0 – 3 mm    | Normal characteristic of seat mechanism. No repair should be performed. |
| 4 – 12 mm   | Excessive amount of movement. See Repair Procedure 1.                   |

3. Confirm proper seat operation.