TOURING AND SOFTAIL MODELS REVISED
FORK CAP/FORK TUBE PLUG TORQUE

Purpose
The purpose of this bulletin is to inform the dealers that Harley-Davidson Motor Company has made a change to the final torque of the fork cap (part number 45419-80) and fork tube plug (part number 45838-77). The new torque for both parts is 60-70 ft-lbs (81.3-94.9 Nm).

This updated torque applies to:
- 1980-2009 Touring models
- 1984-2009 Softail models

NOTE
The 2009 Touring, Softail and Tri Glide service manuals already include the updated torque specifications.

Required Dealer Action
Notify service personnel of this service bulletin and update all affected service literature to reflect the new torque specifications.

IMPORTANT NOTE
In the interest of preserving customer safety and satisfaction, always check for outstanding recalls whenever any motorcycle is brought into your dealership for either maintenance or service.

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