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Front Brake Light Switch Installation Procedure

There has been an increase of warranty claims for the front brake light switch, part number 71590-96. Of the switches returned for warranty ~90% have the button/tip broken off, this breakage can only happen when the person installing the right side controls back on the vehicle is not following published procedures and cautions in our service literature.

CAUTION

Do not remove the switch housing assembly without first placing the 5/32 inch (4.0 mm) cardboard insert between the brake lever and lever bracket. Removal without the insert may result in damage to the rubber boot and plunger of the Front Stoplight Switch.

This is not considered a warranty situation! Do not warranty the switch for a broken button/tip.