

Technical Service Information

THM 4L60 (700-R4) CLICKING/WHINE NOISE IN 3RD & 4TH GEARS

COMPLAINT: Some 1988-1992 vehicles equipped with the THM 4L60 (700-R4) transmission may exhibit

a "Clicking", "Whining", "Ticking", or "Rattle" noise when operating in 3rd and/or 4th gear.

CAUSE: The cause may be transmission fluid passing over the friction plates of the Low/Reverse

clutch pack. The fluid causes them to vibrate because of the groove pattern.

CORRECTION: Install five new friction plates, OEM part number 8681813, in the Low/Reverse clutch pack.

The new plates have a different groove pattern so they do not vibrate in 3rd and 4th gear.

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