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Front Sensor

FRONT SENSOR

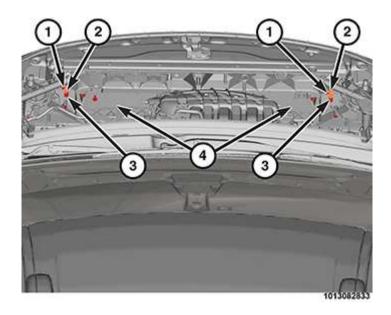
REMOVAL

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- 1. Disconnect and isolate the negative battery cable. If equipped with an Intelligent Battery Sensor (IBS), disconnect the IBS connector first before disconnecting the negative battery cable. Wait two minutes for the system capacitor to discharge before further service.
- 2. Reach below the front lamp unit to access and disconnect the headlamp and dash wire harness connector (3) from the appropriate right or left front impact sensor (2) connector receptacle.
- 3. Remove the screw (1) that secures the appropriate front impact sensor to the back side of the cooling module support (4).
- 4. Disengage the locating and anti-rotation pin of the sensor from the clearance hole in the closure panel.
- 5. Remove the front impact sensor from the vehicle.

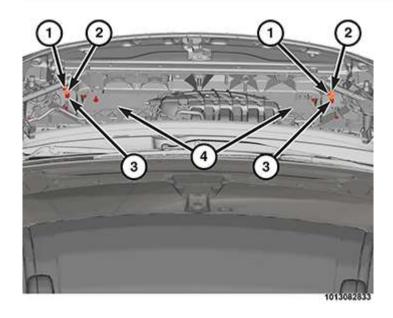
INSTALLATION

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- 1. Position the front impact sensor (2) onto the back of the cooling module support (4), below the front lamp unit support member. Be certain that the locating and anti-rotation pin on the back of the sensor is engaged in the clearance hole of the closure panel.
- 2. Install the screw (1) that secures the sensor to the cooling module support. Tighten the screw to the proper (Torque Specifications).
- 3. Connect the headlamp and dash wire harness connector (3) to the sensor connector receptacle.
- 4. Do not connect the negative battery cable at this time. The Supplemental Restraint System (SRS)

 Verification Test procedure should be performed following service of any SRS component. (Refer to 10 Restraints Standard Procedure).