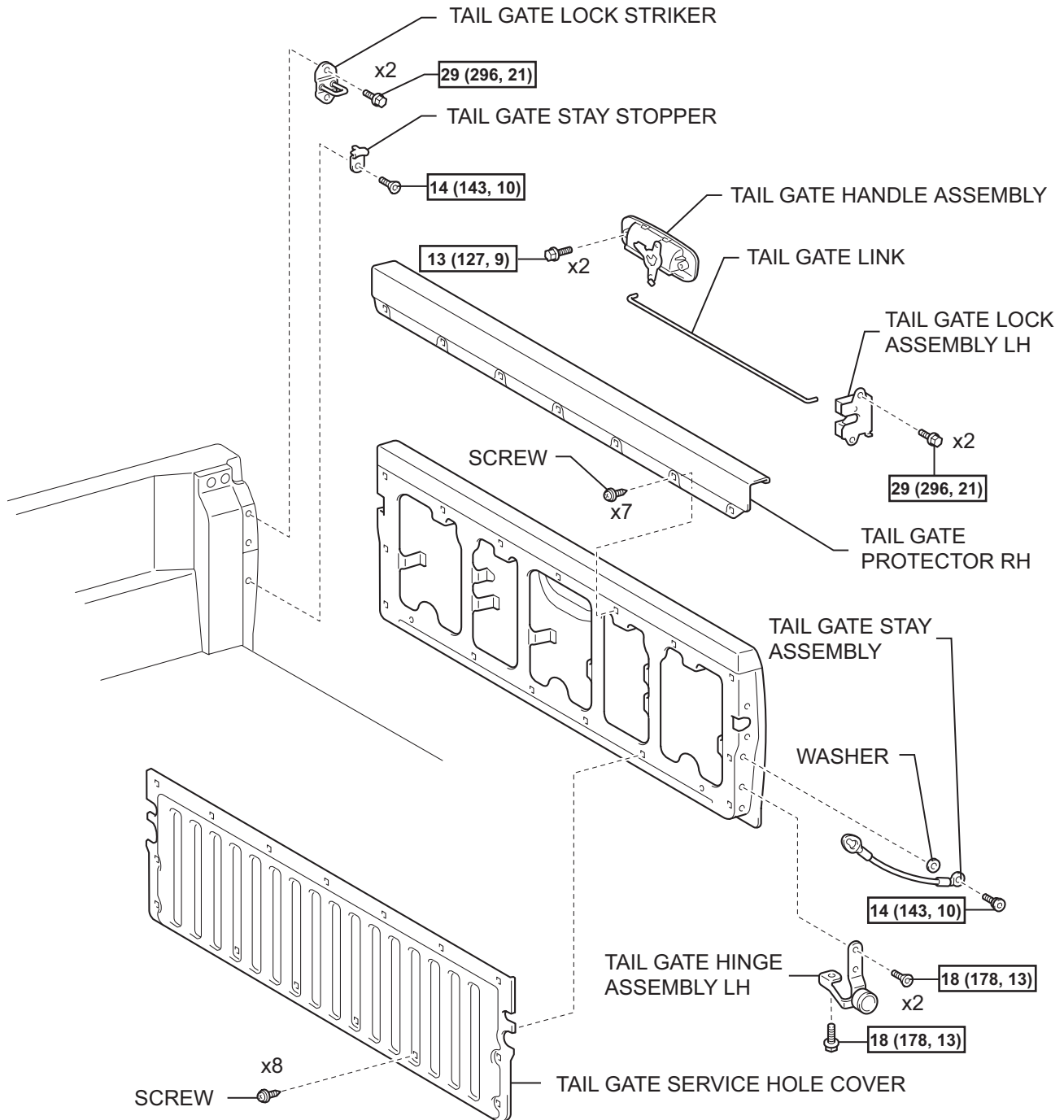


TAIL GATE

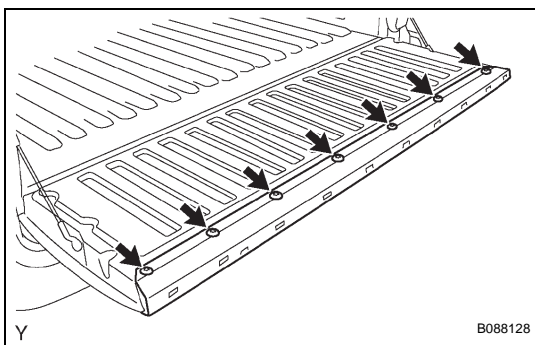
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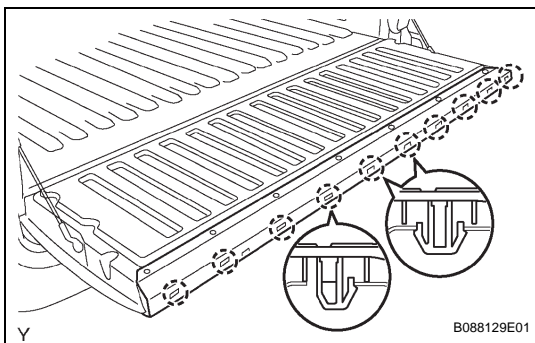
DISASSEMBLY

1. REMOVE TAIL GATE PROTECTOR RH

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T30 , remove the 7 screws.

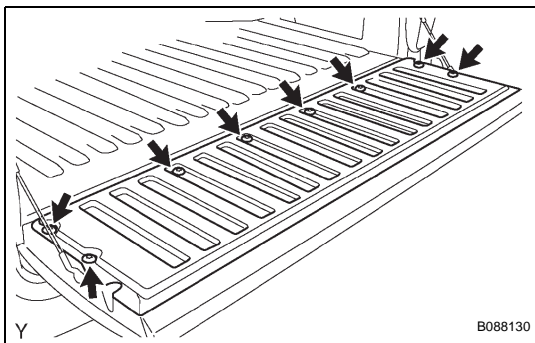


- (b) Disengage the 10 claws and remove the tail gate protector RH.



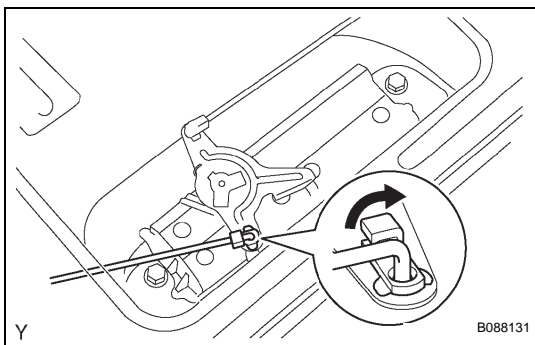
2. REMOVE TAIL GATE SERVICE HOLE COVER

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T30, remove the 8 screws and tail gate service hole cover.



3. REMOVE TAIL GATE LOCK ASSEMBLY LH

- (a) Disconnect the tail gate link as shown in the illustration.

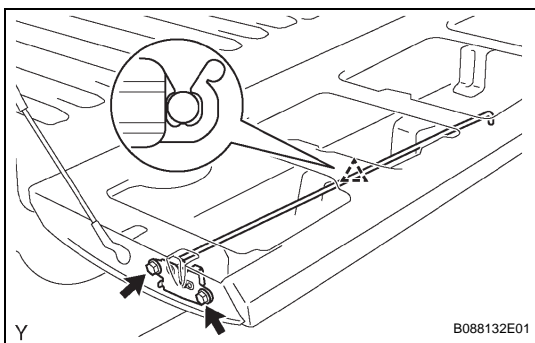


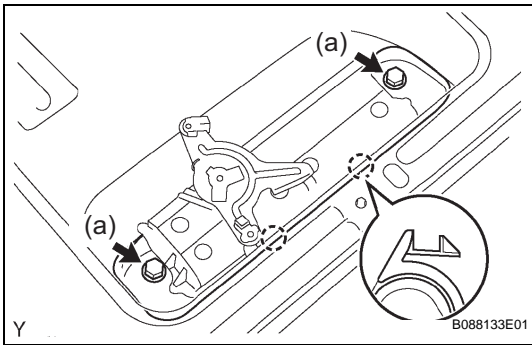
- (b) Disengage the clip and remove the 2 bolts, then remove the tail gate lock assembly LH from the tail gate.

4. REMOVE TAIL GATE LOCK ASSEMBLY RH

HINT:

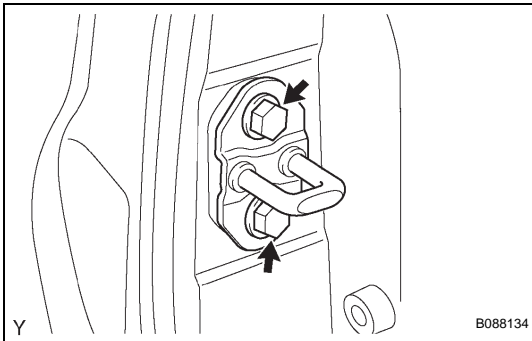
Use the same procedure as described for the LH side.





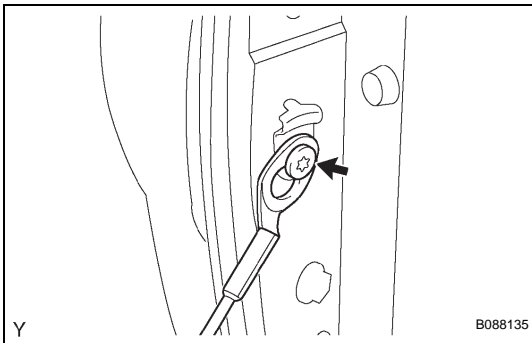
5. REMOVE TAIL GATE HANDLE ASSEMBLY

- (a) Remove the 2 bolts.
- (b) Disengage the 2 claws and remove the tail gate handle assembly.



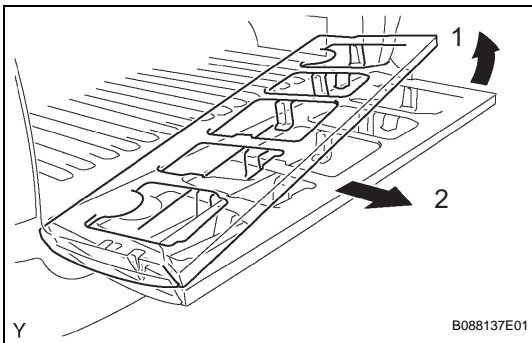
6. REMOVE TAIL GATE LOCK STRIKER

- (a) Remove the 2 bolts and tail gate lock striker.
- HINT:**
Use the same procedures for both the LH and RH sides.



7. REMOVE TAIL GATE

- (a) Disconnect the tail gate stay.
- HINT:**
Use the same procedures for both the LH and RH sides.



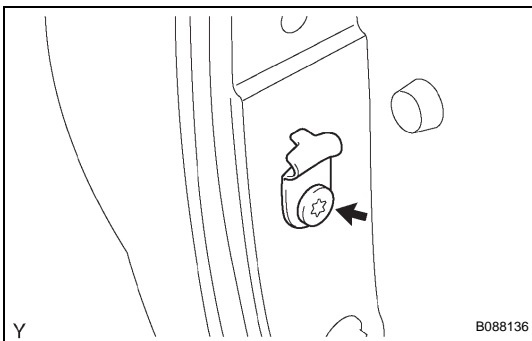
- (b) Remove the tail gate from the vehicle as shown in the illustration.

NOTICE:

Be careful not to drop the tail gate.

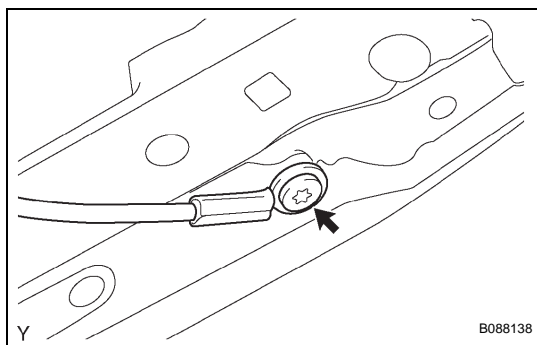
HINT:

Remove the tail gate from the vehicle by lifting up the right side and sliding it slightly to the right.



8. REMOVE TAIL GATE STAY STOPPER

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T40, remove the screw and tail gate stopper.
- HINT:**
Use the same procedure for both the LH and RH sides.

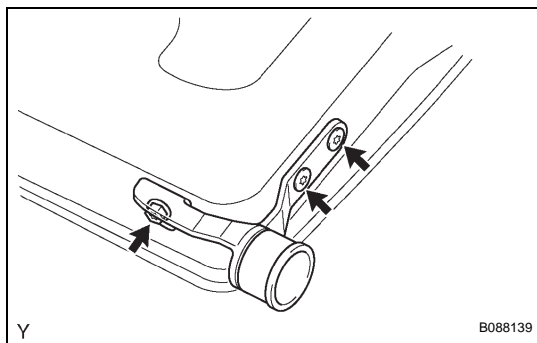


9. REMOVE TAIL GATE STAY ASSEMBLY

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T40 , remove the screw, washer and tail gate stay assembly.

HINT:

Use the same procedure for both the LH and RH sides.



10. REMOVE TAIL GATE HINGE ASSEMBLY LH

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T40 , remove the bolt, 2 screws and tail gate hinge assembly LH.

HINT:

Perform the same procedure as above on the opposite side.

11. REMOVE TAIL GATE HINGE ASSEMBLY RH

HINT:

Use the same procedures as described for the LH side.

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REASSEMBLY

1. INSTALL TAIL GATE HINGE ASSEMBLY LH

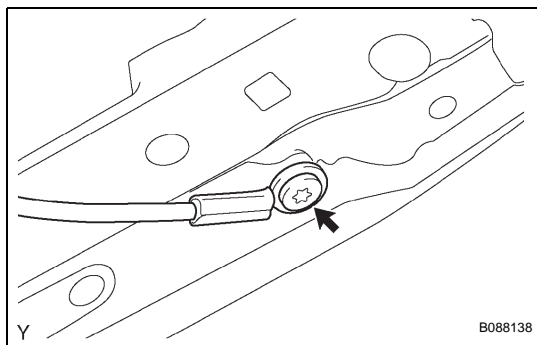
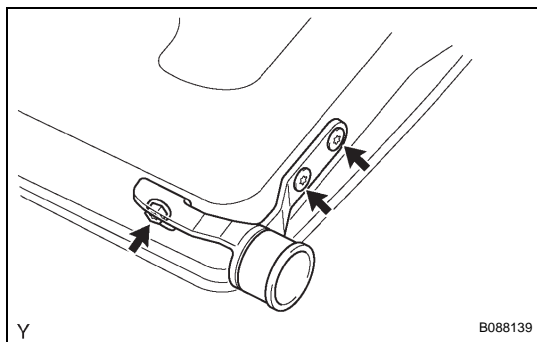
- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T40 , install the tail gate hinge assembly LH with the bolt and 2 screws.

Torque: 18 N*m (178 kgf*cm, 13 ft.*lbf)

2. INSTALL TAIL GATE HINGE ASSEMBLY RH

HINT:

Use the same procedures as described for the LH side.



3. INSTALL TAIL GATE STAY ASSEMBLY

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T40 , install the tail gate stay assembly with the screw and washer.

Torque: 14 N*m (143 kgf*cm, 10 ft.*lbf)

HINT:

Use the same procedure for both the LH and RH sides.

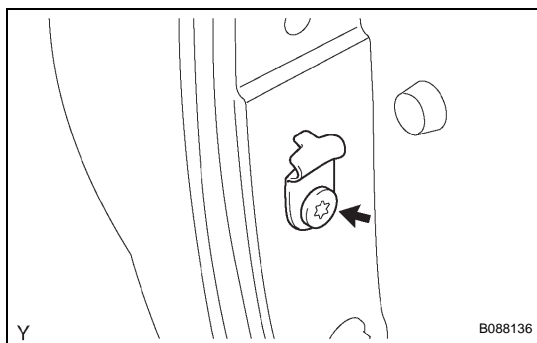
4. INSTALL TAIL GATE STAY STOPPER

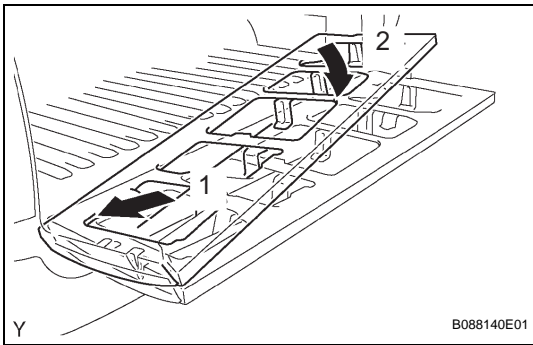
- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T40 , install the tail gate stopper with the screw.

Torque: 14 N*m (143 kgf*cm, 10 ft.*lbf)

HINT:

Use the same procedure for both the LH and RH sides.





5. INSTALL TAIL GATE

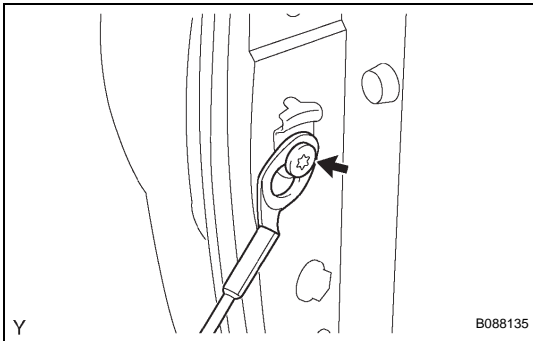
- (a) Install the tail gate onto the vehicle.

NOTICE:

Be careful not to drop the tail gate.

HINT:

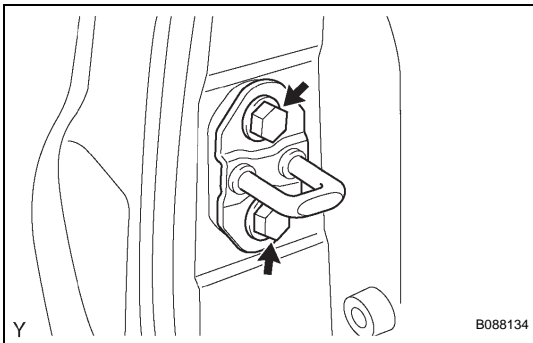
Install the tail gate onto the vehicle by engaging the hinge on the left side first and then the hinge on the right side.



- (b) Connect the tail gate stay.

HINT:

Use the same procedure for both the LH and RH sides.



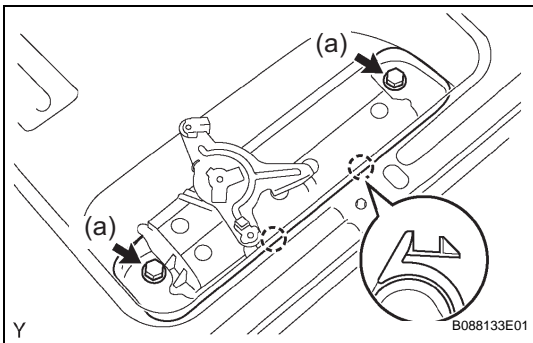
6. INSTALL TAIL GATE LOCK STRIKER

- (a) Install the tail gate lock striker with the 2 bolts.

Torque: 29 N*m (296 kgf*cm, 21 ft.*lbf)

HINT:

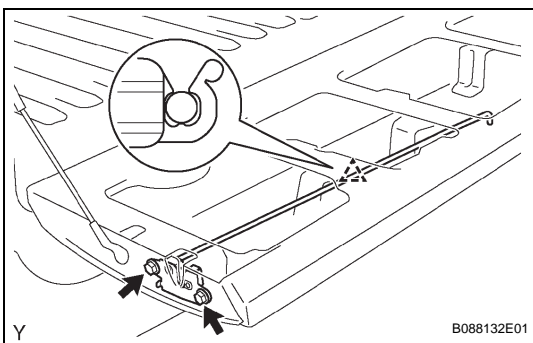
Use the same procedure for both the LH and RH sides.



7. INSTALL TAIL GATE HANDLE ASSEMBLY

- (a) Engage the 2 claws and install the tail gate handle assembly with the 2 bolts.

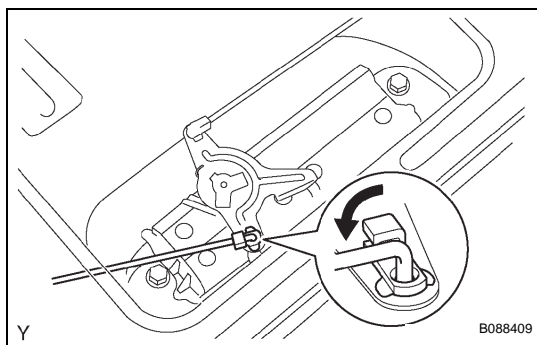
Torque: 13 N*m (127 kgf*cm, 9 ft.*lbf)



8. INSTALL TAIL GATE LOCK ASSEMBLY LH

- (a) Engage the clip and install the tail gate lock assembly LH with the 2 bolts and clip.

Torque: 29 N*m (269 kgf*cm, 21 ft.*lbf)

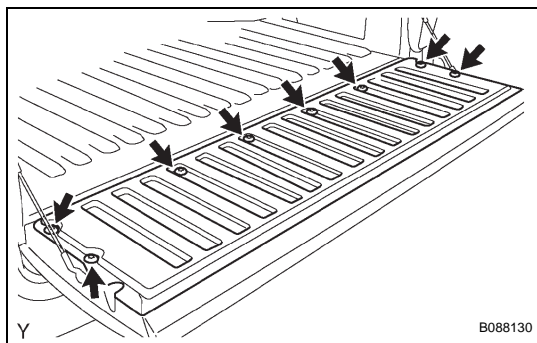


- (b) Connect the tail gate link as shown in the illustration.

9. INSTALL TAIL GATE LOCK ASSEMBLY RH

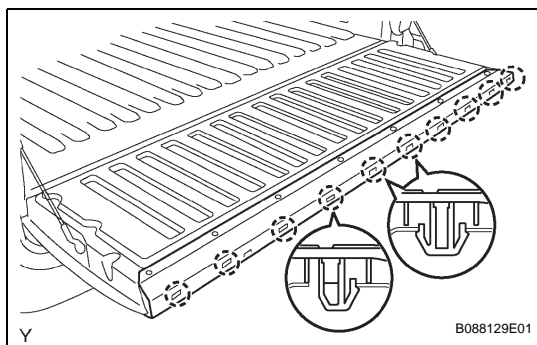
HINT:

Use the same procedure as described for the LH side.



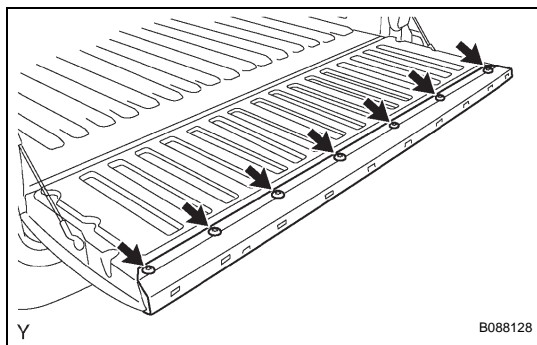
10. INSTALL TAIL GATE SERVICE HOLE COVER

- (a) Using a torx socket wrench T30 , install the tail gate service hole cover with the 8 screws.



11. INSTALL TAIL GATE PROTECTOR RH

- (a) Engage the 10 claws and install the tail gate protector.



- (b) Using a torx socket wrench T30 , tighten the 7 screws to the tail gate protector.