

# TECHNICAL SERVICE BULLETIN Illuminated ABS Warning Indicator With DTC C0020 - Built On Or Before 24-Dec-2020

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This bulletin supersedes 20-2364. Reason for update: Add Production Fix Date

#### Model:

| Ford<br>2020 Explorer           |
|---------------------------------|
| 2020 Police Interceptor Utility |
| <b>Lincoln</b><br>2020 Aviator  |

## **Summary**

This article supersedes TSB 20-2364 to update the production fix date.

Issue: Some 2020 Explorer/Aviator/Police Interceptor Utility vehicles built on or before 24-Dec-2020 may exhibit an illuminated anti-lock brake system (ABS) warning indicator lamp with diagnostic trouble code (DTC) C0020 stored in the ABS module. It may not be necessary to replace the ABS module/hydraulic control unit (HCU) to resolve DTC C0020. This may be due to a poor ground connection and/or improper plating on the attachment bolts at G108. To correct the condition, follow the Service Procedure to replace and properly tighten the ground cable fasteners.

**Action:** Follow the Service Procedure to correct the condition on vehicles that meet all of the following criteria:

- 2020 Explorer/Aviator/Police Interceptor Utility
- Built on or before 24-Dec-2020
- Illuminated ABS warning indicator lamp with DTC C0020

NOTE: Part quantity refers to the number of that service part number required, which may be different than the number of individual pieces. Service part numbers contain 1 piece unless otherwise stated. "As Needed" indicates the part is required but the number may vary or is not a whole number; parts can be billed out as non-whole numbers, including less than 1.

#### **Parts**

| Part Number  |  | Description                   | Quantity  |
|--------------|--|-------------------------------|-----------|
| W505255-S450 | Package Contains 4 Pieces, 2 Pieces Required | Fasteners                     | 1         |
| XG-12        | -  | Motorcraft® Electrical Grease | As Needed |

Warranty Status: Eligible under provisions of New Vehicle Limited Warranty (NVLW)/Service Part Warranty (SPW)/Special Service Part (SSP)/Extended Service Plan (ESP) coverage. Limits/policies/prior approvals are not altered by a TSB. NVLW/SPW/SSP/ESP coverage limits are determined by the identified causal part and verified using the OASIS part coverage tool.

#### **Labor Times**

| Description  | Operation<br>No. | Time        |
|--|------------------|-------------|
| 2020 Explorer/Aviator/Police Interceptor Utility: Retrieve DTCs, Replace Ground Fasteners, Includes Time To Remove And Install BCMC And Support Bracket (Do Not Use With Any Other Labor Operations) | 212017A          | 0.8<br>Hrs. |

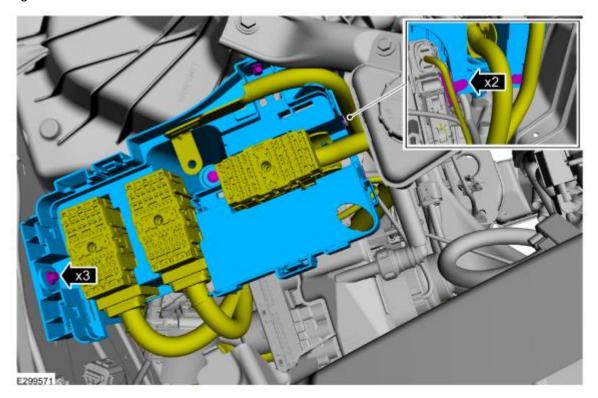
### Repair/Claim Coding

| Causal Part:    | 2005 |
|-----------------|------|
| Condition Code: | 12   |

## **Service Procedure**

- 1. Remove the body control module C (BCMC). Refer to Workshop Manual (WSM), Section 419-10.
- 2. Remove the bolts, detach the wiring retainers and then remove the BCMC support bracket. Tighten to 12 Nm (106 lb-in). (Figure 1)

Figure 1



3. Remove and discard the fasteners for ground G108. Refer to Wiring Diagram, Cell 10-4. (Figure 2) Figure 2



4. Make sure no shrink tube adhesive is interfering with the fastener clamping force or ground path through the fastener. Clean as necessary with a razor blade.

#### NOTE: Do not remove any paint from the body as the ground path conduction is through the bolt threads.

- 5. Tighten the new fasteners securing the ground cables to 12 Nm (106 lb-in).
- 6. Apply Motorcraft® Electrical Grease to the fastener and ground cable eyelet.
- 7. To install, reverse the removal procedure.
- 8. Clear DTCs from the ABS module.

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