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**SERVICE**

**TECHNICAL BULLETIN**

**Growling Noise In 4th Gear During Warmup –  
V6 Engines - ZF6HP26 Transmission –  
Reconfigure TCM**

MODEL 2003 MY-ON  
S-TYPE 3.0L  
VIN M44998-ON

**Issue:**

Some 2003 MY-ON 3.0L S-TYPE vehicles may experience a growling noise during warmup when the vehicle is in 4th gear. This noise is caused by the torque converter. The TCM can be reprogrammed to solve this concern.

**Action:**

In case of a verified customer complaint of the above condition, reprogram the Transmission Control Module (TCM) using the Worldwide Diagnostic System (WDS) with software release JTP 759/24 or later. On a customer complaint basis only, follow the reprogramming procedure outlined below.

REPROGRAMMING PROCEDURE

**Note:** Ensure WDS is loaded with software release JTP 759/24 or later.

1. Position WDS alongside vehicle, switch Portable Test Unit (PTU) 'ON' and allow software to load.
2. Connect PTU to vehicle using diagnostic cable.
3. Enter vehicle VIN and navigate to configuration main menu.
4. Select and run 're-configure existing TCM' application.
5. After re-configuration of TCM is complete, switch 'OFF' PTU, disconnect from vehicle and return WDS to original location.

**Warranty Information:**

Warranty claims should be submitted quoting the information found in the table below. This will result in payment of the stated time and, where applicable parts/miscellaneous expense codes as listed.

Description	SRO	Time	Causal Part Number
Reconfigure TCM	86.99.14	0.4 hrs	C2C 6718

