

# 1997 - 1998 Corvette: Service Bulletin: Waterleak Above Door Glass (Reseal Blowout Clip)

**Subject:** WATERLEAK ABOVE DOOR GLASS (RESEAL BLOWOUT CLIP)

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**Models:** 1997-1998 Chevrolet Corvette Coupe and 1998 Chevrolet Corvette Convertible

**Condition:** SOME OWNERS MAY COMMENT ON A WATERLEAK ABOVE THE DOOR GLASS, AROUND THE BLOW-OUT CLIP.

## **Correction:**

1. REMOVE THE WEATHERSTRIP.
2. REMOVE RUN CHANNEL.
3. REMOVE BLOW-OUT CLIP.
4. APPLY A SMALL BEAD OF BEDDING AND GLAZING COMPOUND TO THE SIDE RAIL OR COUPE (SEE FIGURE 1 (COUPE) OR FIGURE 2 (CONVERTIBLE)); THEN REINSTALL THE BLOW-OUT CLIP.
5. SET BLOW-OUT CLIP IN PLACE AND APPLY A SMALL BEAD OF BEDDING AND GLAZING COMPOUND OVER THE TOP OF THE BLOW-OUT CLIP (SEE FIGURE 1 (COUPE) OR FIGURE 2 (CONVERTIBLE)).

## **IMPORTANT:**

PUSH OUTWARD ON THE RETAINER DURING INSTALLATION.

6. RESEAL THE FRONT AND REAR CORNERS ON THE COUPE AND THE FRONT CORNER OF THE CONVERTIBLE WITH WEATHERSTRIP ADHESIVE; 3M(R) P/N 08011, OR EQUIVALENT (SEE FIGURE 3).
7. REINSTALL WEATHERSTRIP.

## **PARTS INFORMATION:**

10252849 - COUPE/LH - RETAINER - FRONT WINDOW

10252850 - COUPE/RH - RETAINER - FRONT WINDOW

10252853 - CONVERTIBLE/LH - RETAINER - FRONT WINDOW  
10252854 - CONVERTIBLE/RH - RETAINER - FRONT WINDOW

**Figure 1**

**Figure 2**

**Figure 3**

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