Campaign no.: 2012-0003

March 19, 2012 Subject: Spyder™ RT – Brake Light Switch (BLS)

Inspection / Replacement

No. **2012-3**

YEAR	MODEL	MODEL NUMBER	SERIAL NUMBER
2012	Spyder RT series	A3CA, A4CA, A4CB, A4CC, A4CG, A4CJ, A7CA, A7CC, A9CA, A9CC, B5CA, B5CB, B5CC, B9CA, B9CC, B9CE, B9CF, B9CG, B9CH, B9CJ	See attached list

PROBLEM

On a very limited number of units, the brake light switch (BLS) may not be correctly adjusted. In this case, the vehicle could enter "limp home" mode.

SOLUTION

Verify BLS operation. Replace RH footrest support assembly (with BLS) if necessary.

NOTE: Considering the required accuracy of the BLS, parts are supplied as an assembly and are adjusted at factory.

REQUIRED PARTS

Order this part through the normal channel.

NOTE: Order only if the vehicle has to be repaired.

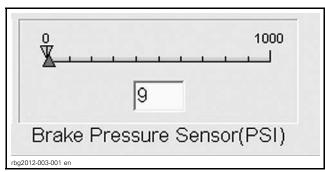
DESCRIPTION	PART NUMBER	QTY
RH footrest support assembly	(P/N 219 800 254)	1

INSPECTION **PROCEDURE**

BLS Operation Testing

- 1. Connect vehicle to the latest applicable B.U.D.S. version.
- 2. Select the Monitoring and VCM tabs.
- 3. Slowly press on brake pedal until brake lights turn ON. Hold it.
- 4. Check the pressure displayed in the Brake Pressure Sensor box in B.U.D.S..

NOTE: Display reaction may take a few seconds.



BRAKE PRESSURE SENSOR BOX

BLS TEST - PEDAL PRESSED	
Brake lights come ON with 70 kPa (10 PSI) or less	Normal, no action required
Brake lights come ON with more than 70 kPa (10 PSI)	Incorrect. Proceed with repair

5. Slowly release brake pedal.

BLS TEST - PEDAL RELEASED	
Brake lights turn OFF when pedal is released	Normal, no action required
Brake lights remain ON when pedal is released	Incorrect. Proceed with repair

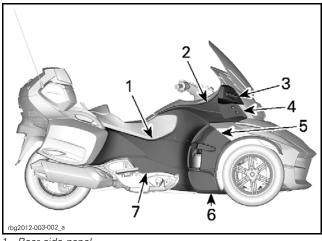
6. Repeat this test 3 times (steps 3 to 5).

If any tests fail at any attempt, proceed with repair.

REPAIR PROCEDURE

Access to the RH Footrest Support

1. Refer to the appropriate Shop Manual and remove the following body panels.

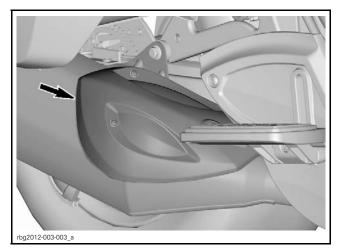


- Rear side panel
- Top side panel
- Mirror
- Lower wind deflector
- 5. Middle side panel
- Bottom front side panel
- 7. Bottom rear side panel

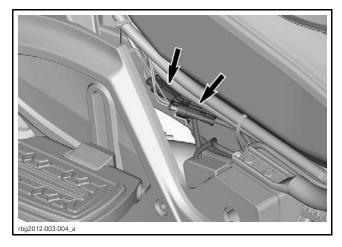
Footrest Support Removal

Videos are available in the knowledge center for this procedure. See "BLS Replacement - Removal1" and "BLS Replacement - Removal2"

1. Remove the muffler heat shield.

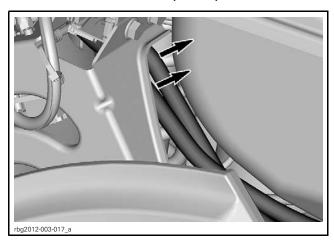


2. Disconnect BLS and LPS connectors.

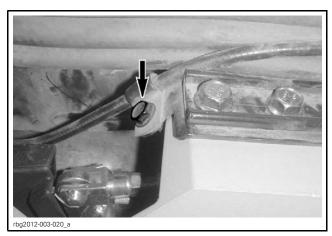


- 3. Cut the locking tie retaining the BLS wiring.
- 4. Move brake fluid reservoir hoses off their hook.

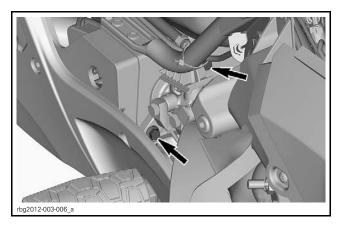
NOTICE Do not use any sharp tool.



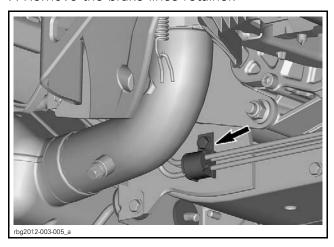
5. Remove the parking brake cable bracket screw.



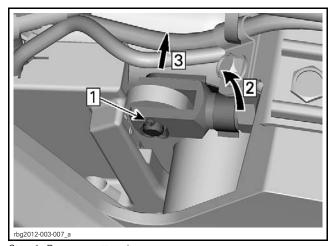
6. Remove the master cylinder screws.



7. Remove the brake lines retainer.

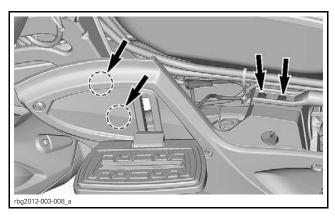


8. Disconnect and remove the master cylinder push rod.



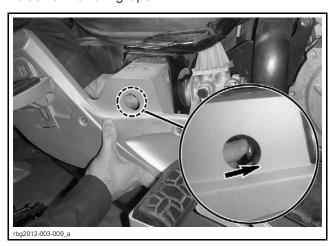
Step 1: Remove cotter pin Step 2: Unlock pin Step 3: Push pin out

9. Remove the footrest support screws.

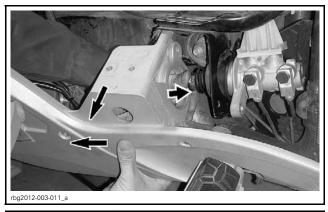


10. While constantly pushing the master-cylinder piston in, remove footrest support.

NOTE: See the "BLS Replacement-Removal2" video for handling tips.







A WARNING

If the piston comes out, the master-cylinder must be replaced.

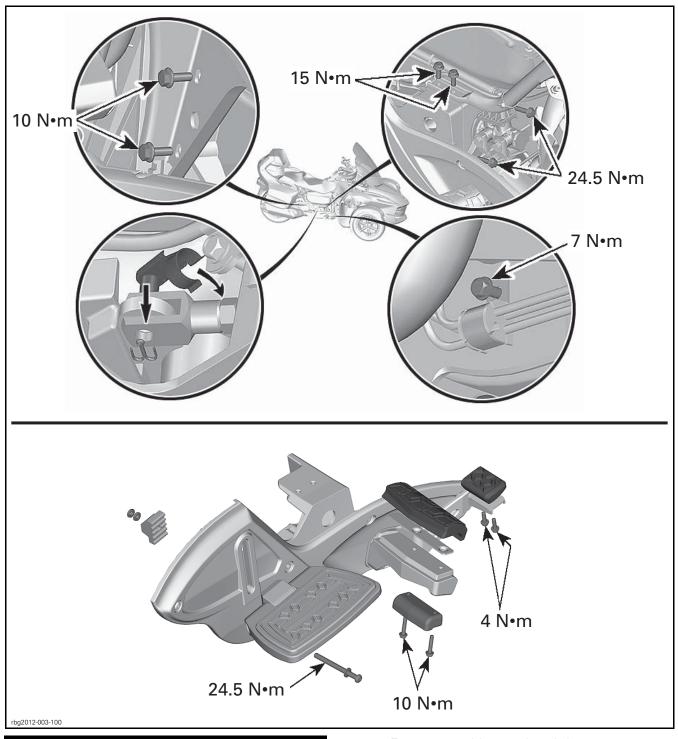
A WARNING

The brake system must be bled if any brake fluid leak occurs. Make sure the cause of the leak is identified and corrected before bleeding.

11. Discard:

- Master-cylinder push rod (a new one is supplied with the new footrest support)
- Master-cylinder push rod locking pin
- Master-cylinder screws (2)
- Footrest support screws (4)

New Footrest Support Installation



Video are available in the knowledge center for this procedure. See "BLS Replacement -Installation1" and "BLS Replacement - Installation2" "BLS Replacement - Installation3"

- 1. Swap the following parts from the original support to the new one.
 - Passenger footrest.

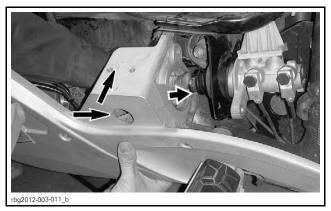
- Front peg rubber pad and damper
- Brake pedal rubber pad.

Keep the old footrest assembly for warranty purposes.

2. While pushing the master-cylinder piston in, pass the footrest support opening on the master-cylinder boot.

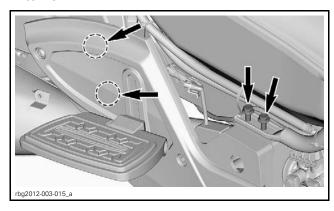
NOTE: See the "BLS Replacement-Installation1" video for handling tips.

3. While constantly pushing the master-cylinder piston in, install the footrest support as shown.



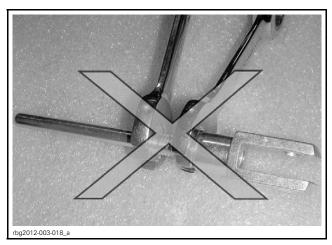


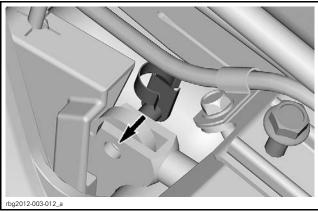
4. Screw in all 4 footrest support screws a few turns.

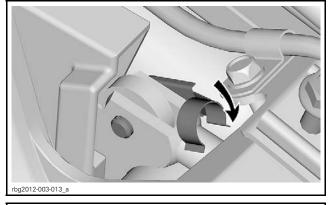


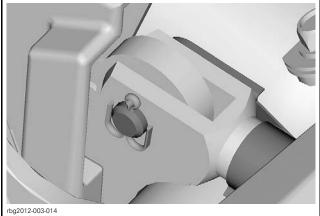
5. Install the master-cylinder push rod.

NOTICE DO NOT modify push rod adjustment, it was adjusted at factory.

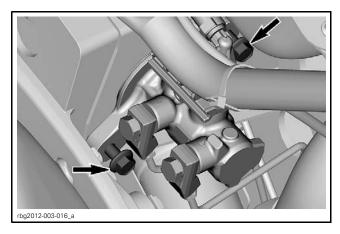








6. Screw in the master-cylinder screws a few turns.

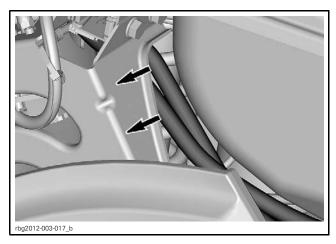


7. Tighten all screws.

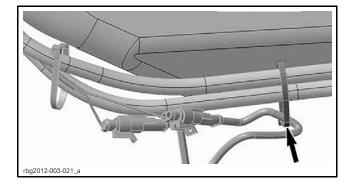
TIGHTENING TORQUE	
M6 footrest support screws	10 N•m (89 lbf•in)
M8 footrest support screws	15 N•m (133 lbf•in)
Master-cylinder screws	24.5 N•m (18 lbf•ft)

8. Put the brake fluid reservoir hoses back in their hook.

NOTICE Do not use any sharp tool.



- 9. Connect BLS and LPS connectors.
- 10. Install BLS wiring locking tie.

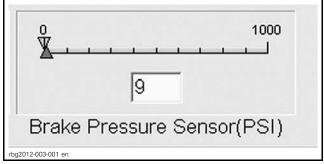


- 11. Install parking brake cable bracket screw.
- 12. Install brake lines retainer.

BLS Operation Testing

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5. Repeat this test 3 times.

If test fails at any attempt, call BRP service department.

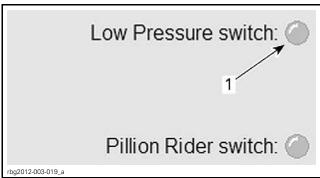
If BLS is OK, keep vehicle connected to B.U.D.S. and carry out *SYSTEM PRESSURE TEST*.

System Pressure Test

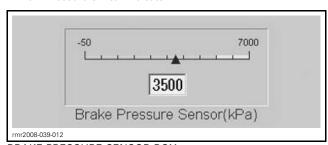
- 1. Select Monitoring and VCM tabs.
- 2. While firmly pressing on the brake pedal, monitor:
 - Low Pressure Switch indicator
 - Brake Pressure Sensor Box



TYPICAL



1. Low Pressure Switch indicator



BRAKE PRESSURE SENSOR BOX

SYSTEM PRESSURE TEST	
LPS indicator ON with at least 3 500 kPa (508 PSI)	System is correct
LPS indicator ON with less than 3 500 kPa (508 PSI)	Air in the system or fluid leak. Repair and/or bleed system and test again

- 3. Visually inspect brake lines and hoses to make sure they are not bent.
- 4. Refer to the appropriate Shop Manual and reinstall
 - Muffler heat shield
 - Body panels.

WARRANTY

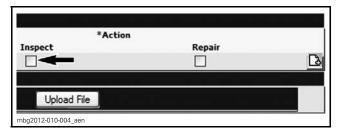
Submit a warranty claim using the following information:

For claiming procedure, refer to the *DEALER/DISTRIBUTOR WARRANTY GUIDE*.

Inspection

INSPECT	
Campaign Number	2012-0003
Claim Type	Campaign Claim
Action	Inspect
Flat Rate Time	0.3 hour
Expiry Date	December 31st 2014

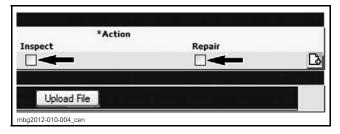
Click in the Inspect check box.



Inspection and Repair

INSPECT AND REPAIR		
Campaign Number	2012-0003	
Claim Type	Campaign Claim	
Action	Inspect and repair	
Flat Rate Time	1.5	
Expiry Date	December 31st 2014	

1. If part was replaced, click in **both** the **Inspect** and **Repair** check boxes.



Mandatory Parts Return

Dealers and distributors are required to return removed parts to support their claims.

PART DESCRIPTION
Footrest assembly

Shipping Addresses

USA DEALERS	BRP c/o Warranty Department 7575 Bombardier Court Wausau, WI 54401	
CANADIAN DEALERS	BRP Warranty Parts Inspection Center 565 de la Montagne Valcourt, QC, J0E 2L0	
OTHERS COUNTRIES	Contact your local distributor or BRP Regional Office.	

Warranty Shipping Address Decals

Warranty shipping address decals can be ordered if needed.

COUNTRY	P/N
U.S.A.	480 901 601
Canada	484 500 001

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SERIAL NUMBER LISTING OF INVOLVED VEHICLES

Model: A3CA

000746

From 000748 to 000751 From 000753 to 000754

000758

From 000760 to 000763 From 000765 to 000770

000772 000774

From 000777 to 000779

Model: A4CA

From 000661 to 000697

000818

From 000821 to 000829

000832

From 000834 to 000836

From 000840 to 000841

000843 000845

000847

000851

From 000853 to 000854

000856

From 000859 to 000860

From 000863 to 000889

001024

001029

001050

001058

Model: A4CB

000701

000706

000708

Model: A4CC

From 000409 to 000423 From 000425 to 000433

000438

From 000441 to 000442

000445

000449

000452

From 000481 to 000483

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000496

From 000500 to 000502

000504

From 000506 to 000507

000513 000525

000533

From 000539 to 000540 From 000545 to 000546 Model: A4CC (cont'd)

000550

From 000555 to 000557

Model: A4CG

From 000505 to 000523

From 000525 to 000526

From 000529 to 000560

From 000562 to 000565

From 000567 to 000591

From 000593 to 000595

From 000597 to 000604

From 000606 to 000608

From 000610 to 000623

000703

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From 000720 to 000721

From 000723 to 000724

From 000727 to 000729

Model: A4CJ

From 000495 to 000496

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Model: A7CA

From 000722 to 000724

From 000728 to 000733

From 000735 to 000742

Model: A7CC

From 000653 to 000655

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Model: A9CA

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Model: B9CE

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From 000763 to 000766

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Model: B9CE (cont'd)

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From 000905 to 000907

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