



Applies To: 1997-99 Prelude – ALL

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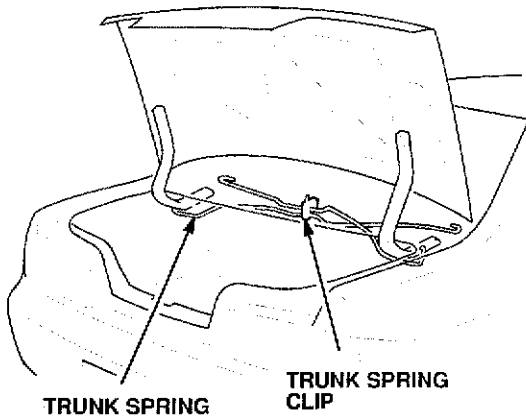
Clunking Noise From the Trunk Area (Supersedes 97-048, dated June 9, 1997)

SYMPTOM

A clunking noise from the trunk area when opening and closing the trunk lid or when driving over bumps.

PROBABLE CAUSE

The trunk spring clip is out of its mounting holes.



CORRECTIVE ACTION

Replace the trunk spring clip.

PARTS INFORMATION

- Trunk Spring Clip: P/N 74873-S30-013, H/C 6132120

WARRANTY CLAIM INFORMATION

In warranty: The normal warranty applies.

Operation number: 823106

Flat rate time: 0.2 hour

Failed part: P/N 74873-S30-003
H/C 5371315

Defect code: 043

Contention code: B07

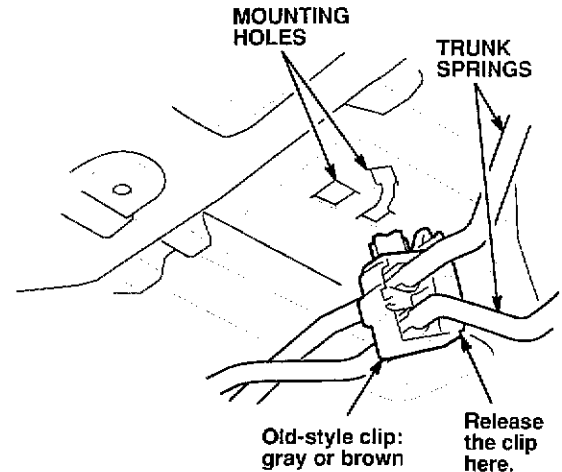
Template ID: 97-048A

Skill level: Repair Technician

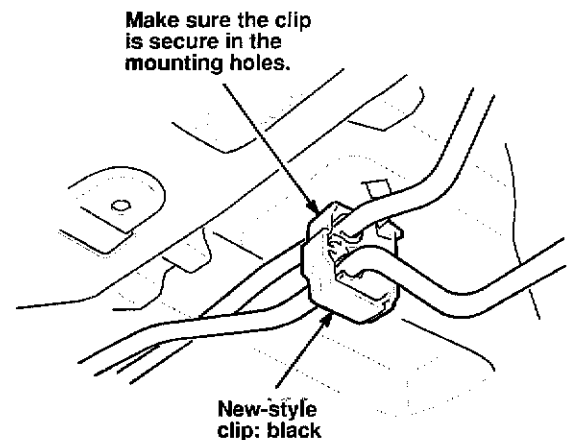
Out of warranty: Any repair performed after warranty expiration may be eligible for goodwill consideration by the District Service Manager or your Zone Office. You must request consideration, and get a decision, before starting work.

REPAIR PROCEDURE

1. Check to see if the trunk spring clip is out of its mounting holes.



2. If the clip is out, remove it using a pocket screwdriver.
3. Install the new trunk spring clip (see PARTS INFORMATION), making sure the tabs mount securely in the mounting holes.
4. Insert the trunk springs into the clip, and close the clip.



5. Open and close the trunk lid to confirm the clunking noise is gone.