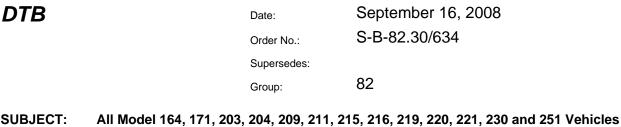
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star bulletin





SUBJECT: All Model 164, 171, 203, 204, 209, 211, 215, 216, 219, 220, 221, 230 and 251 Vehicles Equipped with Rain/Light Sensor (SA Code 345) Auto On/Off Driving Lights and/or Rain/Light Sensor not Functioning Properly

If you receive customer reports in the above model vehicles that the auto on/off and/or rain/light sensor is not functioning properly, the cause may be one of the following:

- The windshield is not a genuine Mercedes-Benz part
- The rain/light sensor is not the correct part
- No adaptation or coding was performed on the rain/light sensor

Perform the following procedure to remedy the issue:

- 1. Verify that the windshield is indeed a genuine Mercedes-Benz part (the genuine parts have the Mercedes-Benz three-pointed star on them).
- 2. Verify that the correct rain/light sensor is installed by performing a quick test.
- Perform adaptation and parameterization of the Rain/light sensor via DAS. In most vehicles, the process in DAS is as follows: Control Units → Body → OCP Overhead control panel → Control unit adaptations → Rain/light sensor → Parameterization and windshield adaptation.
- 4. If applicable, follow guided tests in Star Diagnosis.

I Note: Please submit all damaged parts along with an **initial and final quick test**. Costs for components submitted **without** a documented fault code **WILL NOT BE REIMBURSED**.

i Note: The following allowable labor operations should be used when submitting a warranty claim for this repair. This information has been generated on September 16. 2008. Please refer to Netstar \rightarrow Star TekInfo \rightarrow Star Time for the most current labor time allowance.

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In Case of Warranty

Operation:	Short test, perform (54-1011) Test program – after short test, perform (54-1012)			
Damage Code		Operation Number	Time (hrs.)	Model Indicator (s)
82195 52 (Light Sensor) Or 82128 52 (Rain Sensor)		54 1011	0.3 hrs.	00
		54 1012	0.5 hrs.	00