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To install:

7. Installation is the reversal of the removal procedure.

Overhead Console

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1. Insert a small screwdriver in the slot at the rear of one reading lamp lens assembly. Push the screwdriver rearward and pull down on the lens. Remove the lens assembly. Repeat the procedure for the other reading lamp lens.

2. Remove the two-center finish panel retaining screws. Pull the finish panel down and disconnect all the electrical connectors.

3. Remove the center finish panel.

To install:

4. Connect all the electrical connectors.

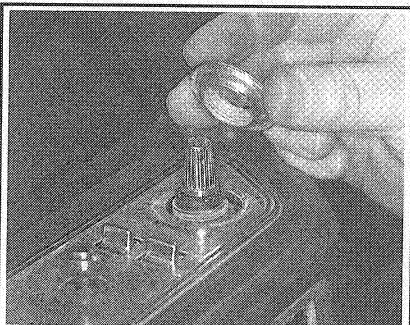
5. Place the finish panel into position and install the two retaining screws.

6. Snap the reading lamp lens assemblies into place.

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1. Remove the two console retaining screws (located in the front under cover of the sun visor blade).

2. Remove the console by pulling down on the front of the console and disengage it from the rear hooks.



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Fig. 27 Unscrew the remote mirror bezel nut

3. Disconnect the electrical connections.

To install:

4. Connect all the electrical connectors.

5. Installation is the reversal of the removal procedure.

Continental 1995-00

1. Open the front and rear panels of the roof console.

2. Remove the four screws retaining the roof console to the roof trim panel.

3. Disconnect the electrical connector and remove the roof console.

To install:

4. Connect all the electrical connectors.

5. Installation is the reversal of the removal procedure.

Door Panels

REMOVAL & INSTALLATION

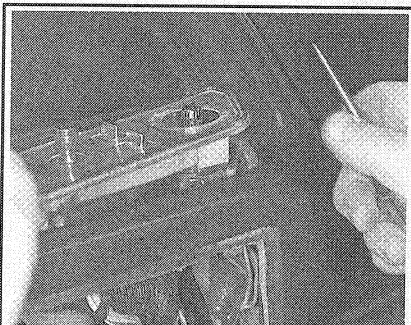
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See Figures 27 thru 41

1. If work has to be done inside the door panel, raise the glass to the closed position.

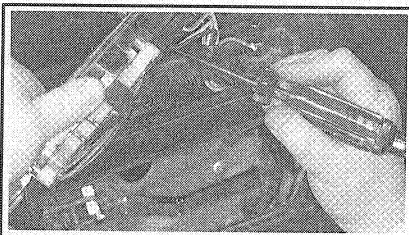
2. Disconnect the negative battery cable:

3. If removing the driver's door panel, remove the retaining screw and the remote mirror bezel nut from the power window regulator housing switch plate. Raise the plate to expose the window switch and power door lock switch and disconnect the switches.



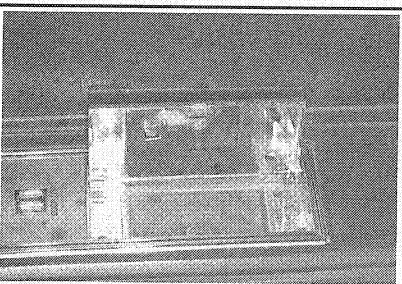
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Fig. 28 Raise the plate by lifting the front part up then slide it forward to release the clip from the rear



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Fig. 29 You can check for power distribution once the control panel has been removed. Use a wiring diagram to determine which wires feed the different circuits. Here we found a broken wire to the seat adjuster



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Fig. 30 On the other door panels, it is necessary to remove the chrome screw in the ashtray to lift the control panel and slide it forward



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Fig. 31 Removal of the armrest panel and the door handle cup will allow access to the two hidden mounting screws



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Fig. 32 Remove the screw at the aft part of the door at the level of the latch. There is also one in the front section of the door (not shown) above latch height

4. Remove the retaining screws from the door inside handle cup.

5. Working through the pull cup opening, disconnect the remote lock rod from the lock knob.

6. Remove the retaining screws from the armrest finish panel. Remove the retaining screws from the armrest and remove the armrest.

7. Using a suitable trim pad removal tool, carefully pry the trim panel plastic pushpin retainers from the door inner panel.

8. Pull the door panel away from the door slightly and detach the bulb and wiring assembly from the door panel by giving it a half twist to disengage it from the reflector housing.

Do not use the trim panel to pry the clips from the door inner panel. Replace any bent, damaged or missing pushpins.

9. Disconnect the radio speaker wiring, if equipped. Remove the trim panel and water shield.

To install:

10. If the door panel is to be replaced, transfer the plastic pushpins to the new panel. Make sure that the watershield is positioned correctly to the door sheet metal. Remove the door pull handle from the old panel and transfer to the new one, if necessary. Install the bulb and wiring assembly. Install the lamp lens, if equipped, and the pull cup.

11. Align the plastic push pins on the door panel to the holes in the door sheet metal and press the pins into place.

12. Install the armrest and route the window