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Condition

Trailer Lights Inoperative/Operate Intermittently

Trailer brake lights, turn signals and running/tail lights may be flashing or not function at all. Touareg vehicles equipped with the standard VW trailer hitch and Trailer Control Module may not be able to operate trailer illumination.

VWofA can not ensure that an aftermarket trailer will be equipped with **LED** lighting elements or a combination of LEDs and incandescent light bulbs.

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Model(s)	Year	Eng. Code	Trans. Code	VIN Range From	VIN Range To
Touareg	2004 > 2006	All	All	All	All

Technical Background

The trailer control module 7L0907383G with hardware code HW54 and software SW 088 is the latest version and has a capacity of 100 W.

Production Solution

No production change required.

Service

By using one of the 3 adapters shown, the Control Module is able to recognize the trailer lighting resistance for proper function.

 **Note:**

Do not modify the adapters since they are designed for the specific adaptations.

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Adapter 1: # ZVW 808 003. Is used for 7 to 5 and 7 to 4 adaptations.



Adapter 2: # ZVW 808 004. Is used for all 7 to 7 adaptations.

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Adapter 3: # ZVW 808 005, is used for all 7 to 6 adaptations.

Installation

- Insert adapter piece into the Touareg receptacle and connect the trailer wiring end. Adapter 1, (7-5) is a direct replacement (7-5) and (7-4) pin adapter that has been modified internally (in 7-4 application the last terminal is left unused).
- Adapter 2, (7-7), vehicle side plugs into the vehicle, the male side will get attached (bolted to) the trailer, the existing (original) trailer harness will then plug into the male adapter end that has been bolted to the trailer.

Warranty

Information only.

Required Parts and Tools

Description	Part No:	Quantity
Adapter	ZVW 808 003	1
Adapter	ZVW 808 004	1
Adapter	ZVW 808 005	1



Tip:

Part number(s) are for reference only. Always check with your Parts Dept. for the latest part(s) information.