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# Technical Bulletin

Subject: **Automatic Battery Cutoff Switch (BCS), Malfunctioning  
Resulting in Battery Discharge**

Group: **00**

Number: **04-05**

Model(s): **Touareg 5.0L V10 TDI (Eng. code BKW) 2004**

Date: **July 1, 2004**

## Condition

An Automatic Battery Cutoff Switch (BCS) (Part No. 7L0943383 or 7L0943383A, Orange in color) may be connected to the battery and is located on the floor in front of the driver's seat.

This device may malfunction causing the battery to discharge.

## Production

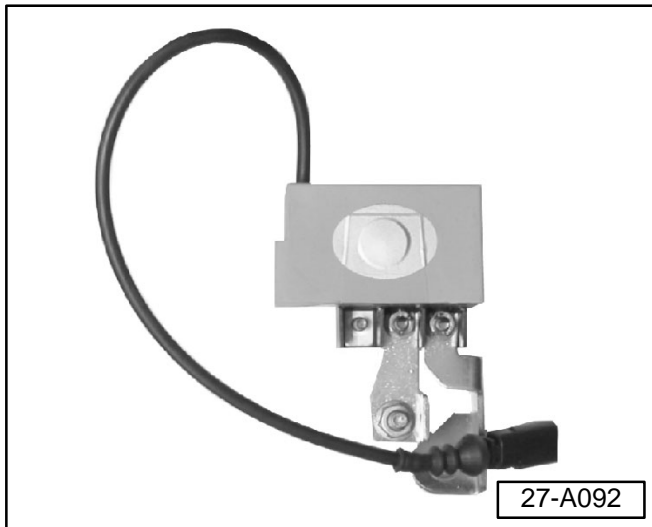
◀ On some Touareg V10 TDI vehicles, an Automatic Battery Cutoff switch (BCS) is used during the transportation cycle and according to Technical Bulletin Group 00 number 04-02 dated April 6, 2004 should be removed within 48 hours from delivery to the Customer.

The BCS is Orange in color with Part No. 7L0943383 or 7L0943383A.

## Service

On ALL Touareg vehicles with 5.0L V10 TDI:

- Verify Orange color Automatic Battery Cutoff Switch (BCS) is present in the vehicle.
- Immediately remove the Automatic Battery Cutoff Switch (BCS) using procedures described in Technical Bulletin Group 00 number 04-02 dated April 6, 2004. DO NOT wait until 48 hours prior to delivery to the Customer.





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- Test the battery as outlined in Technical Bulletin Group 27 number 03-02 dated June 20, 2003.
- Return BCS as outlined in Technical Bulletin Group 00 number 04-02 dated April 6, 2004.

Charge or replace the battery within 48 hours of vehicle receipt according to “Battery Test and Maintenance Procedures” In Article 7 of the Warranty Policy and Procedures Manual.