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SUBJECT: AWD BREATHER RETENTION

PURPOSE: To insure that breathers are properly positioned.

APPLICATION: GD530A/AW Graders Serial Number 202000 thru 203709 GD650A/AW Graders Serial Number 202000 thru 203709 GD670A/AW Graders Serial Number 202000 thru 203709 830 Graders Serial Number 200000 thru 203709 850 Graders Serial Number 200000 thru 203709 870 Graders Serial Number 200000 thru 203709

FAILURE CODE: 2A1316

DESCRIPTION:

Introduction:

Adding a clamp to the tie plate in the head block and clamping the AWD vent hoses will prevent the breathers from coming in contact with water which may collect inside the headblock; thus eliminating entry of water into the AWD gear cases.

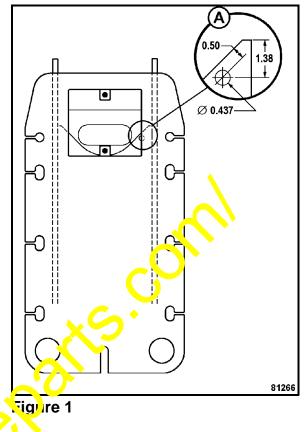
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Remove two bolts and washers holding front cover plate and remove.

Drill a .375" to .437" hole in the tie plate as indicated at "A" of Figure 1.



On the back side of tie plate (1, Figure 2) install 130096 clamp (2) around vent here (3) with 140483H bolt, 25534R1 flat washer, and 25522R1 hex nut.

Insure that the breather verts (4) are vertical as illustrated and cannot fall.

