CHEVROLET-CENTRAL OFFICE

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TECHNICAL SERVICE BULLETIN

Technical Service Department



SUBJECT: FRONT AND REAR TRIM HEIGHTS = 1961 GORVAIR AND CORVAIR "95" MODELS BULLETIN NO. DR # 491

SECTION III

TO ALL CHEVROLET DEALERS

DATE July 31, 1961

In the event uneven side-to-side or front trim heights are experienced on 1961 Corvair Passenger Car or Lakewood Station Wagon Models, spring insulators are now available in Service Parts Stock to correct this condition. These insulators will, in most cases eliminate the necessity of replacing springs to correct an out-of-trim condition. They are used in Production at the rear spring locations on Corvair Models equipped with air conditioning.

These insulators may also be installed at one or both ends of the rear springs on Corvair "95" Models but cannot be used at the front spring locations.

PART DATA

PART NO. 6255922

DESCRIPTION
Insulator (1/4" thick)

Insulators may be used where trim heights vary more than 1/2" from side-to-side or more than I" from front-to-rear.

On Gorvair Passenger Car and Lakewood Models, the side-to-side measurements should be made from the front of each body rocker panel to a level floor. When checking front-to-rear trim heights, the measurements are made from the front and rear ends of each rocker panel to the floor.

On Corvair "95" Models, measurements should be made from the center of front and rear lower control arm inner pivot bolts to the floor.

This insulator is made of rubber and may be inserted at either top or bottom of the spring. To insure recention of the insulator during installation, it may be taped to the spring.

PRODUCTION

To improve trim heights on Corvair Passenger Car and Lakewood Models, new lower capacity right rear coil springs entered Production early in 1961. The new springs have the capacity reduced from 1725 to 1575 lbs. on Corvair Passenger Car Models and from 2025 to 1922 lbs. on Lakewood Station Wagon Models.

CORVAIR REAR SPRING USAGE

MODELS	PART NUMBER	COLOR CODE
Sedan and Coupe	3797734 (RR) 3789174 (LR)	Lime and Dark Green Purple and Dark Green
Lakewood Station Wagon	3775098 (RR) 3789399 (LR)	Orange and Light Blue Light Blue and Light Blue

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