DTC P0724	BRAKE SWITCH "B" CIRCUIT HIGH
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### **CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION**

The purpose of this circuit is to prevent the engine from stalling while driving in lock-up condition, when brakes are suddenly applied.

When the brake pedal is depressed, this switch sends a signals to the ECM. Then the ECM cancels the operation of the lock–up clutch while braking is in progress.

DTC No.	DTC Detecting Condition	Trouble Area
P0724	The stop light switch does not turn off even once the vehicle is driven (2–trip detection logic).	<ul> <li>Short in stop light switch signal circuit</li> <li>Stop light switch</li> <li>ECM</li> </ul>

## MONITOR DESCRIPTION

The circuit prevents the engine from stopping when the vehicle is stopped by sudden braking when the torque converter clutch is in the "lock–up" mode. The ECM receives the signal from the stop light switch at the time brake pedal is depressed. Then, the ECM sends the signal to the lock–up solenoid valve not to be in lock–up condition. When the stop light switch remains ON during "stop and go" driving, the ECM interprets this as a fault in the stop light switch and the MIL comes on. The vehicle must stop and go (3 km/h (2 mph) to 30 km/h (19 mph)) ten times for two driving cycles in order to detect malfunction.

# **MONITOR STRATEGY**

Related DTCs	<b>D</b> 0704	Stop light switch/Range check	
	P0724	Stop light switch/Rationality	
Required sensors/Components	Stop light switch		
Frequency of operation	Continuous		
Duration	Go and stop 10 times or more		
MIL operation	2 driving cycles		
Sequence of operation	None		

# **TYPICAL ENABLING CONDITION**

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Item	Minimum	Maximum	
The monitor will run whenever the follow- ing DTCs are not present.	See page 05–369		
Number of "Go" and "Stop" defined as fol- lows	10 times		
"Go"	30 km/h (19 mph) or more	-	
"Stop"	– Less than 3 km/h (2 mph)		

# **TYPICAL MALFUNCTION THRESHOLDS**

Detection criteria	Threshold
Switch status	ON stuck

#### WIRING DIAGRAM



### **INSPECTION PROCEDURE**



 Measure the voltage according to the value(s) in the table below when the brake pedal is depressed and released.
 Standard:

Condition		Tester Connection		Specified Condition	
Brake pedal is depressed		E5 – 19 (STP) – Body ground		10 to 14 V	
Brake pedal is released				Below 1 V	
NG REPAIR OR REPLACE HARNESS OR CONNECTOR (See page 01–30)					OR

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ECM:

#### REPLACE ECM (See page 10–11)

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