



# TECH TIPS

**Dixie Part Numbers:**      A-2069      A-2070      A-2071  
   S-2124      202-31102

**Applications:**      2003 Ford Expedition 6.0L Diesel  
                                 2003 Ford F250 6.0L Diesel  
                                 2003 Ford F350 6.0L Diesel  
                                 2003 Ford F450 Super Duty 6.0L Diesel  
                                 2003 Ford F550 Super Duty 6.0L Diesel

**Condition:**      The operator of the vehicle may observe the vehicle dash flickering, a long hard slow cranking, various components and the radio becoming inoperative and/or a vehicle fire.

**Cause:**      The engine ground stud that attaches the grounding cable between the battery and the engine may become loose resulting in the engine grounding through alternate routes, including the dash and radio wiring.

**Correction:**      Follow the manufacturer's recommended procedures for inspecting and replacing the engine ground stud, radio suppression strap and other surrounding components. Please note that the NHTSA issued a campaign, ID number 04V327000 to address this issue.