



# TECH TIPS

**Dixie Part Numbers:** S-2100, S-2102

**Applications:** 2000 – 2002 Lincoln LS  
2002 Ford Thunderbird

**Condition:** The operator of the vehicle may complain that during the following conditions the vehicle is hard to start or requires excessive cranking time:

- The temperature is between  $-1^{\circ}$  Celsius and  $5^{\circ}$  Celsius.
- The relative humidity is greater than 75%

**Cause:** There are several potential causes for the above conditions. The powertrain control module, the powertrain control module calibration or the idle air control valve may be the cause.

**Correction:** Follow the manufacturer's recommended diagnostic and repair procedure.

