



# TECH TIPS

**Dixie Part Numbers:**      A-244              A-246              A-258              A-264  
   A-265              A-266              A-8225              A-8295  
   S-2060              S-2066

**Applications:**      1992 – 1994 Ford Taurus 3.0L, 3.2L and 3.8L V6 Applications  
   1992 – 1994 Mercury Sable 3.0L V6 Applications

**Condition:**      The operator of the vehicle may complain of a slow crank/no start condition. This condition may exist even if the battery, starter and alternator have been replaced.

**Cause:**      A potential cause for this is a short or open circuit in the wiring harness as the factory configuration had the wiring harness run across the front of the engine and transmission cases. The transmission case has a sharp edge which may over time scrape and/or sever the wiring harness.

**Correction:**      The wiring should be inspected and repaired as necessary. When completed the wiring should be protected using loom and plastic ties to route the wiring in a manner that prevents reoccurrence.