



TECH TIPS

Dixie Part Numbers: A-8680 S-8218 S-8728

Applications: 1997 – 1999 Kia Sportage

Condition: The operator of the vehicle may complain of one or more of the following conditions:

- Various erratic electrical problems.
- The engine stalls for no reason and fails to restart.

Cause: A potential cause for the above condition is that the C123 and C124 connectors (engine injector harness) may be under tension and with the engine movement may separate resulting in the engine control module operating erratically.

Correction: Follow the manufacturer's recommended repair procedures. The repair procedures include:

- inspecting the wiring and plug connectors
- repairing any damage
- increasing the plug contact tension by carefully bending the terminals
- inspecting several ground connections
- rerouting the harness to provide some slack