



Technical Service Bulletin

48 Ignition cannot be switched on, vehicle does not start (DTC B1248F3 stored in the BCM)

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Model(s)	Year	VIN Range	Vehicle-Specific Equipment
A3, S3, and RS 3	2022 – 2023	All	Not Applicable

Condition

Customer states:

The ignition cannot be switched on.

and/or

The vehicle does not start.

Workshop findings:

The customer statement can be reproduced.

The following DTC (intermittent/static) is logged in the BCM -J519- (diagnostic address 0009):

- **B1248F3** Electrical Steering Column Lock - terminal release, implausible (Symptom code 1074443).

Technical Background

Software issue in control unit for Electronic steering column lock -J764- (diagnostic address 002B).

Production Solution

Not applicable.

Service

Replace the control unit for Electronic steering column lock -J764- (diagnostic address 002B).

Warranty

Claim Type	• 110 up to 48 Months/50,000 Miles. • G10 for CPO Covered Vehicles – Verify Owner. • If the vehicle is outside any warranty, this Technical Service Bulletin is informational only.
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Service Number:	4819		
Damage Code:	0040		
Labor Operations:	Remove and install steering column lock	4819 1900	See SRT
Diagnostic Time:	GFF	0150 0000	Time stated on the diagnostic protocol (Max 50 TU)
	Road test prior to the service procedure	No allowance	0 TU
	Road test after the service procedure	No allowance	0 TU
Claim Comment:	As per TSB 2071903/1		

All warranty claims submitted for payment must be in accordance with the *Audi Warranty Policies and Procedures Manual*. Claims are subject to review or audit by Audi Warranty.

Required Parts and Tools

Always check with your Parts Department and/or ETKA for the latest information and parts bulletins.		
Part Number	Part Description	Quantity
See ETKA	Fasteners, Bolts, Nuts, and Screws as needed per the Repair Manual	See ETKA/ELSA
See ETKA	Control unit for electronic steering column lock (J764)	01

Additional Information

All parts and service references provided in this TSB (**2071903**) are subject to change and/or removal.

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