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Title: MAINTENANCE: GENERAL MAINTENANCE: BODY; 2023 - 2024 MY Prius Prius Prime [12/2022 -

# **BODY**

### TIGHTEN BOLTS AND NUTS ON CHASSIS AND BODY

(a) If necessary, tighten the bolts and nuts on the chassis parts listed below.

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- Front axle and suspension
- Drivetrain
- · Rear axle and suspension
- · Brake system
- · Engine mounts
- · Other chassis parts
- (b) If necessary, tighten the bolts and nuts on the body parts listed below.
  - Seat belt system
  - Seats
  - Doors and hood
  - · Body mounts
  - Fuel tank
  - Exhaust system
  - Other body parts

## CLEAN OR REPLACE AIR CONDITIONING FILTER

(a) Remove the air conditioning filter.

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- (b) Visually inspect the surface of the air conditioning filter.
- (c) If the air conditioning filter is contaminated with foreign matter, clean or replace it according to the maintenance schedule.

#### **NOTICE:**

Some filters are not able to be cleaned.

#### **ROAD TEST**

- (a) Check the engine and chassis for abnormal noises.
- (b) Check that the vehicle does not wander or pull to one side.
- (c) Check that the brakes work properly and do not drag.
- (d) Bed-in the parking brake pads.

# **BODY INSPECTION**

- (a) Check the body exterior for dents, scratches and rust.
- (b) Check the underbody for rust and damage.

If necessary, replace any damaged parts or repair any damaged areas.

#### FINAL INSPECTION

- (a) Check the operation of the body parts.
  - (1) Hood

- Auxiliary catch operates properly.
- · Hood locks securely when closed.
- (2) Front and rear doors
  - Door locks operate properly.
  - Doors close properly.
- (3) Back door

Door lock operates properly.

- (4) Seats
- Seats adjust easily and lock securely in any position.
- Front seatbacks lock securely in any position.
- Fold-down rear seatbacks lock securely.
- (5) Be sure to deliver a clean car. Make sure to check the following:
  - Steering wheel
  - · Shift lever knob
  - · All switches and knobs
  - Door handles
  - Seats



