

6. Front Outer Handle

A: REMOVAL

1) Remove the door trim. <Ref. to EI-33, REMOVAL, Front Door Trim.>

CAUTION:

Do not apply excessive force to remove the door trim. This can deform the door panel.

2) Remove the sealing cover. <Ref. to EB-13, REMOVAL, Front Sealing Cover.>

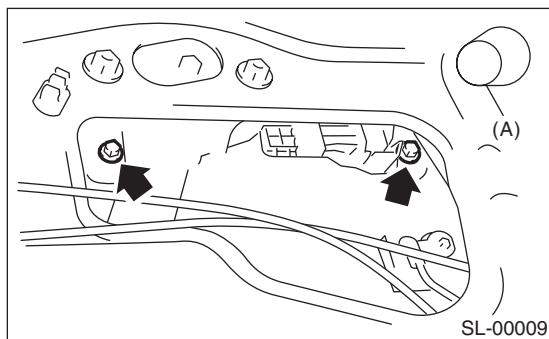
3) Remove the front inner remote. <Ref. to SL-28, REMOVAL, Front Inner Remote.>

4) Remove the cable from the cable holder and allow it to be free.

5) Remove the two bolts and the rod clamp to remove front outer handle.

NOTE:

The rear side bolt can be removed from the inner panel service hole (A) by adjusting the glass position.



B: INSTALLATION

Install in the reverse order of removal.

Tightening torque:

7.5 N·m (0.76 kgf·m, 5.5 ft-lb)

NOTE:

Make sure the outer handle works properly by opening/closing the door after installation.

C: INSPECTION

After the installation, check the following items.

- Do the lever and rod move smoothly?
- Is the cable damaged such as any fray, etc.?