

## 16. Brake Pipe

### A: REMOVAL

**CAUTION:**

- Airbag system wiring harness and connectors are colored yellow. Do not use electrical test equipment on these circuits.
- Be careful not to damage the airbag system wiring harness when servicing the center brake pipe.
- When removing the brake pipe, do not bend.

**NOTE:**

The airbag system wiring harness is routed near the center brake pipe.

### B: INSTALLATION

**CAUTION:**

- Airbag system wiring harness and connectors are colored yellow. Do not use electrical test equipment on these circuits.
- Be careful not to damage the airbag system wiring harness when servicing the center brake pipe.
- When installing the brake pipe, do not bend.
- After installing the brake pipe and hose, perform air bleed.
- After installing the brake hoses, make sure that they do not contact the tires or suspension assembly, etc.

**NOTE:**

The airbag system wiring harness is routed near the center brake pipe.

*Brake pipe tightening torque:*

Refer to “COMPONENT” of “General Description”. <Ref. to BR-8, FRONT BRAKE PIPES AND HOSES, COMPONENT, General Description.> <Ref. to BR-9, CENTER AND REAR BRAKE PIPES AND HOSES, COMPONENT, General Description.>

### C: INSPECTION

Make sure there are no cracks, breakage or damage on hoses. Check the joint for fluid leakage. If any cracks, breakage, damage or fluid leakage is found, repair or replace the pipes.

**NOTE:**

Use a mirror when inspecting back sides and other locations which are hard to see.