

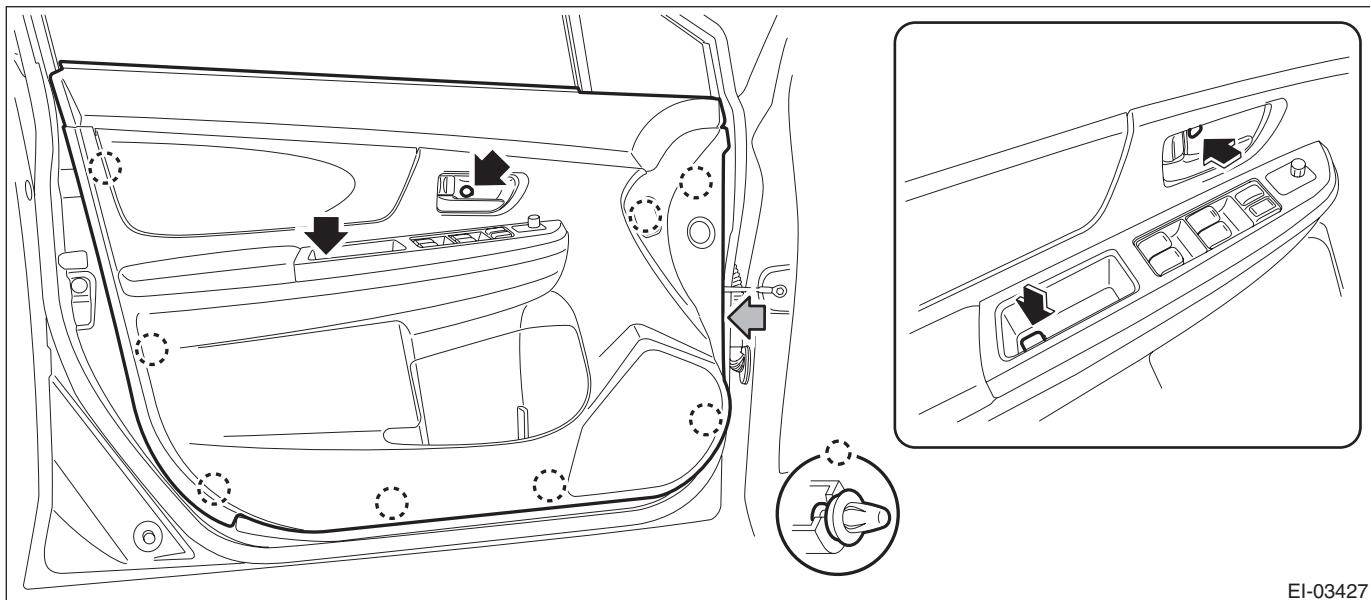
Front Sealing Cover

EXTERIOR BODY PANELS

5. Front Sealing Cover

A: REMOVAL

- 1) Disconnect the ground cable from battery.
- 2) Remove the trim panel - front door.
 - (1) Open the cover and remove the screw.
 - (2) Remove the clips, and remove the trim panel - front door from the panel assembly - front door.

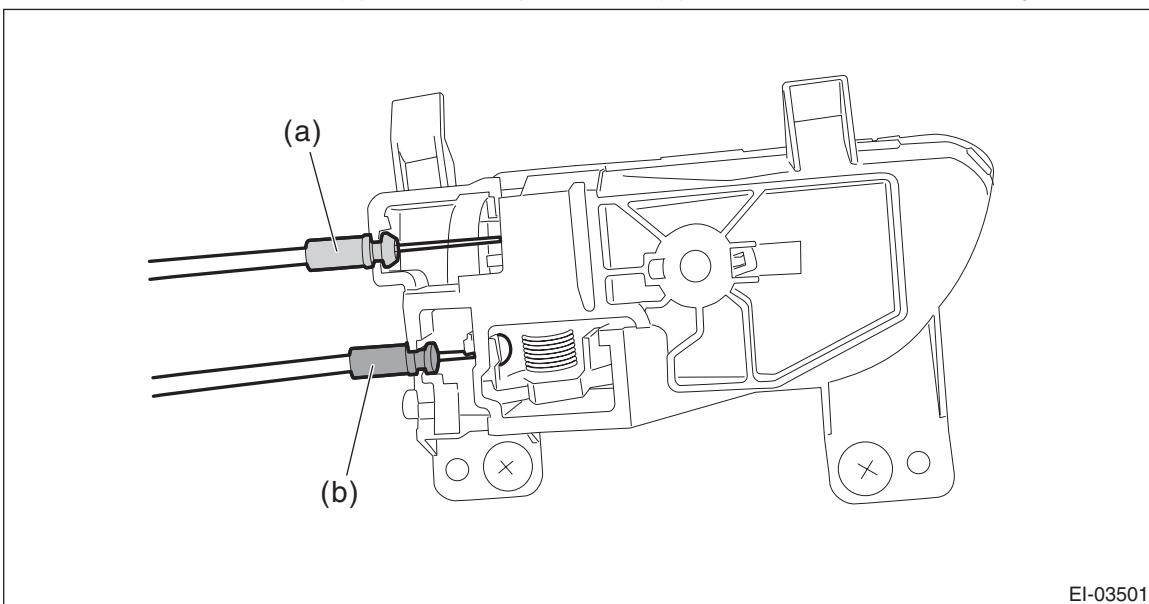


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NOTE:

It is easier to remove the trim panel - front door if the removal is performed from the gray arrow section.

- (3) Detach the door lock cable (a) and door open cable (b) from the remote assembly - door.



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- (4) Disconnect the harness connector and remove the trim panel - front door.

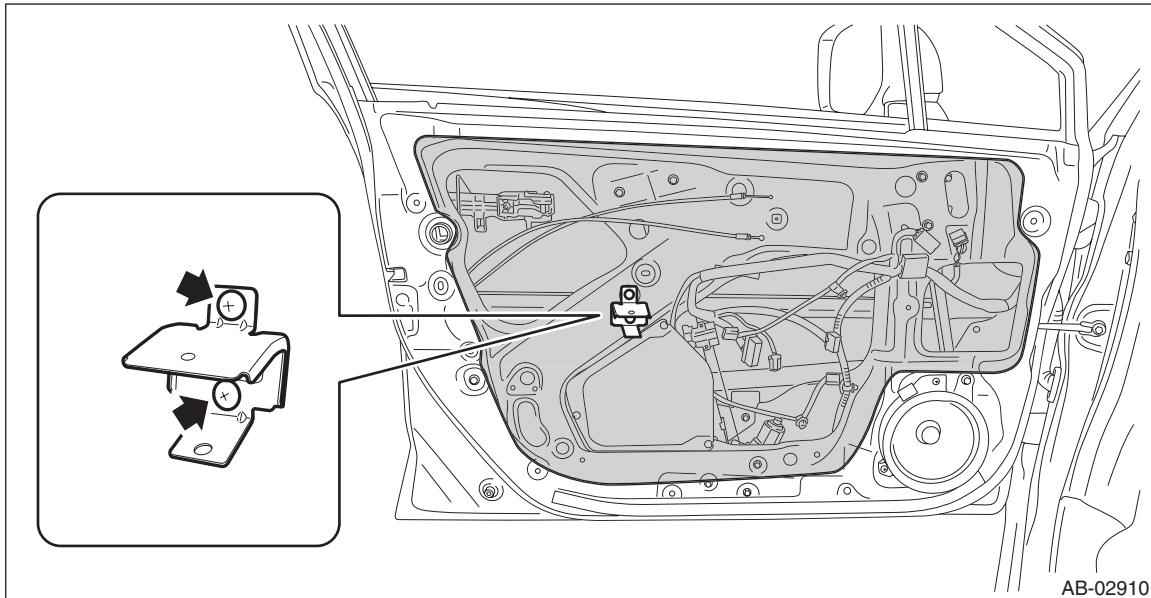
3) Remove the sealing cover - front door.

CAUTION:

- **Carefully remove the butyl tape. Excessive force will easily break the cover.**
- **If the sealing cover - front door gets broken, replace it with a new part.**

(1) Remove the screw to remove the bracket - door trim front.

(2) Carefully remove the butyl tape to remove the sealing cover - front door.



B: INSTALLATION

CAUTION:

- **If the sealing cover - front door gets broken, replace it with a new part.**
- **Apply a uniform bead of butyl tape.**
- **Attach the sealing cover - front door, keeping it from becoming wrinkled.**
- **Breaks in the bead will allow water leakage and contamination.**

1) Install each part in the reverse order of removal.

2) When replacing the sealing cover - front door, use the butyl tape.

3) Press the butyl tape-applied area firmly to prevent any floating on surface.

Butyl tape:

3M8626 or the equivalent

C: INSPECTION

If the sealing cover - front door is broken, replace it with a new part.