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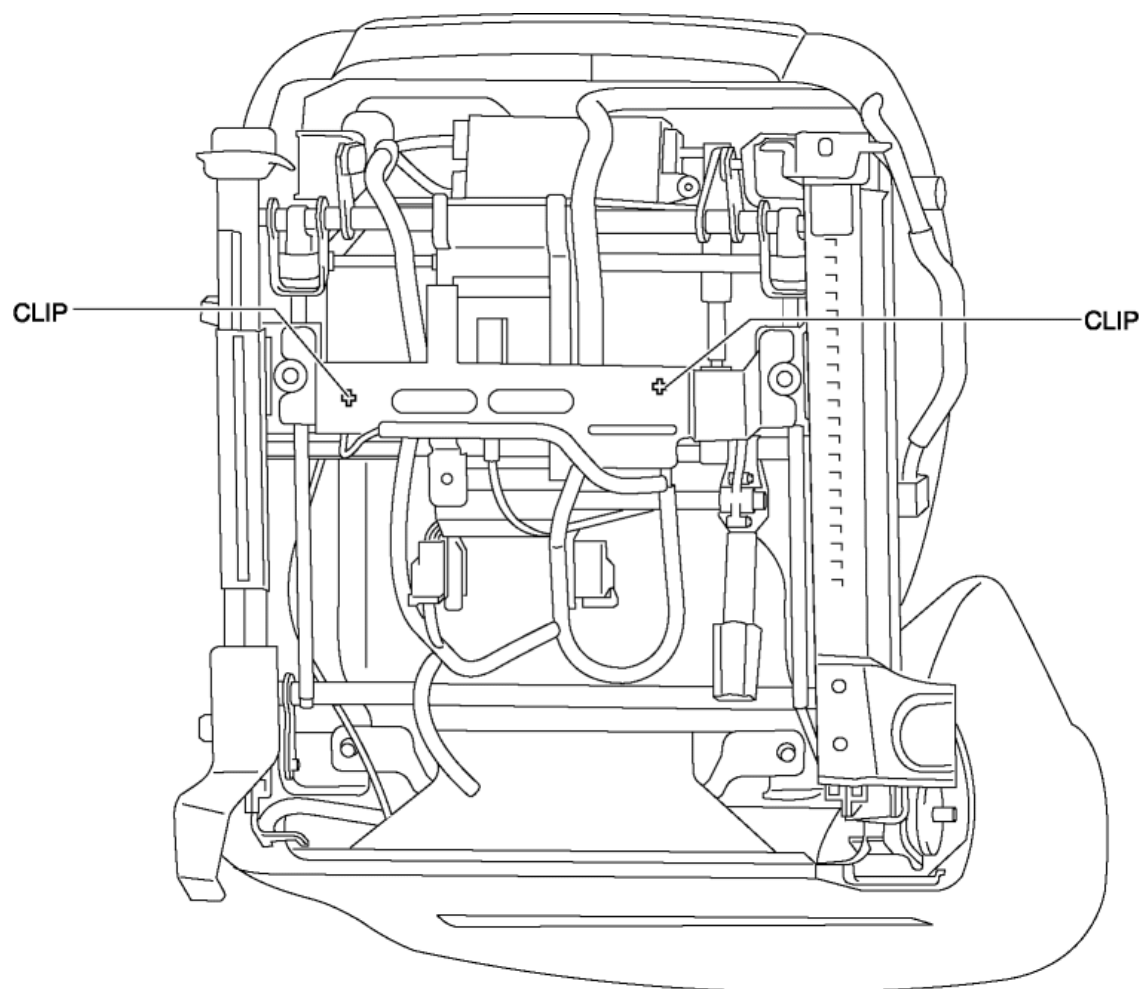
FRONT SEAT BACK COMPONENT REMOVAL/ INSTALLATION

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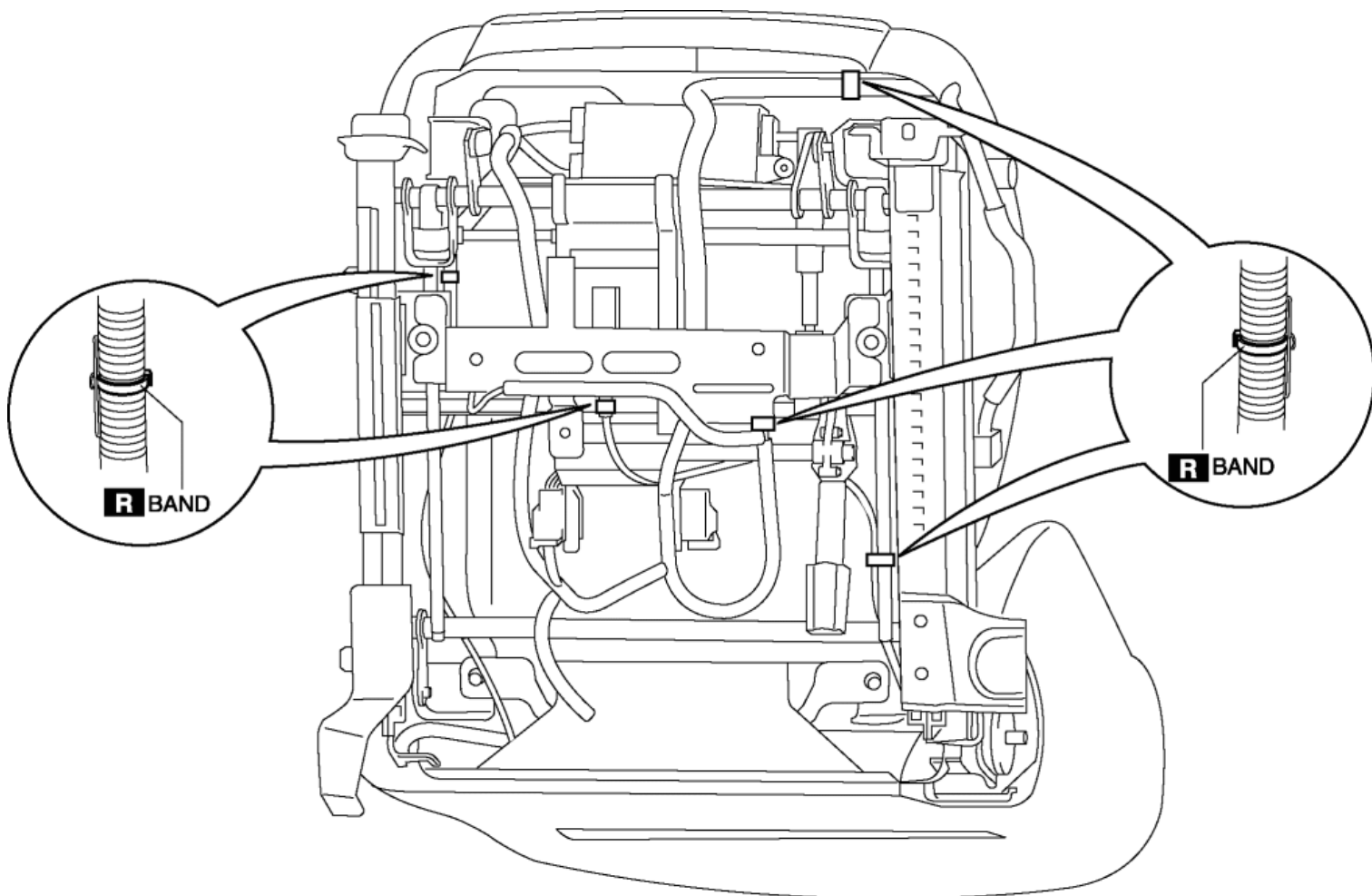
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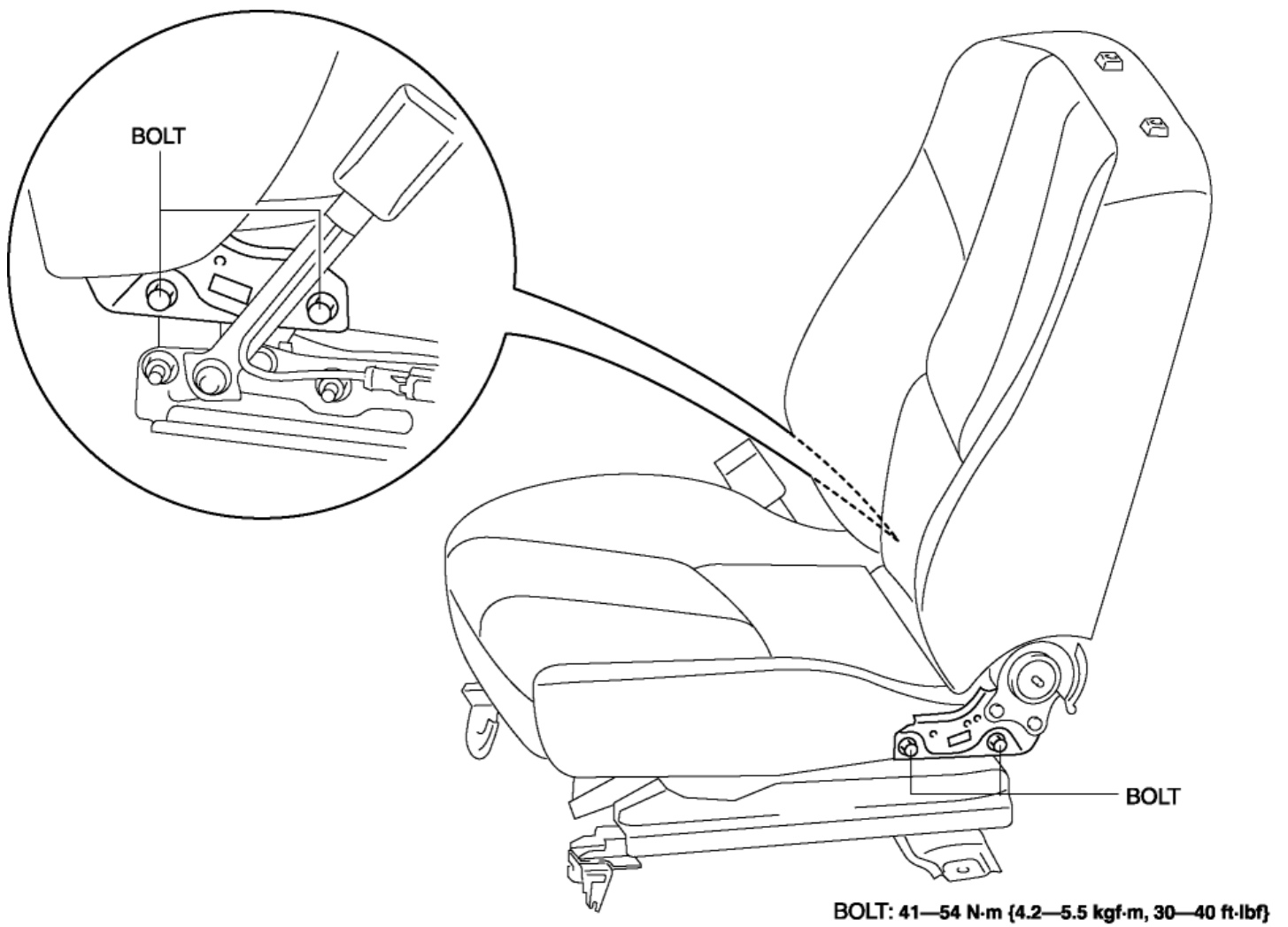
- After removing a front seat, do not operate the slider lever. If the slider lever is operated, the left and right slide positions will deviate, and the slide adjuster may be damaged after the front seat is installed.
 - Verify that there are no malfunctions in the sliding mechanism after installing a front seat.
 - When performing the procedure with a front seat removed from the vehicle, perform the procedure on a clean rag so as not to damage or soil the seat.
 - If any of the following work is performed, perform the seat weight sensor calibration using the M-MDS. (See [SEAT WEIGHT SENSOR CALIBRATION](#))
 - Replacement with a new seat weight sensor
 - Replacement with a new seat weight sensor control module
 - Replacement with new passenger-side seat par
 - Disassembly of the passenger-side seat
 - If any of the following work is performed, perform the seat weight sensor inspection using the M-MDS. (See [SEAT WEIGHT SENSOR INSPECTION](#))
 - Removal of the passenger-side seat
 - Loosening and retightening of passenger-side seat fixing bolts
1. Disconnect the negative battery cable and wait **1 min or more**.
 2. Remove the front seat. (See [FRONT SEAT REMOVAL/ INSTALLATION](#).)
 3. Remove the headrest.
 4. Remove the front seat side cover. (See [FRONT SEAT SIDE COVER REMOVAL/ INSTALLATION](#).)
 5. Remove the clips.



6. Cut the bands securing the harness.



7. Remove the bolts, then remove the front seat back component.



8. Install in the reverse order of removal.

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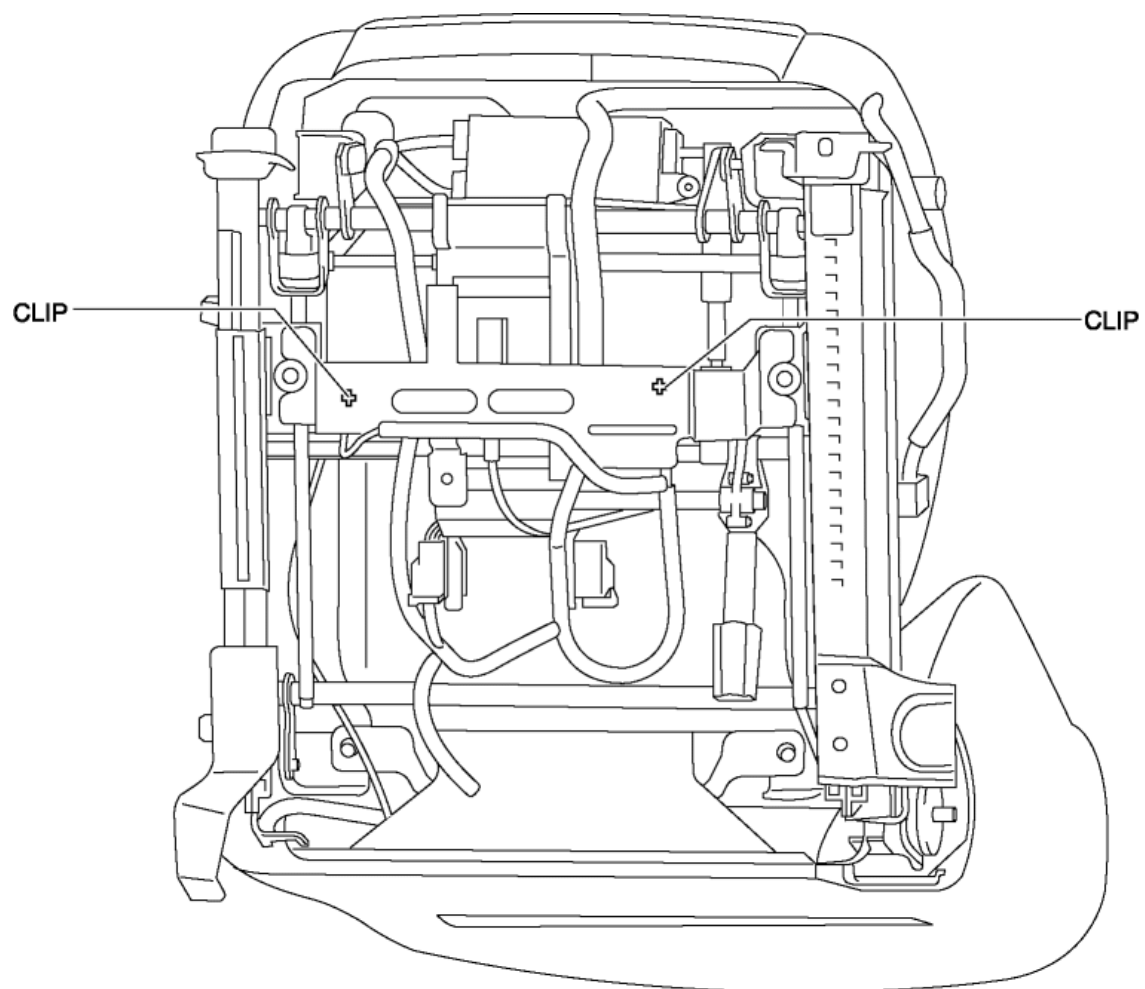
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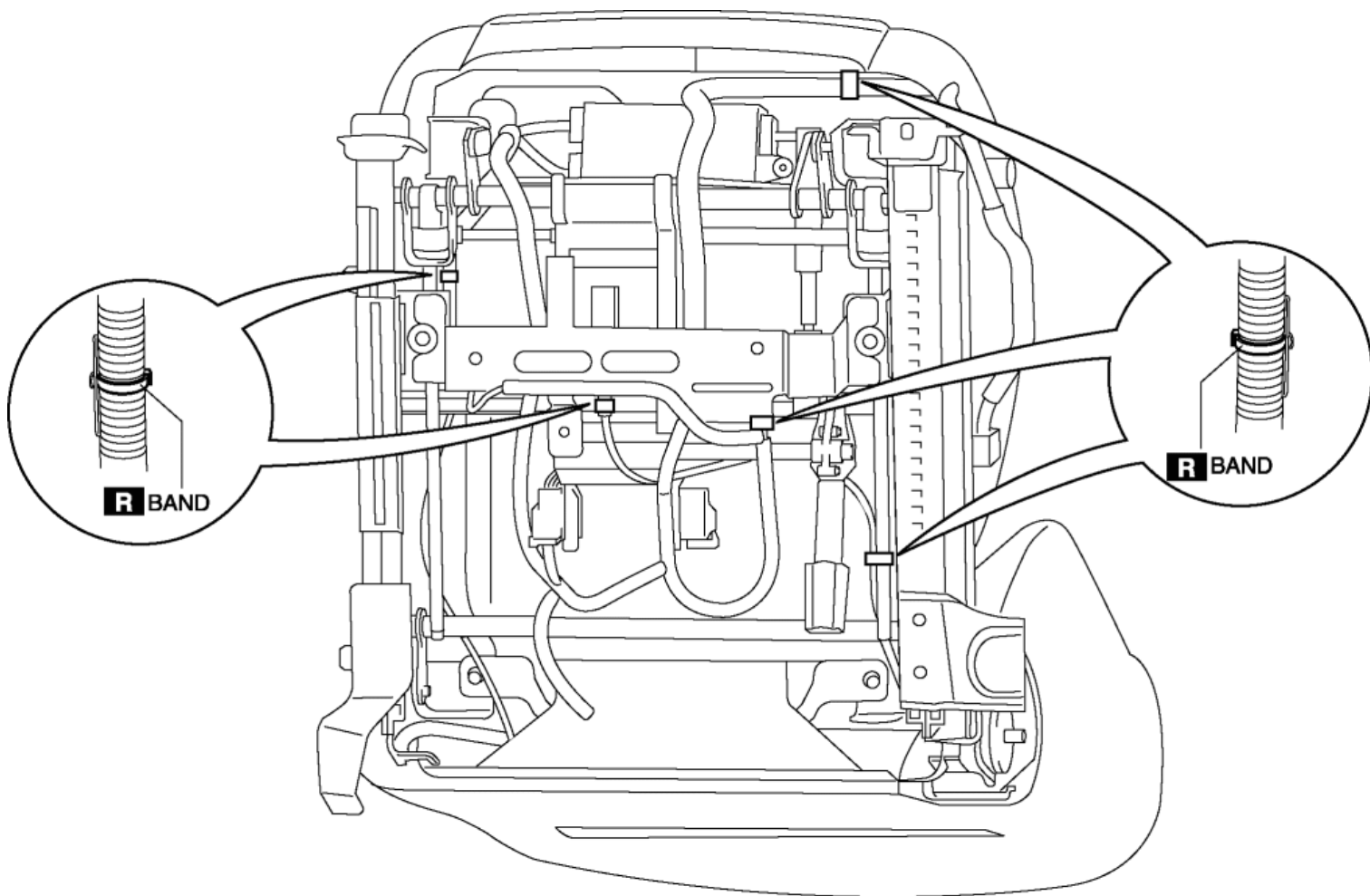
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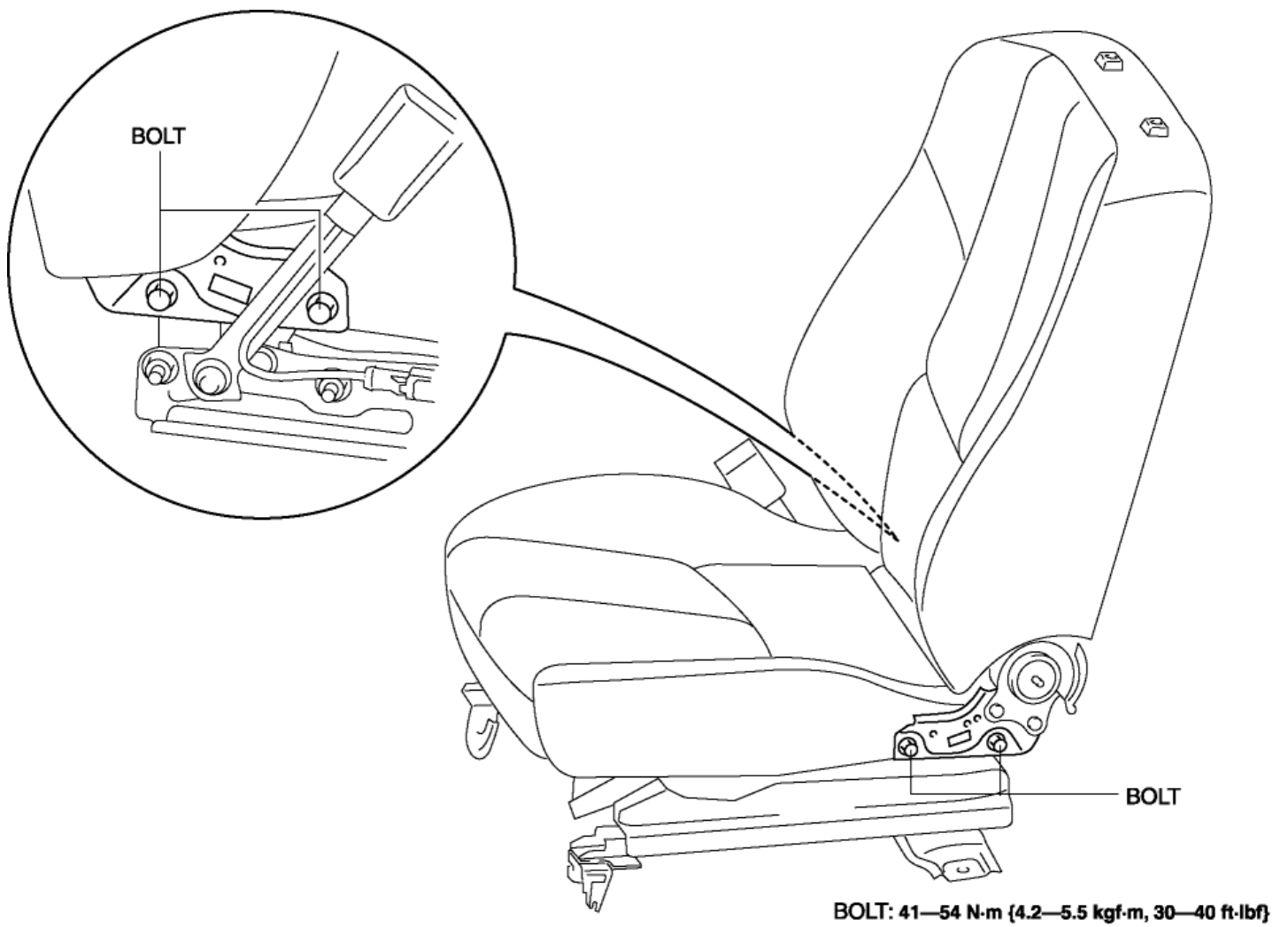
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