



## **Service Bulletin**

## **HTX6H Fuel Tank Pickup Line Modification**

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Recommended	Change			

#### **Details**

#### Problem:

Dirt and debris may be entering the fuel system.

#### **Solution:**

Install a new fuel tank pickup line with a mesh screen.

#### **Parts Information**

Item	Part No.	Description	QTY.	Remarks
1	42501	Pickup Line, Fuel Tank	1	
2	22810	Clamp, Fuel 1/2-9/16" OD	1	



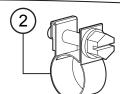


Figure 1. Fuel Tank Pickup Line and Fuel Injection Clamp

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#### **WORK SAFELY!**

Only a qualified service technician with proper training should perform this procedure. Follow all shop safety rules while performing this procedure.

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Make sure the trowel is turned off and **the engine is** cool.
- 2. Place the trowel in an area free of dirt and debris, and make sure it is on secure level ground.

#### **REQUIRED TOOLS**

- Flat Screwdriver
- 11/16" Open-End Wrench
- Liquid Sealant

#### **FUEL SAFETY**

#### DANGER

- ALWAYS use extreme caution when working with flammable liquids.
- **DO NOT** smoke around or near the equipment. Fire or explosion can result from fuel vapors or if fuel is spilled on a hot engine.

#### **BATTERY SAFETY**

## **DANGER**

■ DO NOT expose the battery to open flames, sparks, cigarettes, etc. The battery contains combustible gases and liquids. If these gases or liquids come into contact with a flame or spark, an explosion could occur.

## **CAUTION**

■ ALWAYS disconnect the **NEGATIVE** battery terminal before performing service on the equipment.

#### **BATTERY DISCONNECTION**

1. Remove and set aside the **LEFT** grill guard to gain access to the battery (Figure 2).

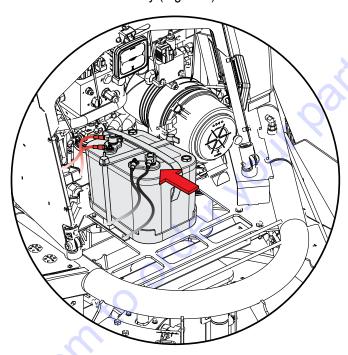


Figure 2. Battery Disconnection

2. Disconnect the two negative (**BLACK**) cables from the negative terminal on the battery. See Figure 2.

#### **FUEL TANK PICKUP LINE INSPECTION**

#### **NOTICE**

While performing this procedure, the use of a small container to catch spilled fuel is recommended. **ALWAYS** wipe up any spilled fuel **immediately**.

 Remove and discard the clamp securing the pre-filter hose to the 90° fitting on the LEFT side of the fuel tank (Figure 3).

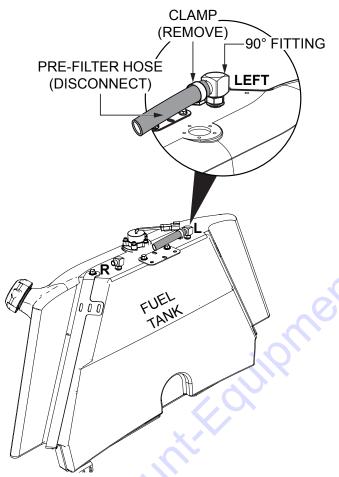


Figure 3. Pre-Filter Hose Disconnection

- 2. Disconnect the pre-filter hose from the 90° fitting on the left side of the fuel tank (Figure 3).
- 3. Remove the **LEFT** fuel tank pickup line from the fuel tank (Figure 4).

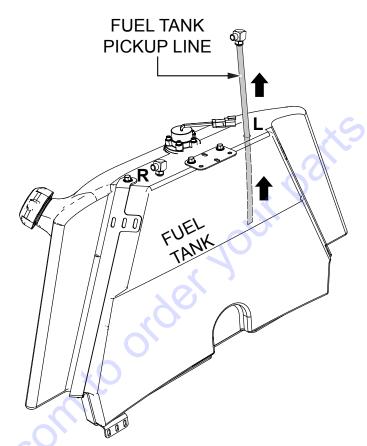


Figure 4. Fuel Tank Pickup Line Removal (LEFT)

4. Inspect the fuel tank pickup line (Figure 5). <u>If there is a mesh screen</u> on the end of the pickup line (Figure 5A), proceed to the "Existing Fuel Line Reinstallation" section.

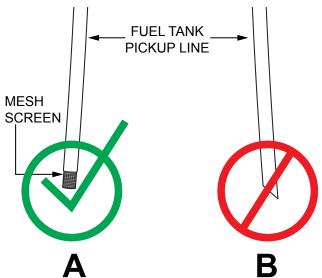


Figure 5. Fuel Tank Pickup Line Inspection

5. <u>If there is NO mesh screen</u> on the end of the fuel tank pickup line (Figure 5B), discard the fuel tank pickup line and proceed to the "Fuel Line Cleaning" section.

#### **EXISTING FUEL LINE REINSTALLATION**

1. Apply thread sealant to the threads on the 90° fitting (Figure 6).

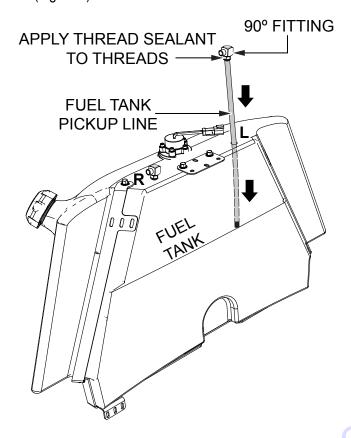


Figure 6. Fuel Tank Pickup Line Reinstallation

- 2. Reinstall the fuel tank pickup line and tighten the 90° fitting securely (Figure 6).
- 3. Place the new hose clamp (P/N 22810) onto the free end of the pre-filter hose. See Figure 7.

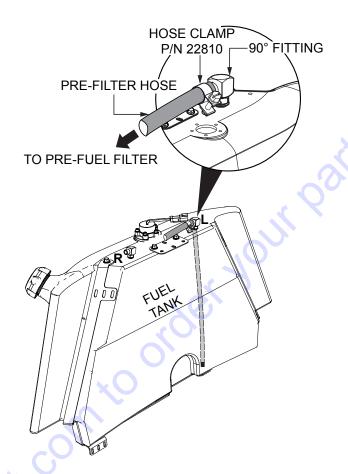


Figure 7. Pre-Filter Hose Reinstallation

- 4. Connect the free end of the pre-filter hose to the 90° fitting on the **LEFT** side of the fuel tank (Figure 7).
- 5. Secure the pre-filter hose to the 90° fitting with the hose clamp (P/N 22810). See Figure 7.
- 6. Reconnect the negative (**BLACK**) battery cables.
- 7. Reinstall the **LEFT** grill guard.

#### **NOTICE**

**DO NOT** proceed to the next section. For any unit with an existing fuel tank pickup line that already has a mesh screen installed, **the procedure is complete**.

#### **FUEL LINE CLEANING**

1. Disconnect the quick-connect fitting securing the pre-filter hose to the pre-fuel filter (Figure 8).

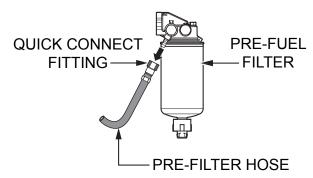


Figure 8. Pre-Filter Hose Removal

- 2. Thoroughly clean the pre-filter hose. Make sure all debris is fully removed from the hose.
- 3. Inspect the inlet port on the pre-fuel filter (Figure 9) for debris, and clean if necessary.

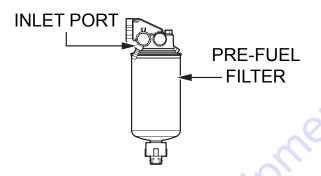


Figure 9. Pre-Fuel Filter Inlet Port

#### **FUEL LINE INSTALLATION**

1. Apply thread sealant to the threads of the 90° fitting on the new fuel tank pickup line (P/N 42501). See Figure 10.

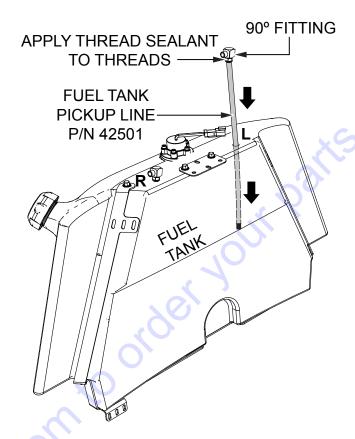
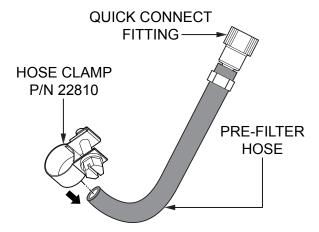


Figure 10. Fuel Tank Pickup Line Installation

- 2. Insert the new fuel tank pickup line (P/N 42501) into the fuel tank and tighten the 90° fitting securely. See Figure 10.
- 3. Place the new hose clamp (P/N 22810) onto the end of the pre-filter hose opposite the quick-connect fitting. See Figure 11.



**Figure 11. Hose Clamp Placement** 

4. Connect the end of the pre-filter hose with the quick-connect fitting to the inlet side of the pre-fuel filter (Figure 12).

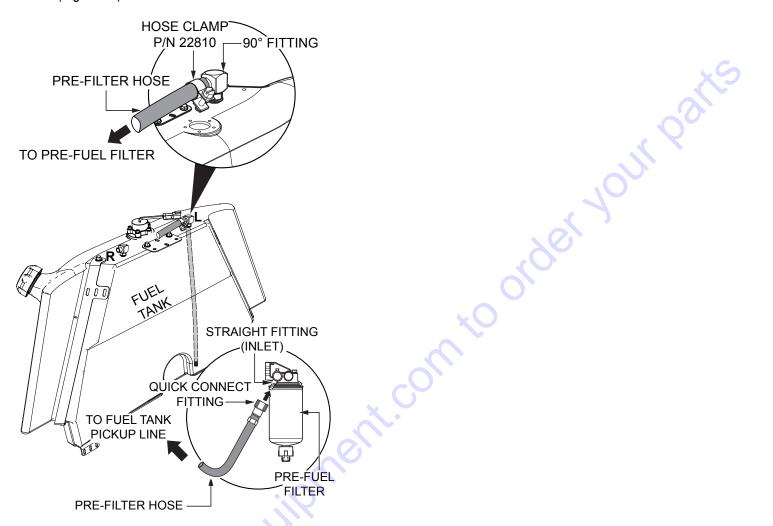


Figure 12. Pre-Filter Hose Installation

- 5. Connect the other end of the pre-filter hose to the 90° fitting on the **LEFT** side of the fuel tank.
- 6. Secure the pre-filter hose to the 90° fitting with the hose clamp (P/N 22810). See Figure 12.
- 7. Reconnect the negative (**BLACK**) battery cables.
- 8. Reinstall the **LEFT** grill guard.

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