

6. Front Grille

A: REMOVAL

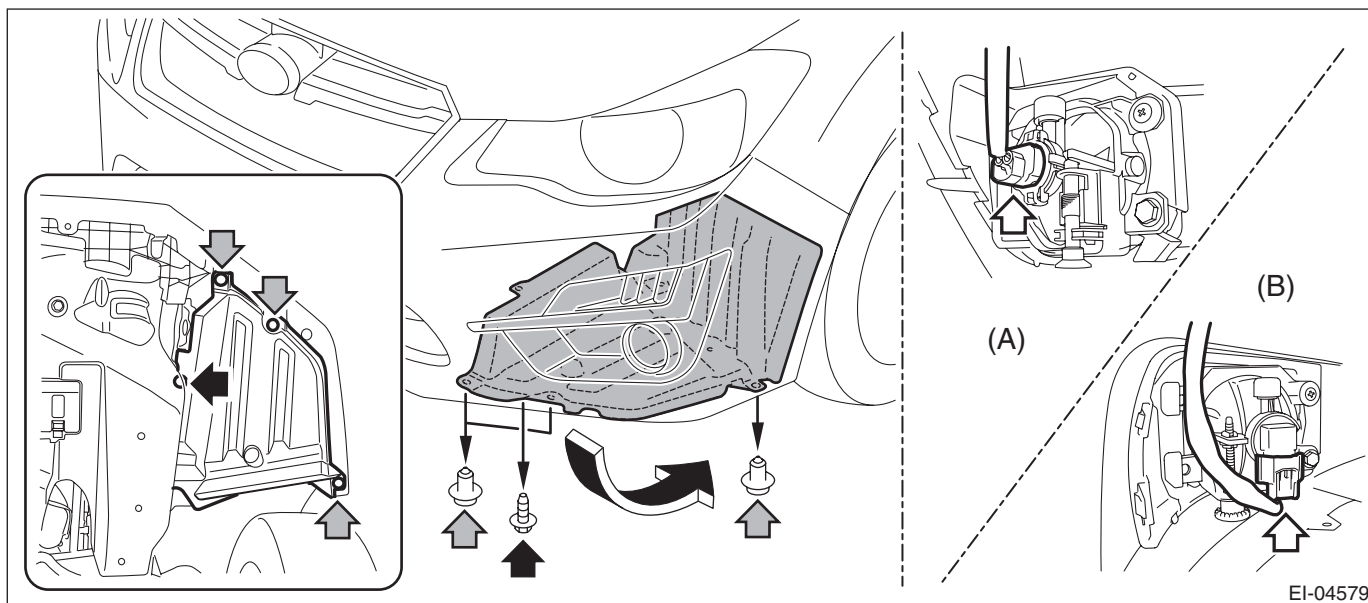
1) Disconnect the ground cable from battery. <Ref. to NT-5, BATTERY, NOTE, Note.>

NOTE:

For the 12 volt engine restart battery of HEV model, disconnect the ground terminal from 12V engine restart battery sensor.

2) Remove the bumper face - front.

(1) Remove the screws and clips, and turn over the mud guard - front, and then disconnect the connectors of the fog light assembly - front on the LH and RH sides. (Model with fog light)



(A) Type without SRF

(B) Type with SRF

(2) Remove the clips at the upper side of the bumper face - front.

(3) Remove the clips from the fender.

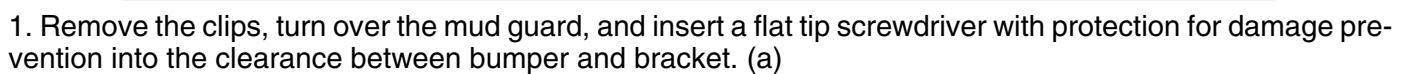
EXTERIOR/INTERIOR TRIM

Diagram illustrating the removal of the front grille. The main view shows the front of the car with arrows indicating the removal of the grille. Two callout boxes show the removal of the grille clips. One callout shows the removal of the grille from the front of the car. Another callout shows the removal of the grille from the side of the car.

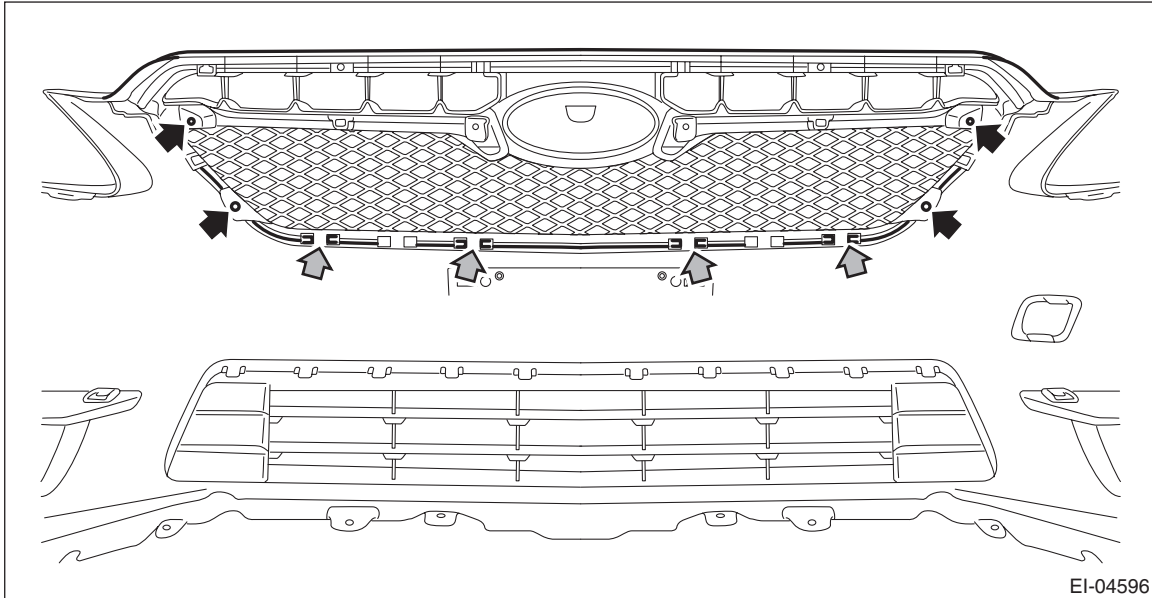
(6) Detach the flange section on the bumper face side from the bracket - front bumper side.

Do not pull forcibly. It may damage the flange section on the bumper face - front side when it comes off from the claws of the bracket - front bumper.

Remove the bumper face - front according to the following procedures.



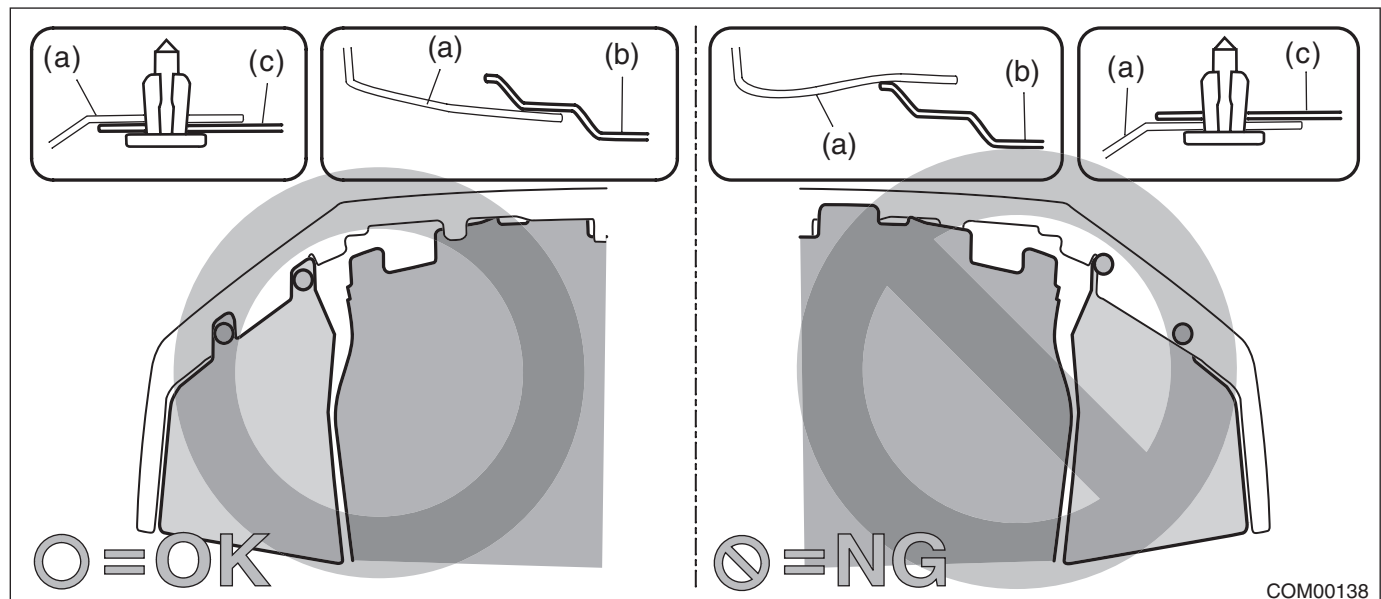
2. Push out the bumper with the flat tip screwdriver while pushing up the bumper from below. (b), (c)
3. Release the engagement of clips in the order of (d) to (g) while pushing up the bumper from below.
4. Perform the same procedures to remove the opposite side.
- 3) Remove the front grille assembly.
 - (1) Remove the screws from the back side of the bumper face - front.
 - (2) Release the claws, and remove the front grille assembly.



B: INSTALLATION

CAUTION:

- Install so that the front end of the under cover (b) comes inside the bumper face - front (a), and the front end of the mud guard (c) comes outside the bumper face - front (a).



- Before installing the bumper face, match the claws on the bracket - front bumper with the engaging position of flange section on the bumper face side. If the engaging position is not correct, the flange section may be broken or the clearance between fender panel and bumper face may not be uniform.
- 1) Install each part in the reverse order of removal.
- 2) Adjust the fog light beam. (Model with fog light) <Ref. to LI-55, FOG LIGHT AIMING, ADJUSTMENT, Front Fog Light Assembly.>