DRIVING AFTER A COLLISION

Before starting or driving

WARNING

If the vehicle is involved in a collision it should be checked by your Land Rover Dealer/Authorised Repairer, or suitably qualified persons before starting or driving.

If the vehicle has been involved in an accident it should be checked thoroughly before attempting to start the engine or drive the vehicle.

Check for:-

- Fuel leaks.
- Fluid leaks.
- Battery damage.
- Damage to wiring.
- Damage to lights.
- Damage to steering, suspension, wheels or tyres.
- Sharp or protruding bodywork.
- Operation of doors and locks.
- Condition and operation of seat belts and SRS components.
- Condition of child seats and their mounting/attachment points.

Note: *This list is not exhaustive.*

Resetting the fuel cut-off system

WARNING

The fuel cut-off should never be reset if you can smell fuel, or a leak can be seen. Doing so can lead to a fire which may cause serious injury or death.

If no fuel leak is apparent, the system can be reset as follows:

1. Apply the EPB and on automatic transmission vehicles select **P** (Park).
2. Switch off the ignition and wait for 15 minutes.
3. Switch the ignition on and wait for 30 seconds.
4. Check the vehicle thoroughly for fuel leaks. If a leak is detected, switch the ignition off and seek qualified advice.
5. If no leaks are detected, start the engine as normal.

When driving

When driving a vehicle which has been involved in a collision use caution and pay extra attention to the operation of the vehicle. If any changes in vehicle operation after the collision are noted when compared to it's operation before the collision, do not continue to drive the vehicle. Stop the vehicle as soon as it is safe to do so, and have the vehicle recovered.

Pay particular attention to changes in:-

- Steering.
- Braking.
- Unusual noises.
- Warning lights or messages displayed.
- Problems with electrical systems.