# THE EXTERIOR

# **A**CAUTION

Following cleaning of the vehicle exterior (particularly with a pressure washer), it is recommended that the vehicle is taken for a short drive to dry out the brakes.

## NOTICE

Some high pressure cleaning systems are sufficiently powerful to penetrate door/window seals and damage trim and door locks. Never aim the water jet directly at the engine air intake, heater air intakes, body seals (doors, sunroof, windows etc.) or at any components which may be damaged (lights, mirrors, exterior trim etc.).

#### NOTICE

Do not use a power wash system in the engine bay area as it may cause damage.

#### NOTICE

Remove any heavy deposits of mud and dirt with a hose before washing the vehicle.

#### NOTICE

Substances which are corrosive, such as bird droppings and tree resin, can damage the vehicle's paintwork and should be removed as soon as possible.

#### NOTICE

Ensure that you read and comply with all warnings and product instructions supplied with any cleaning products.

#### NOTICE

Never use cleaning products that are not approved for use on vehicles.

#### NOTICE

*Camera lenses must be treated with care. Clean with a low pressure hose and wipe with a damp cloth.* 

Stubborn stains such as tar spots and grease on the paintwork may require the use of Stoddard Solvent. After use, ensure the area is washed with warm soapy water to remove all traces of the solvent.

**Note:** Do not apply polish to any unpainted areas of the bumper mouldings. It will become ingrained in the textured finish.

## SENSORS

#### NOTICE

When washing the vehicle do not aim high pressure water jets directly at any of the sensors. Do not use abrasive materials or hard/sharp objects to clean the sensors. Only use approved vehicle shampoo.

Park assist and Parking aids sensors should be kept clean to maintain accuracy and performance.

# UNDER BODY MAINTENANCE

Regularly flush the underbody with plain water, and pay particular attention to areas where mud and debris collect.

If damage or corrosion are detected, have the vehicle checked by your Retailer as soon as possible.