ON-VEHICLE INSPECTION

1. INSPECT CENTER AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY (VEHICLE NOT INVOLVED IN COLLISION)
   (a) Perform a diagnostic system check (See page RS-36).

2. INSPECT CENTER AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY (VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG HAS NOT DEPLOYED)
   (a) Perform a diagnostic system check (See page RS-36).

3. INSPECT CENTER AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY (VEHICLE INVOLVED IN COLLISION AND AIRBAG HAS DEPLOYED)
   (a) Replace the center airbag sensor assembly.
   CAUTION:
   For center airbag sensor assembly removal and installation procedure, see pages RS-342 and RS-343. Be sure to follow the correct removal and installation procedures.
   HINT:
   The center airbag sensor assembly should be replaced after any of the airbags has deployed, as it has been subjected to the impact.
REMOVAL

1. PRECAUTION
   CAUTION:
   Read "PRECAUTION" thoroughly before servicing
   (See page RS-1).

2. DISCONNECT CABLE FROM NEGATIVE BATTERY TERMINAL
   CAUTION:
   Wait for at least 90 seconds after disconnecting the
   cable to prevent the airbag from working.

3. REMOVE INSTRUMENT PANEL GARNISH LH (See page IP-10)

4. REMOVE INSTRUMENT PANEL GARNISH RH (See page IP-10)

5. REMOVE INTEGRATION CONTROL AND PANEL ASSEMBLY (See page IP-11)

6. REMOVE SHIFT LEVER KNOB SUB-ASSEMBLY (for Manual Transaxle) (See page IP-11)

7. REMOVE SHIFT LEVER KNOB SUB-ASSEMBLY (for 4WD) (See page IP-11)

8. REMOVE PARKING BRAKE HOLE COVER SUB-ASSEMBLY (See page IP-11)

9. REMOVE CONSOLE UPPER REAR PANEL SUB-ASSEMBLY (See page IP-12)

10. REMOVE BOX BOTTOM MAT (See page IP-12)

11. REMOVE FRONT CONSOLE BOX (See page IP-12)

12. REMOVE CONSOLE UPPER PANEL NO.1 GARNISH (See page IP-12)

13. REMOVE INSTRUMENT LOWER COVER SUB-ASSEMBLY (See page IP-13)

14. REMOVE CENTER AIRBAG SENSOR ASSEMBLY
   (a) Disconnect the holder (with connectors) from the
       center airbag sensor assembly.
(b) Remove 3 bolts and the center airbag sensor assembly.