# TIE-ROD END 918619 TECHNICAL INFO NO. 1044

# **VEHICLE MANUFACTURER / MODEL:**

Chrysler, Dodge

PT Cruiser

AFFECTED ARTICLES:		
No.	RUVILLE No.:	OE No.:
1	918619	04762861AA

## Information:

According t o a TÜV Report, alr eady 13% (0.9% on average) of all 3-year old vehicles of this model become conspicuous with defects on the front axle, with the tierod end playing a major role.

Special attention should ther efore be paid to chassis inspections for this vehicle model.

NB!

The enclosed clamping ring must always be used to secure the connection to the axial joint.



Fig. 1: 918619 – Tie-rod end incl. clamping ring and nut

In the course of the on-going further development of our products, the following adjustments have been made to the tie-end of the PT Cruiser:

- Galvanized surface with trivalent chr omium passivation
- Elast olan boot
- Dr op-forged housing

During the changeover period, it is possible for mixed stocks of both versions to occur. Both versions comply with the technical requirements and can be put  $\phi$  unrestricted use for the vehicles stated in the catalogue media.



#### INFORMATION

Corresponding spare parts can be found in our online catalogue at www.ruville.de

Where reference is made to the spare parts numbers of the vehicle manufacturers, this is only for the purposes of comparison.



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