

Freightliner Action Bulletin

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Exciting New Design for the Century Class S/T!

Freightliner is pleased to announce a design change to the Century Class S/T. The Century Class S/T has long been the Safety and Technology leader in the Class 8 truck marketplace and has been in the vanguard position of truck innovation and design. New product improvements will soon be available to make the Century Class S/T an even more efficient truck for both owners and drivers.

New Steel Bumper

The Century S/T's three-piece bumper has been re-designed and re-styled as well. The outside pieces are still manufactured with damage-tolerant plastic. The steel center section now comes with an optional chrome package that sets off the front of the vehicle nicely. To add to the great new looks of the bumper, optional inset fog lamps and amber accent lights are available as well.



Century S/T Headlamp light distribution (low beam)



Current production with 7 inch round sealed beam



New Century composite headlamp

New Grille

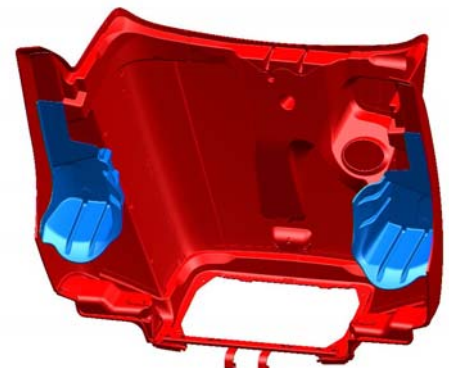
A new grille has been designed to provide sharp good looks and excellent cooling performance. The new chrome grille provides a fresh, new front to the Century Class S/T and greatly enhances the appearance of the truck.

Headlamp Design

Freightliner has improved the headlamp design by replacing the 7-inch round beams with a new composite headlamp providing better light distribution on the road surface. This new design offers a dramatic improvement in night visibility, benefiting driver vision and safety. Industry-wide bulbs are used, protected by a strong polycarbonate lens.

Hood Mounted Splash Shields

The forward under hood splash shields will now be mounted on the hood itself instead of the chassis. These splash shields still provide the excellent protection of the engine compartment from splash, spray, debris and fender star cracking from rocks, but now, when the hood is tilted, the inner-fenders move out of the way of the service technician. This makes routine servicing of the engine easier and reduces maintenance time and cost.



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Overall Look - Superb!

Freightliner design engineers have incorporated these excellent product enhancements into an exciting, new overall look for the Century Class S/T. Its new, bold appearance will turn heads as this new Century Class S/T moves down the highway!



Existing Design

New Design

Data Codes

- 311-001 Daytime Running Lights
- 312-050 Halogen Composite Headlamps
- 312-051 Halogen Composite Headlamps with Bright Trim Rings (optional)
- 315-036 Freightliner 4" Round Clear Fog Lights (SAE F) Recessed in Bumper (optional)
- 305-027 2.5" Round Accent Lights Mounted in Bumper (optional)
- 556-1CR Aerodynamic Dark Gray Bumper with Silver-Gray Center Section
- 556-1CT Aerodynamic Body Color Bumper with Chrome Center Section (optional)
- 646-010 Chrome Grill with Integral Surround
- 764-014 One-piece fiberglass exterior sun visor (Included with SleeperCabs)