



# SERVICE LETTER

SOUTH BEND 27, INDIANA

**SUBJECT** REGISTRATION AND LICENSING DATA:  
1958 PACKARD MODELS

**NUMBER** P-4B

**DATE** Mar. 7, 1958

This letter cancels and supersedes Service Letters P4 dated Nov. 7, 1958 and P-4A dated Dec. 18, 1957.

It contains registration and licensing data as well as factory list prices and shipping weights applicable to the 1958 PACKARD models with standard equipment.

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| MODEL  |   | STARTING IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS |                   |
|--------|---|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| SYMBOL | Name  | (1) car Serial Number           | (2) Engine Number |
| 58L    | Packard Hawk<br>Packard sedan and station wagon | 58LS-1001<br>58L-6101           | LS-5201<br>L-101  |

| SPECIFICATIONS   |               |        |                                      |                  |           |
|------------------|---------------|--------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| No. of cylinders | cylinder Bore | Stroke | Piston Displacement                  | (3) Taxable H.P. | Tire size |
| 8                | 3 9/16"       | 3 5/8" | 289 Cu. in.<br>(58L-K9 Supercharged) | 40.6             | 8.00 x 14 |

| BODY TYPE                     | SYMBOL | PASSENGER CAPACITY | (4) LIST PRICE | (5) SHIPPING WEIGHT |
|-------------------------------|--------|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Packard Hawk - sport Hardtop  | 58L-K9 | 5                  | 3660.00        | 3470                |
| Packard - 2 Dr. Hardtop       | 58L-J8 | 6                  | 2979.00        | 3480                |
| Packard - 4 Dr. Station wagon | 58L-P8 | 6                  | 3092.00        | 3555                |
| Packard - 4 Dr. Sedan         | 58L-Y8 | 6                  | 2932.00        | 3505                |

| (6) ADDITIONAL WEIGHT                |                                |                    |                        |                |                          |             |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| Body Symbol                          | Water, Engine Oil and Gasoline | OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT |                        |                |                          |             |
|                                      |                                | Air Conditioner    | Overdrive Transmission | Power Steering | Climatizer and Defroster | Radio       |
| 58L-K9<br>58L-J8<br>58L-P8<br>58L-Y8 | All<br>159 lbs.                | All<br>90 lbs.     | All 14 lbs.            | All<br>60 lbs. | All 30 lbs.              | All 16 lbs. |

#### EXPLANATION

- SERIAL NUMBER (IDENTIFICATION NUMBER) — The serial number plate of the 1958 Model Packard cars will be found attached to the left front hinge pillar post.
- ENGINE NUMBER — The engine number is on a machined pad at the left of the oil filler tube mounting on top of the cylinder block.
- TAXABLE HORSEPOWER RATING — The taxable horsepower ratings used herein are derived by the following formula: the cylinder bore squared, multiplied by the number of cylinders, divided by 2.5.
- LIST PRICES — The prices shown are factory list prices effective December 9, 1957 and apply to the models indicated with standard equipment. All prices published in this letter are subject to change without notice.
- SHIPPING WEIGHTS — The shipping weights indicated herein are for vehicles with standard equipment only and exclude water, engine oil, and gasoline.
- READY FOR ROAD WEIGHT — The approximate ready-for-road weights may be determined by adding to the indicated shipping weights the weight shown for water, engine oil, and gasoline and the weight of the items of optional equipment on the car.