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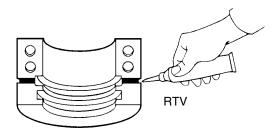
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PRIOR TO INSTALLING THE REAR MAIN BEARING CAP fill grooves of the mating surface of the cap to the block with RTV.

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REINSTALL CAPTO CYLINDER BLOCK. Torque to OEM specifications.

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Positive Intake

Umbrella Exhaust

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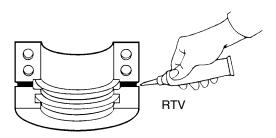
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