Once you have adjusted the driver's seat, steering column (see 23, ADJUSTING THE STEERING WHEEL), and exterior mirrors (see 56, EXTERIOR MIRRORS) the vehicle can memorize these settings using the driver memory buttons.

Once the passenger seat has been adjusted, these settings can be memorized using the passenger memory buttons.

To memorize a setting:

- 1. Press the memory set button to activate the memory function.
- Press one of the preset buttons within 5 seconds to memorize the current settings. For the driver's settings, a confirmation will be displayed in the Message center accompanied by an audible chime to confirm the settings have been memorized.

A seat position can only be memorized during the 5 second period.

Any existing settings for a memory preset will be over written when programming a memory position.

RECALLING A MEMORIZED POSITION

Before activating the seat memory, make sure that the area immediately surrounding the seat is clear of obstructions and that all occupants are clear of moving parts.

Press the appropriate memory preset button. For the driver's settings, a confirmation will be displayed in the Message center.

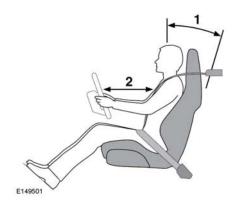
RESTRICTED SEAT TRAVEL

If an obstruction is encountered while the seat is in motion, the seat will stop moving and further movement will be restricted until reset.

To reset the seat:

- 1. Remove the obstruction.
- 2. Adjust the seat to the point where movement is restricted.
- **3.** Press and hold the switch for at least 2 seconds to override the restriction.

SITTING IN THE CORRECT POSITION



AWARNING

Never adjust the driver's seat while the vehicle is moving. Any sudden or unexpected movement of the seat could cause you to lose control of the vehicle resulting in an accident.

The seat (with its integrated head restraint), seat belt, and air bags, work together as a system to enhance occupant protection. Correct use of these components will give you greater protection, therefore, you should observe the following points:

 Sit in an upright position with the base of your spine as far back as possible. To achieve optimum benefit of the seat belt in the event of an accident, do not recline the seat excessively.

- 2. Do not move the driver's seat too close to the steering wheel. A minimum distance of 10 inches (254 mm) is recommended between the breastbone and the steering wheel air bag cover. Hold the steering wheel in the correct position with your arms slightly bent.
- Position the seat belt so that it crosses your chest, midway between your neck and your shoulder. Fit the strap tightly across your hips; not across your stomach.

Make sure that your driving position is comfortable and enables you to maintain full control of the vehicle.

AWARNING

Do not sit or lean unnecessarily close to the air bag. An inflating air bag can cause serious injury, or even death. Always fasten your seat belt properly and position the seat so that you can sit as far back as possible from the air bag and still comfortably reach all controls.