STEERING COLUMN LOCK

Your vehicle may be fitted with an electronic steering column lock, which locks and unlocks in conjunction with the vehicle's locking system. It also locks automatically, after a time delay, when the ignition is switched off and the Smart key is removed from the vehicle.

During vehicle recovery, a Smart key must remain inside the vehicle, so that the electronic steering column lock remains unlocked. See **256, RECOVERY METHOD**.

Any malfunction of the steering column lock is indicated by the message **Steering Column Locked** displayed in the Message centre. If this occurs:

1. Lock and then unlock the vehicle using the Smart key.
2. Try again to unlock the steering column lock, by turning the steering wheel gently to the left and right.

   Note: *This situation may occur if the steering column is under load,.e.g, if the vehicle is parked with the steering on full lock, the steering wheel position may inadvertently press a front tyre against a kerb, etc.*

If the problem persists, seek qualified assistance immediately.

OPENING AND CLOSING THE LUGGAGE COMPARTMENT

While the luggage compartment is open, the locking latch is exposed. Do not attempt to manually close the latch, as it may also automatically soft-close and trap items or body parts.

Make sure there is sufficient space above and at the rear of the vehicle, before operating the luggage compartment. Insufficient opening space may result in damage to the vehicle.

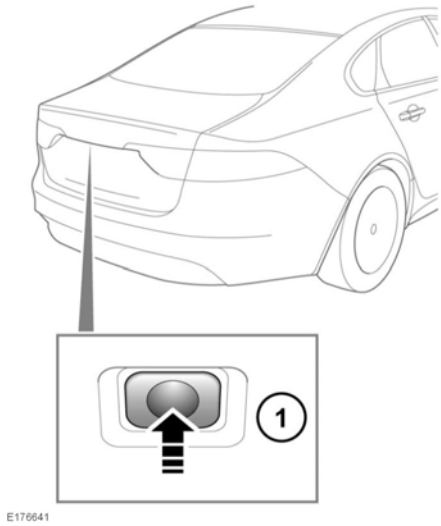
Do not operate the luggage compartment if a cycle rack is fitted. Remove any cycles and/or racks before opening the luggage compartment.

The vehicle must not be driven with the luggage compartment lid unlatched and not completely closed.

If the luggage compartment automatically re-opens after a closing attempt, do not repeatedly attempt to close it as this may cause the latch mechanism to overheat. Unlock all of the doors and the luggage compartment with the Smart key. Make sure that all of the doors, the bonnet, and the luggage compartment are completely closed and then lock the vehicle again with the Smart key.

The Smart key may not be detected if it is placed within a metal container, or if it is shielded by a device with a back-lit LCD screen, such as a smart phone, laptop (including in a laptop bag), games console, etc.

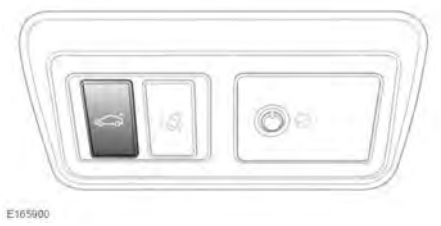
Any items placed in the luggage compartment should be arranged to allow the lid to be completely closed and securely latched.



1. Luggage compartment release switch: Press to release and then lift to open.

The luggage compartment can also be released using the following methods:

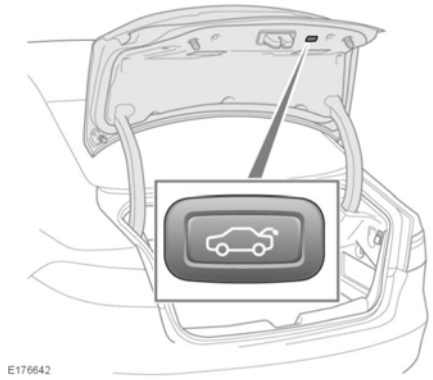
- The Smart key release button.
- The interior release switch.



To close the luggage compartment, lower the lid to the fully latched/closed position.

Powered luggage compartments

A powered luggage compartment is released and opened with a press of the interior release switch, or the Smart key button. If there is a second press during the opening, movement of the lid stops. When the lid is fully open, press the switch or Smart key button again to close. As the closing lid reaches its lowest position, it automatically soft-closes to the fully closed position.



Powered luggage compartments can also be closed by pressing the luggage compartment close switch

If an object is detected that would interfere with a luggage compartment closing, movement stops and then reverses to the fully open position, if able to do so. An audible warning is given to indicate a mislock. Remove any obstructions and press the switch again to close the luggage compartment.

Note: *If a valid Smart key cannot be detected within 1 m of the rear of the vehicle, an audible warning sounds to indicate a mislock and the luggage compartment re-opens after approximately three seconds.*