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door for chew marks, fraying, or gaps. Installing a new B&D-compatible; weather seal helps close off these entry points, making your garage less inviting to unwelcome guests. 5. Increased Noise or Vibrations When Closing A good weather seal cushions your garage door as it meets the floor, helping it close quietly and smoothly. When the seal hardens, warps, or wears unevenly, you may hear rattling or feel vibration through the door on closing. Not only is this noisier, but it can also cause unnecessary strain on the door mechanism over time. Replacing the seal with a fresh, B&D-specific; fit helps keep your door operating quietly and efficiently, while maintaining a neat, finished look from the street. Quick Reference: Common Seal Issues and Solutions Problem Likely cause Recommended fix Cracks or brittleness UV damage and age Replace with a new B&D; weather seal Water entry after rain Flattened or misshapen seal Fit a fresh, full-length seal Drafts or temperature swings Gaps from seal wear Install new seal; consider insulation Pests in the garage Noisy closing Chewed or frayed seal Hardened or uneven seal Replace seal; check for side gaps Replace with correct B&D; profile seal Garage Door Weather Seal FAQs How often should I replace my garage door weather seal? Most seals last several years, but it depends on your local climate and usage. Inspect yours annually for cracks, gaps, or hardening. Can I replace the seal myself? For the best fit and lasting performance, we recommend using a B&D; accredited dealer. They'll supply and fit the correct seal for your specific roller or sectional door, ensuring you maintain your 10-Year Total Confidence Warranty Do B&D; weather seals fit all garage doors? They're designed to suit B&D; doors for optimal performance. If you have another brand, a dealer can advise on compatibility. A worn weather seal might seem minor, but it plays a big role in protecting your garage from the elements, improving comfort, and helping your B&D; door run smoothly. Find your local B&D; Accredited Dealer and arrange an inspection today. Contact us 13 62 63 13 62 63 Mon - Fri 8am-6pm AEST Head Office: 6-8 Fiveways Boulevard, Keysborough VIC 3173 Quick links Trade Resources Trade Resources Residential Garage Doors Residential Garage Doors Roller Doors Roller Doors Sectional Doors Sectional Doors Designer Finishes Designer Finishes Commercial Doors Commercial Doors Openers and Remotes Openers and Remotes Safety & Security Upgrades Safety & Security Upgrades Garage Door AUTO LOCK <sup>TM</sup> Garage Door AUTO LOCK <sup>TM</sup> Need Help? Get A FREE Quote Get A FREE Quote Price Guide Price Guide Garage Door Repair Garage Door Repair Garage Door Service Garage Door Service Find a Dealer Near Me Find a Dealer Near Me Garage Doors Blog Garage Doors Blog How-To Guide How-To Guide Product Manuals Product Manuals Garage Door Visualiser Garage Door Visualiser Frequently Asked Questions Frequently Asked Questions Australian Cybersecurity Act Statement of Compliance Australian Cybersecurity Act Statement of Compliance Product Support and Security Update Periods Product Support and Security Update Periods Repairs & Service Melbourne Garage Door Repairs Melbourne Garage Door Repairs Sydney Garage Door Repairs Sydney Garage Door Repairs Brisbane Garage Door Repairs Brisbane Garage Door Repairs Gold Coast Garage Door Repairs Gold Coast Garage Door Repairs Perth Garage Door Repairs Perth Garage Door Repairs Adelaide Garage Door Repairs Adelaide Garage Door Repairs Canberra Garage Door Repairs Canberra Garage Door Repairs Hobart Garage Door Repairs Hobart Garage Door Repairs Our Locations Melbourne Melbourne Sydney Sydney Brisbane Brisbane Gold Coast Gold Coast Adelaide Adelaide Perth Perth Canberra Canberra Hobart Hobart © 2026 B&D; Doors & Openers A division of B&D; Australia Pty Ltd. ABN 25 010 473 971. All rights reserved. About Us Privacy Policy Privacy Collection Statement User Terms Condition of Sale Careers Sitemap 13 62 63 Get A FREE Quote