Is Your Vehicle Ready to Drive?

Tie-rod Ends The wheels need to be lifted off the ground to

correctly check the tie-rod ends, so it cannot be done in the pre-drive inspection. To have the tie-rod ends

properly inspected, see your dealer.

Be sure items in the cargo bed are within the cargo Cargo

limit and are properly secured to prevent shifting

(pages 78, 79).

Seat Position Make sure the driver seat is secured in the proper seat

position. If necessary, adjust the seat position

(page 54).

Seat Belts Make sure all seat belts are in good condition and

> operate properly. The seat belts must move smoothly when pulled out, and retract on their own when

released.

The latch plates should click securely into the buckles and release when the release buttons are pushed firmly.

Side Nets Make sure all side nets and their mounting hardware

are in good condition and that they latch and tighten

securely.