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Subject: Re: Troubleshooting a 250 model 1 Bass amp  
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Great news! Glad that you were able to revive it.

The front lamps in the switches are #335 bulbs. The front blue lens assemblies pull out and the bulbs are screwed in underneath. You might find it easier to replace the bulbs if you get a short piece of rubber tubing or heat shrink that can be pressed over the bulb's glass for a better grip.

The important warning here is that the power switches are made entirely of plastic. Plastic that has become very brittle from age. The threaded mounting sleeve that holds the switch to the metal bracket will break off from the body of the switch making the switch inoperative. So do not stress the wires or pry too hard to get the lens off as the plastic will break. If the plastic breaks, you can use two cable ties to secure the switch assembly to the mounting bracket, but be aware that the switches are difficult if not impossible to replace.

Congrats again on the repair.

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