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We give a condition for a pair of unknotting tunnels of a non-trivial tunnel number one link to give a genus three Heegaard splitting of the link complement and show that every 2-bridge link has such a pair of unknotting tunnels. (Received December 20, 2004)