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ADVANCED AEROSPACE DESIGNS **(AAD) VIGIL CUTTERS**

Advanced Aerospace Designs issued Product Service Bulletin PSB 01-2015 on 9th of November 2015. This follows their concerns that some Vigil unit loop cutters, manufactured between March 2015 and July 2015, could have rough edges inside which may damage the reserve closure loop.

Any cutters found to be affected by PSB 01-2015 must be sent back to Advanced Aerospace Designs for a manufacturer's inspection. Additionally any reserve container closure loops in containers that have used affected cutters must be replaced.

In the "Compliance Time Limits" section of Advanced Aerospace Designs PSB 01-2015, a distinction is made between required timings of actions depending on where the cutter is located in a rig.

However, at the Riggers Subcommittee meeting of 19th of November 2015, it was agreed that for any equipment affected by Advanced Aerospace Designs PSB 01-2015, compliance is immediate, and independent of where the cutter is located in a rig. Therefore, affected cutters should be replaced **PRIOR TO THE NEXT JUMP.**

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