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VENDOR SERVICE PUBLICATION

TO: All Piper International Distributors, Domestic Sales Dealers, Factory Direct Dealers, Parts Distributors, and Piper Field Service Facilities

SUBJECT: Aeroquip Service Bulletin 001R1 "Recall of Aeroquip 601 Hose"

PURPOSE: To distribute the attached Aeroquip Service Bulletin No. 001R1 to all Piper Distributors, Sales Dealers, Factory Direct Dealers, Parts Distributors, and Piper Field Service Facilities.

The attached Aeroquip Service Bulletin No. 001R1 may affect hoses installed on Piper aircraft models as listed below. These hoses should be identified as per the Aeroquip Service Bulletin Instructions and removed from service if required. (For detailed location of the hoses on the applicable model aircraft refer to the appropriate Piper Parts Manual.)

All Aeroquip 601 hoses, as outlined in the Aeroquip Service Bulletin are suspect, including, but not limited to those listed below. All claims should be submitted to Aeroquip. See the attached Aeroquip Service Bulletin No. 001R1 for details.

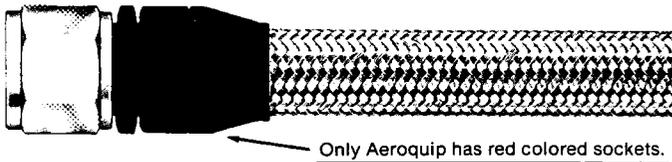
| <u>PIPER P/N</u> | <u>AIRCRAFT MODEL</u> | <u>LOCATION</u> |
|------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| 80026-003 | PA-31T Series | Engine Fuel, Nacelle Area |
| 80026-004 | PA-31T Series | Engine Fuel, Nacelle Area |
| 39995-026 | PA-31T Series | Engine Fuel, Nacelle Area |
| 41230-004 | PA-31-350 Series | Fuel, Wing Root Area |
| 41230-004 | PA-31 Series | Fuel, Wing Root Area |
| 565-722 | PA-42 | Brake, Main Landing Gear |
| 565-722 | PA-42-720 | Brake, Main Landing Gear |
| 565-722 | PA-42-720R | Brake, Main Landing Gear |

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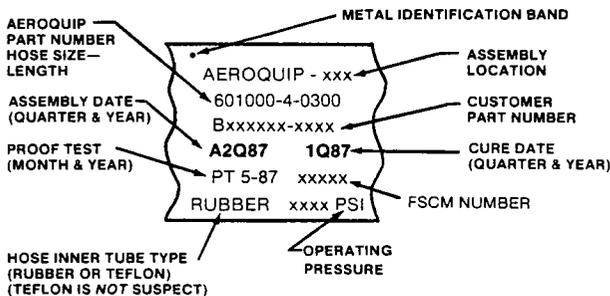
GENERAL AVIATION ALERT NOTICE RECALL OF AEROQUIP 601 HOSE

Aeroquip is presently recalling certain specified 601 hose assemblies. The suspect hose assemblies consist of Aeroquip 601 hose with rubber cure dates from 1Q84 through 3Q87. This hose could have been installed on any General Aviation or experimental aircraft from April 1984 through May 1988.



Aeroquip requests that any aircraft owners/operators who have installed hoses during the above-identified time period do the following:

- Immediately inspect the aircraft for any Aeroquip hoses. Aeroquip-produced hose assemblies are identified with a metal identification band.



- Any Aeroquip 601 type hose assemblies that are identified with 1Q84 through 3Q87 hose cure date are suspect and should be removed. The cure dates may be shown CD1Q84 through CD3Q87.
- If the hose cure dates are not shown, then Aeroquip 601 type hose assemblies identified with an assembly date of A2Q84 through A2Q88 should be removed. If assembly date is shown in month and year, remove all assemblies with assembly date April 1984 through May 1988.
- The Aeroquip 601-3 hose is *not* suspect.

• The Aeroquip 601 type hose assemblies could be identified in the following ways:

- • "AE" prefix (except AE701xxx)
 Examples: AE1010188, AE705609-1

- • 601xxx or 620xxx
 Examples:

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| 601000-x-xxxx | 601126-x-xxxx | 620111-x-xxxx |
| 601001-x-xxxx | 601173-x-xxxx | 620112-x-xxxx |
| 601002-x-xxxx | 601180-x-xxxx | 620113-x-xxxx |
| 601003-x-xxxx | 601181-x-xxxx | 620115-x-xxxx |
| 601005-x-xxxx | 601378-x-xxxx | 620116-x-xxxx |
| 601017-x-xxxx | 601490-x-xxxx | 620117-x-xxxx |
| 601019-x-xxxx | 601497-x-xxxx | 620118-x-xxxx |
| 601032-x-xxxx | 620100-x-xxxx | 620119-x-xxxx |
| 601040-x-xxxx | 620102-x-xxxx | 620120-x-xxxx |
| 601051-x-xxxx | 620103-x-xxxx | 620121-x-xxxx |
| 601053-x-xxxx | 620104-x-xxxx | 620122-x-xxxx |
| 601054-x-xxxx | 620105-x-xxxx | 620123-x-xxxx |
| 601055-x-xxxx | 620106-x-xxxx | 620124-x-xxxx |
| 601056-x-xxxx | 620107-x-xxxx | 620125-x-xxxx |
| 601057-x-xxxx | 620108-x-xxxx | 620126-x-xxxx |
| 601065-x-xxxx | 620109-x-xxxx | 620144-x-xxxx |
| 601086-x-xxxx | 620110-x-xxxx | |

• Aeroquip 601 type bulk hose could be identified by a white label with FSCM "50556" in red print. Labels with black print and FSCM "06827" are not suspect regardless of cure date. If there is no label or it is illegible, the hose is to be considered suspect.

• All hose assemblies identified with an AE701xxx()xxxx part number are *not* suspect and should *not* be removed unless, upon inspection and/or performance of routine maintenance, a problem with the hose is identified.

• If the hose assembly has no band or it is illegible and can be identified as an Aeroquip hose, the hose assembly should be removed and replaced if it was installed from April 1984 through May 1988.

• This notice *does not* apply to Gulfstream Aircraft, Bell Helicopter or McDonnell Douglas Helicopter Model 500. Separate service bulletins will be issued for operators of Gulfstream Aircraft, Bell Helicopter and McDonnell Douglas Helicopter Model 500.

When the suspect hose assemblies have been identified, contact one of the authorized Aeroquip distributors identified on the reverse side of this Alert Notice, and provide that Aeroquip distributor with the following information:

- Owner's Name:
- Address:
- Phone Number:
- Aircraft Registration Number:
- Hose Assembly, Part Number or Description:

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The authorized Aeroquip distributor will send you replacement hose assemblies. Complete instructions informing you how to return the suspect hose assemblies to the Aeroquip distributor will be included with the replacement hose assemblies. You will be billed by the distributor for the replacement hose assemblies and subsequently credited for the full amount when the distributor receives the removed suspect hose assemblies.

For each hose assembly which you return, consistent with the procedures contained in this bulletin, Aeroquip will pay you fifteen dollars (\$15.00 U.S.) towards replacement expenses.

If there are any questions or if you are unable to contact one of the authorized Aeroquip distributors, then contact Aeroquip at 1-800-541-1696. (U.S. only - Non U.S. locations use TELEX No. 223412)

This offer for no-charge replacement hose assemblies expires December 19, 1989.

AEROQUIP HOSE SHOPS

Aero Hardware & Supply, Inc.
4301 N.W. 36th Street
Miami Springs, FL 33166
Phone: 305-883-8424

Airparts
5801 West Harry
P.O. Box 12370
Wichita, KS 67277
Phone: 316-943-2377

Fournier Rubber & Supply Company
1341 Norton Avenue
P.O. Box 265
Columbus, OH 43216
Phone: 614-294-6453

Herber Aircraft Service, Inc.
124 Center Street
El Segundo, CA 90245
Phone: 213-322-9575

Hoses Unlimited, Inc.
618 Doolittle Drive
San Leandro, CA 94577
Phone: 415-632-4477

Piedmont Aviation Supply
3820 North Liberty Street
Winston-Salem, NC 27102
Phone: 919-767-5993

Superior Air Parts, Inc.
15800 Midway Road
Dallas, TX 75244
Phone: 214-991-8364

Varga Enterprises, Inc.
2350 South Airport Blvd.
Chandler, AZ 85249
Phone: 602-963-6936

Nelson-Dunn, Inc.
940 South Vail Avenue
Montebello, CA 90640
Phone: 213-724-3705

Alamo Accessories, Inc.
10843 Vandale
San Antonio, TX 78216
Phone: 512-349-9721

Omaha Airplane Supply
Eppley Airfield
Omaha, NE 68119
Phone: 402-422-6666