

## FLITELINE SYSTEMS

**SERVICE BULLETIN:** #FSI-SB-1003

**DATE:** DECEMBER 27, 1996

**SUBJECT:** REFLEX MAIN RISER COVER

**STATUS:** MANDATORY

**BACKGROUND:**

There have been three reports from the field where REFLEX owners experienced delayed main riser cover release during normal deployment. Fliteline Systems, Inc. was notified and the REFLEX harness/containers were returned to the factory for further testing. Testing identified a variance in the stiffness of the ballistic cloth used in the riser covers. Under certain conditions this can cause the riser cover to experience a high friction release or remain closed.

**IDENTIFICATION:**

REFLEX harness/container P/N RA01-1 () and RS01-1 ().  
Serial numbers 000228 - 000301 inclusive, 000312, 000313, 000322, and 000330.

**SERVICE BULLETIN:**

A modification to the reserve top flap/riser cover assembly has been developed to rectify this issue. If the user experiences any hesitation or riser release problems contact Fliteline Systems immediately.

Owners of REFLEX systems affected by this Service Bulletin may return them to Fliteline Systems, Inc. for modification. This will be done at NO CHARGE by FSI.

**COMPLIANCE DATE:** January 31, 1997

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