



SERVICE BULLETIN

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SUBJECT:	ANTRON FABRIC WEAVE SEPARATION				
STATUS:	<u>MANDATORY</u>				

IDENTIFICATION:

ANTRON FABRIC IN NAVY BLUE AND SILVER. THIS IS LIMITED TO FABRIC LOT NUMBERS 4575, 4797 AND 5978. THERE ARE ONLY 20 CONTAINERS, TALON AND FLEXON, THAT ARE AFFECTED BY THIS SERVICE BULLETIN. SEE ATTACHMENT A.

BACKGROUND:

Antron fabric has been in use by Rigging Innovations since 1989. Since that time, several hundred systems have been built in Antron with no problems. However, two lots of fabric were received that have since been shown to have substandard urethane coating. Consequently we have had failure of the fabric in the field. This failure is noted by weave separation adjacent to load bearing seams and/or de-lamination of the coating on the inside of the fabric.

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Inspect any Talon or Flexon that falls within the serial number list for any sign of fabric weave separation or de-lamination of the urethane coating on the inside of the fabric. Any containers that show signs of either problem must be returned to the manufacturer for disposition.

COMPLIANCE DATE: IMMEDIATELY

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DISTRIBUTION:

- ALL RIGGING INNOVATIONS DEALERS.
- ALL CUSTOMERS OF RECORD FOR AFFECTED SYSTEMS.

ATTACHMENT: (If applicable, follows) Attachment A

RIGGING INNOVATIONS INC.

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ATTACHMENT A

SERIAL NUMBER

MODEL FLEXON

0045F

0049F

0059F

0069F

0085F

0125F

0126F

0155F

0184F

0185F

0187F

5978

5979

5980

5981

5982

5994

6002

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