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Subject: Parts manufactured by General Design, Inc. and Beechcraft [now known as the Hawker Beechcraft Corporation] that have been improperly maintained or overhauled and approved for return to service.

Ref. Publication: FAA Unapproved Parts Notification (UPN) No. 2008-200500171 dated 8 May 2008.

Description: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has published the referenced UPN (attached as pages 2 and 3 of this bulletin) as a result of an investigation that revealed that DC motors manufactured by General Design, Inc., and main landing gear actuator assemblies manufactured by Beechcraft, were improperly maintained or overhauled and approved for return to service, contrary to the regulations.

Applicability: Parts held as spares and identified in the attached FAA UPN; and any aircraft which have the affected parts, as identified in the attached FAA UPN, installed.
The FAA has not determined the full range of aircraft type designs on which these components are (intended to be) installed.

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