



## EASA Safety Information Bulletin

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**Subject:** Aircraft Parts with Fraudulently Produced Documents that include FAA Airworthiness Tags and traceability documents.

**Ref. Publication:** FAA Unapproved Parts Notification (UPN) No. 2008-200700111 dated 23 May 2008.

**Description:** The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has published the referenced UPN (attached as pages 2 through 7 of this bulletin) as a result of an investigation that revealed that aircraft parts have been sold, using fraudulently produced documents that include FAA airworthiness approval tags and traceability documents.

After reviewing the available information, EASA concurs with and fully supports the FAA recommendations contained in the UPN. This SIB is published to ensure that aircraft owners, operators, manufacturers, maintenance organisations, parts suppliers, and parts distributors in Europe are aware of these recommendations.

**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 parts are (intended to be) installed.

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