

BUREAU VERITAS

AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

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Inspections and/or modifications described below are mandatory. No person may operate a product to which this Airworthiness Directive applies except in accordance with the requirements of this Airworthiness Directive.

Translation of "Consigne de Navigabilité"
Réf. : 86-70-45(B)
In case of any difficulty, reference should
be made to the French original issue.

AEROSPATIALE HELICOPTERS AS 350 B, D

Fuel filter drain

The present Airworthiness Directive applies to AEROSPATIALE AS 350-B, -D Helicopters, all serial numbers.

In order to prevent fuel leaks at the fuel system filter drains, perform the operations described below each time a drain is operated, from the effective date of the present Airworthiness directive :

- 1 - Pull down the drain valve element to ensure that it is correctly seated in its initial position.
- 2 - Switch on the fuel pumps and check that the drain valve is leaktight.

Compliance with modification AMS 07-1671 makes the above steps unnecessary.

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