

AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

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Inspection 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'
ref.: 88-188-024(B)R1
In case of any difficulty, reference should
be made to the French original issue.

EUROCOPTER FRANCE

SA 365 N Helicopters

Tripod

The present Airworthiness Directive applies to all SA 365 N helicopters fitted with tripod P/N 360A23-0024-09.

Subsequent to the discovery of a crack generated by corrosion at the root of one of the three tripod arms, the following measures are rendered mandatory :

- within the next 50 flying hours from the effective date of this Airworthiness Directive, visually check the junction of the three arms on the tripod ring assembly by complying with MET work card 53-10-00-605 ;
- repeat this check at intervals of no more than 18 months ;
- if a crack is detected, replace the tripod as per MET work card 53-10-00-403 before resuming flights.

Ref. : EUROCOPTER FRANCE SA 365 N Telex Service N° 01.28b

The present Revision 1 replaces the original AD 88-188-024(B) dated December 28, 1988.

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