## **EASA AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE** AD No.: 2006 - 0128 Date: 18 May 2006 No person may operate an aircraft to which an Airworthiness Directive applies, except in accordance with the requirements of that Airworthiness Directive unless otherwise agreed with the Authority of the State of Registry. Type/Model designation(s): Type Approval Holder's Name: BAE SYSTEMS (OPERATIONS) LTD HP 137 Jetstream MK 1, Jetstream Series 200, 3100 and 3200 TCDS Number: UK BA4 & BA15 Foreign AD: None Supersedure: None Landing Gear – Introduction of a Steering Jack With a Modified Gland **ATA 32** Housing Handley Page Ltd, Scottish Aviation Ltd, British Aerospace PLC, British Aerospace Manufacturer(s): (Commercial Aircraft) Ltd, British Aerospace Regional Aircraft Ltd, Jetstream Aircraft Ltd and British Aerospace (Operations) Ltd. All Models HP137 Jetstream Mark 1, Jetstream Series 200, 3100 and 3200 Applicability: aeroplanes. Reason: Two incidents have been reported where the normal hydraulic supplies were lost due to failure/loss of the steering jack gland housing. This has been attributed to pre-existing thread damage on the steering jack gland housing. Three previous failures may also be due to this failure mechanism. Failure of the steering jack gland housing resulted in significant damage to the right hand undercarriage bay door, and could result in the nose landing gear jamming in a fully or partially retracted position. Landing in such a condition is considered as potentially unsafe due to the degraded control of the aircraft post touch down. Changes to the gland have been introduced in order to prevent further recurrence. Effective Date: 01 June 2006

Compliance:	After 1st July 2006 and prior to 1st July 2012, following the next removal for overhaul of steering jack part number 6182-1 to 6182-5 install a serviceable steering jack in accordance with Service Bulletin 32-JM5417 at Original Issue or later approved revision.
Ref. Publications:	Jetstream Series 3100 & 3200 Service Bulletin 32-JM5417 Original Issue or later approved revisions.
Remarks :	If requested and appropriately substantiated the responsible EASA manager for the related product has the authority to accept Alternative Methods of Compliance (AMOCs) for this AD.
	<ol> <li>This AD was posted as PAD 06-086 for consultation on 05 April 2006 with a comment period until 01 May 2006. No comment was raised during the consultation period.</li> </ol>
	3. Enquiries regarding this Airworthiness Directive should be referred to Mr M. Capaccio, Airworthiness Directive Focal Point – Certification Directorate, EASA. E-mail: <a href="mailto:ADs@easa.europa.eu">ADs@easa.europa.eu</a> .
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