

	<p>The part manufacturer Kidde Graviner has introduced a design change to remove the root cause of the possible failure.</p> <p>This AD requires to modify all potentially defective fire extinguishers.</p>
Effective Date:	23 March 2012
Required Action(s) and Compliance Time(s):	<p>Required as indicated, unless accomplished previously:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Within 6 months after the effective date of this AD, modify the fire extinguisher in accordance with the instructions of Kidde Graviner Service Bulletin (SB) A26-081 Rev. 1. (2) After the effective date of this AD, do not install any fire extinguisher with P/N mentioned in the Applicability section of this AD on an aeroplane, unless it has been modified in compliance with the requirements of this AD. (3) Fire extinguisher modifications accomplished, before the effective date of this AD, in accordance with Kidde Graviner Service Bulletin A26-081 original issue, are acceptable to comply with the requirements of paragraph (1) of this AD. After the effective date of this AD, Kidde Graviner Service Bulletin A26-081 Rev. 1 must be used.
Ref. Publications:	<p>Kidde Graviner Service Bulletin A26-081 Rev. 1 dated 31 January 2012.</p> <p>The use of later approved revisions of this document is acceptable for compliance with the requirements of this AD.</p>
Remarks:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If requested and appropriately substantiated, EASA can approve Alternative Methods of Compliance for this AD. 2. This AD was posted on 17 November 2011 as PAD 11-122 for consultation until 15 December 2011. The Comment Response Document can be found at http://ad.easa.europa.eu/. 3. Enquiries regarding this AD should be referred to the Safety Information Section, Executive Directorate, EASA. E-mail: ADs@easa.europa.eu. 4. For any question concerning the technical content of the requirements in this AD, please contact: Kidde Graviner Limited, Tony Carroll, Mathisen Way Colnbrook, Slough, Berkshire, SL3 0HB, United Kingdom Telephone +44 (0) 1753 683245 , Fax +44 (0) 1753 685040; E-mail: Tony.Carroll@hs.utc.com.