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AESP 2320-D-128-811 Mod Instruction No.8

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TRUCK UTILITY LIGHT (TUL) HS

TRUCK UTILITY MEDIUM (TUM) HS

AND (TUM) AMBULANCE HS

MODIFICATION INSTRUCTION No 8

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AMENDMENT RECORD

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SUBJECT: Input/output Porthole for communications/power cables installation. (Approval No LSTP 12-6665)

INTRODUCTION

- 1 This instruction details the fitting of an input/output facility for communications/power cables.
 - 1.1 Limitations on use of equipment. Nil

APPLICABILITY

- 2 Truck Utility Light (TUL) HS FFR, Truck Utility Medium (TUM) HS FFR vehicles only.
 - 2.1 Fitted to all equipment held by user units.
 - 2.2 Unmodified stock, held at all levels of technical storage.

REASON FOR MODIFICATION

3 Code 2 - to improve operational performance

PRIORITY

4 Army: Routine RAF: Class 3

ESTIMATED TIME REQUIRED

5 Embodiment: 2 man-hours

MODIFICATION IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

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- 6.1 This modification is to be implemented by:
 - ARMY Units authorised to carry out levels 2, 3 and 4 maintenance.
 - RAF Units not later than the next routine maintenance and Vehicles depots before the next issue of vehicle.
- 6.2 Associated modification instructions. Nil
- 6.3 Modification plate strike action: NA

Action required by

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- 7.1 Units and establishments holding equipment.
 - 7.1.1 Examine vehicle documents to see if modification is applicable.
 - 7.1.2 Examine equipment or modification record plate to see if modification is embodied and where necessary Units with level 2 REME Support demand the stores required.
 - 7.1.3 ARMY On receipt of stores, request REME to modify equipment.
 - 7.1.4 ARMY Record the modification subject and AESP number in equipment documents.
 - 7.1.5 RAF Record modification details on AF G1084A and Form 4870. Units operating STAMA are also to record modification details on ADP MTMS job Certification Sheet and to follow the procedures laid down in AP 100C-08A.
- 7.2 Army units authorised to carry out levels 2,3 and 4 maintenance and RAF units.
 - 7.2.1 ARMY When requested by users or during overhaul of equipments on charge without REME level 2 Support, obtain the items listed in Para 8 and carry out this modification.
 - 7.2.2 RAF On receipt of stores, embody modification.
 - 7.2.3 Record completion details of modification against appropriate entry in equipment documents.
 - 7.2.4 Complete AF G1084A when reporting completion of the modification to FORWARD (RAF) using the following code:
 - RAF: MODIFICATION CODE AFN 154

NOTE

RAF units operating STAMA are also to complete ADP MTMS Job Certification Sheet and to follow the procedures laid down in 100C-08A.

7.3 All recipients of this instruction. Add particulars to AESP 2320-D-128-811 Mod instr index.

Stores tools and equipment

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- 8.1 Stores to be demanded.
 - 8.1.1 The following modification set is to be demanded quoting this instruction authority for demand.

Item No	DMC	NSN/Part No	Designation	Qty Per eqpt
	7XD	2510-99-148-1296	Input/Output Facility Mod set: comprising:	2
1 2 3 4 5			Sleeve Cover, sleeve Washer, foam Ring retaining (Soft top only) Coupling, sleeve assembly Strap, support	(2) (2) (8) (2) (2) (2)

8.2 Stores or suitable equipment to be obtained locally.

Item No	NSN/Part No	Designation	Qty Per eqpt
7	7510-99-220-1153	Water resistant fabric tape	As reqd

8.3 Special tools and test equipment required.

Item No	NSN/Part No	Designation	Qty Per eqpt
8	F1/3460-99-137-4928	Arbour, hole saw	1
9	F1/3455-99-137-5656	Blade, hole saw	1

Sequence of operations

NOTE

The item numbers of Para 8 are used as references throughout this instruction.

9 Carry out the modification as follows:

WARNING

HEALTH AND SAFETY. WHEN CUTTING HOLES IN THE HOOD, GOGGLES AND MASK MUST BE WORN TO PREVENT INHALATION OF HARMFUL DUST AND TO PROTECT EYES.

Soft top only

Refer to Fig 1

- 9.1 Place tape, to aid marking out, on the rear of the vehicles in the area where the holes are to be cut.
- 9.2 Mark out the centres for the holes.
- 9.3 Mark out two 98 mm (3,86 in.) diameter circles on hood on either side of the flap.

9.4 Using a suitable cutting tool i.e. a sharp knife and a piece of hard board, cut out two holes in the hood.

Refer to Fig 2

- 9.5 Slide the sleeve (item 1) through the coupling (item 5) folding the end of the sleeve over the coupling as shown in inset.
- 9.6 Ensure that the stitched edge of the sleeve is aligned with the recess on the coupling.

NOTE

When fitting the coupling ensure that the pivot pin is at the top.

- 9.7 Fit a foam washer (item 3) to the coupling and slide through hood.
- 9.8 Fit two foam washers and the retaining ring (items 3 and 4).
- 9.9 Fit the sleeve cover (item 2) lining up the slots with the tags and applying pressure to the top until it clips into place then repeat at the bottom
- 9.10 Loop support strap through sleeve cover and over the rear roll bar ensuring that the strap is inboard of the outer radiated hazard strap and tension to suit.
- 9.11 Cut a piece of 2 in. x 1.5 in wide waterproof tape (item 7) and fit over the lower clip inside the coupling sleeve assembly (item 5) to seal.

Hard top only

Refer to Fig 1

- 9.12 Place tape on the rear of the vehicle in the area where the holes are to be cut.
- 9.13 Mark out the centres for the holes
- 9.14 Drill two 6,0 mm pilot holes through (hard top only).
- 9.15 Using a suitable cutting tool (items 8 and 9) cut two holes one on either side of the rear door.
- 9.16 Remove sharp edges and clear up debris.

Refer to Fig 2

- 9.17 Slide sleeve (item 1) through coupling (item 5) folding the end of the sleeve over the coupling as shown in inset.
- 9.18 Ensure that the stitched edge of the sleeve is aligned with the recess on the coupling.

NOTE

When fitting the coupling ensure that the pivot pin is at the top.

- 9.19 Fit a foam washer (item 3) to the coupling and slide through hardtop.
- 9.20 Fit two foam washers (item 3).
- 9.21 Finally fit the sleeve cover (item 2) lining up the slots with the tags and applying pressure to the top until it clips into place then repeat at the bottom.

- 9.22 Loop support strap through sleeve cover and over the rear roll bar ensuring that the strap is inboard of the outer radiated hazard strap and tension to suit.
- 9.23 Check to ensure the coupling does not rotate, if it does dismantle and add additional foam washer between the hardtop and the cover.
- 9.24 Cut a piece of 2 in. x 1.5 in wide waterproof tape (refer to item 7) and fit over the lower clip inside the coupling sleeve assembly (item 5) to seal.

Testing after embodiment

10 Nil

EFFECT ON WEIGHT

11 Negligible

PUBLICATION AMENDMENTS

NOTE

Necessary amendment will be issued separately.

12 Nil

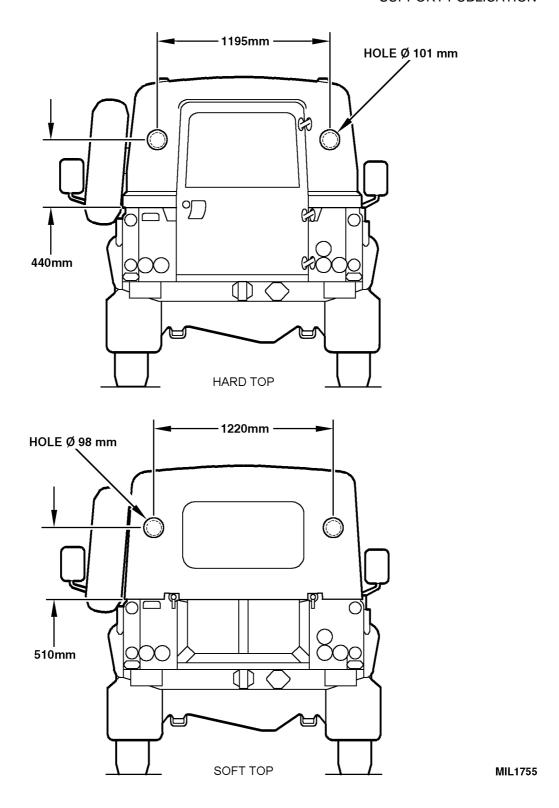
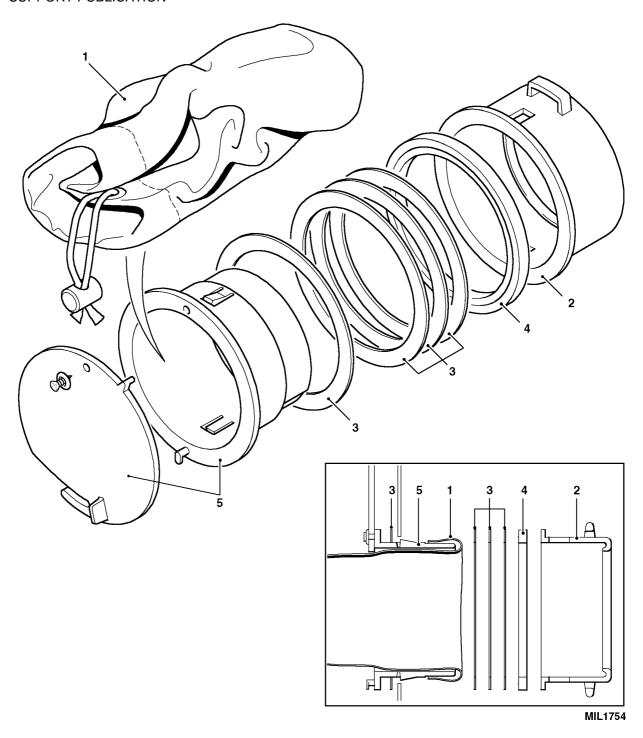


Fig 1 Position of the input/output sleeve holes



- 1 Sleeve
- 2 Sleeve cover
- 3 Neoprene washers

- 4 Retaining ring (Soft top only)
- 5 Sleeve coupling
- 6 Support strap (Not shown)

Fig 2 Input/output sock assembly