

INFORMATION LETTER

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TO: All owners and operators of Model 407 helicopters

SUBJECT: Component Interim Inspection interval increase

This information letter is to notify owners / operators of a Component Interim Inspection interval increase from 60 months to 72 months. This increase applies to the Freewheel Assembly 406-040-500-ALL, Mast Assembly 407-040-011-ALL, Transmission Assembly 407-040-006-ALL and Tail Rotor Gearbox Assembly 406-040-400-ALL.

The 407 Maintenance Planning Information (MPI) Component Interim Inspection Schedule (DMC-407-A-05-10-00-01A-281A-A) has been revised to reflect this new interval.

Following additional evaluation and due to typical wear found during the overhaul inspection of the Freewheel assembly, the Freewheel clutch 406-040-580-103 shall be replaced at next overhaul and every overhaul thereafter. The instructions in BHT-407-CR&O Chapter 63 specific to the freewheel overhaul have been revised accordingly.

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