

INFORMATION LETTER

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TO: All owners and operators of Model 206A/B/L helicopters

SUBJECT: INTRODUCTION OF TAIL ROTOR GEAR BOX CAP ASSEMBLY P/N 206-040-437-101

Bell Helicopter has received infrequent reports of damaged tail rotor gearbox output seal lips and the wear sleeve.

This information letter is issued to notify operators that a new cap assembly has been developed. The new cap assembly adds an internal oil passage to improve lubrication to the seal area. This cap assembly is a direct replacement for cap assembly 206-040-437-001.

Due to the dimensional differences of the castings, cap assembly 206-040-437-001 cannot be modified.

Information pertaining to the new cap assembly will be added in a future revision of the BHT-206A/B-SERIES-IPB and BHT-206L-SERIES-IPB.

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