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TECHNICAL BULLETIN

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MODEL AFFECTED: 206A/B and TH-67

SUBJECT: LINEAR ACTUATOR ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR COVER DAMAGE LIMITS AND REPAIR INSTRUCTIONS, INTRODUCTION OF

HELICOPTERS AFFECTED: 206A/B serial numbers 4 through 4690. TH-67 serial numbers 5101 through 5313.

COMPLIANCE: At customer's option.

DESCRIPTION:

This Technical Bulletin is issued to notify operators about the introduction of damage limits to the linear actuator connector cover (6D1001) and the introduction of protective nipple (90-115-1).

APPROVAL:

The engineering design aspects of this bulletin are Bell Helicopter Engineering approved.

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MANPOWER:

Approximately 0.5 man-hour is required to complete this bulletin. This estimate is based on a hands-on time and may vary with personnel and facilities available.

WARRANTY:

There is no warranty credit applicable for parts or labor associated with this bulletin.

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MATERIAL:

Required Material:

The following material is required for the accomplishment of this bulletin and may be obtained through your Bell Helicopter Textron Supply Center.

Part Number	Nomenclature	<u>Qty</u>
6D1001	Cover, Access	1
90-115-1	Nipple	3

SPECIAL TOOLS:

None required.

WEIGHT AND BALANCE:

Not affected.

ELECTRICAL LOAD DATA:

Not affected.

REFERENCES:

BHT-206A/B-SERIES-IPB, Illustrated Parts Breakdown BHT-206A/B-SERIES -MM, Maintenance Manual BHT-ELEC-SPM - Electrical Standard Practices Manual

PUBLICATIONS AFFECTED:

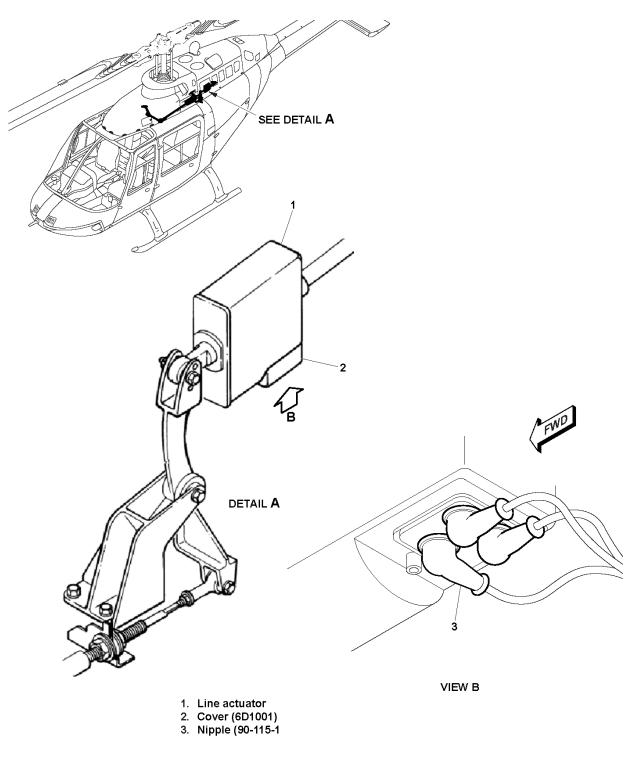
BHT-206A/B-SERIES-IPB, Illustrated Parts Breakdown BHT-206A/B-SERIES -MM, Maintenance Manual, Chapter 76

ACCOMPLISHMENT INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Prepare the helicopter for maintenance.
- 2. Inspect linear actuator connector cover (Figure 1, 2) for condition and security.
 - a. Cracks emanating from the attachment point screw area are not acceptable, and requires replacement of the connector cover (2).
 - b. Cracks not emanating from the attachment point screw area are acceptable, however, must be stopped drilled to prevent propagation.
 - c. Damage to the connector cover (2) that exposes the wire terminals is not acceptable, and requires replacement of the connector cover (2).

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- d. Any other damage not affecting the security of attachment of the connector cover(2) or exposing the wire terminals are acceptable.
- 3. If a serviceable linear actuator connector cover (2) is not available as a replacement part, remove the cover (2) and install nipples 90-115-1 (3) on the three electrical connectors.
 - a. Remove the cover and disconnect the actuator electrical terminals one at a time to prevent mixing the cables.
 - b. Install a protective nipple 90-115-1 (3) on each terminal.
 - c. Reconnect terminals and move the protective nipple (3) into position over the attachment studs.
- 4. Make an entry in the helicopter logbook and historical service records indicating compliance with this Technical Bulletin.





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