

SERVICE INFORMATION LETTER

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- DATE: August 14, 2019
- 1. SUBJECT: Lamiflex Bearing Discontinuation
- 2. MODEL: 480
- 3. EFFECTIVITY: All
- 4. BACKGROUND:

This Service Information Letter (SIL) is to make aircraft owners/operators aware that Enstrom is discontinuing the Lamiflex main rotor thrust bearings (P/N 28-14320-15). Enstrom has a limited supply of the bearings and once current supplies are exhausted, they will no longer be available. The Lamiflex bearings are being replaced with a tension-torsion (T-T) strap configuration.

5. COMPLIANCE:

When Lamiflex bearings are no longer available, owners/operators will need to convert their aircraft to a T-T strap configuration. These conversions are available as an STC from Airwolf Aerospace or from Enstrom Product Support as referenced in Table 1.

Part Number*	Manufacturer*	
AA-ECD-084-480 (STC SR03465CH)	Airwolf Aerospace LLC 15369 Madison Road Middlefield, OH 44062-8404	(440) 632-1687 (440) 632-1685 Fax <u>www.airwolfaerospace.com</u> <u>info@airwolfaerospace.com</u>
Contact Enstrom Product Support	Enstrom Helicopter Corporation 2209 22 nd Street Menominee, MI 49858	(906) 863-1200 (906) 863-6821 Fax <u>www.enstromhelicopter.com</u> <u>customerservice@enstromhelicopter.com</u>

Table 1: Vendor Information

- 6. SPECIAL TOOLS: N/A
- 7. MAN-HOURS: N/A
- 8. WARRANTY: Per Enstrom Helicopter Warranty policy
- 9. WEIGHT CHANGE: N/A
- 10. LOG BOOK ENTRY: N/A
- 11. REPETITIVE INSPECTIONS: N/A