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MARK 2 SCBA FIRST STAGE PISTON (THIS BULLETIN UPDATES SOME PARTS OF TB #45)

SURVIVAIR has obtained NIOSH approval for a new configuration of the Mark 2 first stage regulator. The primary piston P/N 910067 has now been approved for use on all NFPA and Industrial models of the Mark 2. This new piston (P/N 910067) will not need to be replaced every overhaul. SURVIVAIR recommends that you replace this piston on alternate overhaul cycles, every 6 years of service. All 910067 pistons, including those placed in service prior to this bulletin, can remain in use for 6 years.

The old low pressure piston (P/N 910006) can remain in service until the next scheduled overhaul, but is no longer available. Low pressure pistons (P/N 910006) which have not been installed still have a three year service life and can be used only in industrial units.

Markings on the piston provide identification. Hand etched on the side of the piston is the standard SURVIVAIR date code (see TB #23 for details). For example: BW2K 0001.

Following the date code you will find a letter which identifies the piston model.

H= 910067, 6 year overhaul cycle, all Mark 2 models.

L = 910006, 3 year overhaul cycle, industrial models only.

The 910067 piston can be purchased from your distributor.

SURVIVAIR can rebuild pistons to make them the same as the current revision (910067) at a cost of \$28.95 each and requires an exchange of the out of date piston. Any used piston, 910067 or 910006, can be exchanged. The information on the cost of the rebuilt Mark 2 pistons contained in Technical Bulletin #45 is no longer valid.

Contact any SURVIVAIR Warranty Center, SURVIVAIR Distributor, or Survivair in California for further details.