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SERVICE

SERVICE LETTER 79-3
"FAA (DER) APPROVED"

DATE:

SUBJECT:

CARBURETOR: IMPROVED METHOD OF SEALING

ACCELERATOR PUMP AND ECONOMIZER RODS TO

REDUCE THROTTLE FRICTION

MODELS AFFECTED:

AA-5B

SERIALS AFFECTED:

All AA-5B aircraft equipped with carburetor serial numbers up to and including CH-17-2426

TIME OF COMPLIANCE:

At next carburetor overhaul or sooner, if

required

GENERAL

Reports have been received concerning the carburetor, Avco Lycoming Part No. LW-12097 (Marvel-Schebler/Tillotson, Part No. I0-5092), utilized on the AA-5B aircraft. Reports have indicated that a "tight" throttle condition may exist during engine operation in which case considerable force is required to open and close the throttle.

The attached Avco Lycoming Service Instruction No. 1373 provides Marvel-Schebler/Tillotson's recommendation for correction of said condition if the cause is found to be that of the carburetor and only if abnormal throttle friction is experienced.

If compliance with this Publication is required, work may be accomplished by the following authorized Marvel-Schebler/Tillotson Distributors:

DOMESTIC

Airmotive Carburetor 475 Riverside Drive Burbank, California 91506 213-849-4704 Precision Air, Inc. 3610 N.W. 41st Avenue Miami, Florida 33142 305-635-5293

Ducarra, Inc. 947 South 11th Street Niles, Michigan 49120 616-684-4440

GENERAL - Continued

EXPORT

Standard Aero Engine Ltd. 1844 Sargent Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada 204-775-9711

Hawker Pacific Pty. Ltd. P.O. Box 172 Yagoona, N.S.W. 2199 Australia

N.Z. Aerospace Industries Ltd. Hamilton Airport, No. 2 R.D. Hamilton, New Zealand

Amrite Aviation Co. Pte. Ltd. 508 West Camp. Selectar Airport

Xenoah Corporation 2-142-1 Sakuragoaoka Higashi Yamato City Tokyo, Japan 189 C.S.E. (Aircraft Services) Ltd. Oxford Airport Kidlington, Oxford CX5 IRA England

Scottish Division
British Aerospace Aircraft Group
Prestwick Airport
Ayrshire, KA9 2RW
Scottland

Fenwick Aviation 8 Rue DeRocroy 75480 Paris, France

Pierburg Luftfahrtgerate Union Gmb Postfach 989 4040 Neuss/Rhein Germany

Motoravio-Sud S.P.A. Casella Postale 227 Zona Punto Franco 72100 Brindisi, Italy

PARTS INFORMATION

The carburetor kit required for compliance with this Publication is available through the Marvel-Schebler/Tillotson Distributors listed. Kits will <u>not</u> be made available through Gulfstream American Corporation.

Kit Part No.

No. Required

List Price

666-819 l
Prices subject to change without notice

\$29.50

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Attachment: Avco Lycoming Service Instruction No. 1373