

BRITISH PARACHUTE ASSOCIATION LTD.



SAFETY INFORMATION

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VECTOR RESERVE PILOTCHUTES

Because of a problem where the reserve pilotchute failed to clear the container of a Vector Harness/Container system during a routine repack all packers of reserves are to be aware of the problems that can be caused by failing to follow the manufacturers instructions.

Jumpers of Vector Harness/Containers systems are advised by the manufacturers to upgrade the reserve pilotchute on their systems to the new design which is available through local dealers or direct from the Relative Workshop.

The new design has no mesh in its construction, is "Balloon" like when inflated, also a stronger spring should help alleviate these problems.

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