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SAFETY NOTICE

1. An incident occurred at Montford Bridge last Monday (20 April) when a jumper deployed a PISA 26' lopo reserve at terminal velocity.
2. The canopy suffered extensive damage to gore no. 11. The A B and C panels were split and the peripheral hem was completely severed.
3. The jumper suffered an extremely hard landing, without injury.
4. The manufacturers have been contacted and have undertaken to bear the cost of an independent examination of the equipment.
5. Pending the results of this examination, the PISA 26' lopo reserve is grounded with immediate effect.

Doug Peacock
National Coach & Safety
Officer

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