

## BRITISH PARACHUTE ASSOCIATION LTD.



# SAFETY INFORMATION

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### THROWAWAY PILOT CHUTE TOGGLE

#### **SUBJECT**

Throwaway pilotchute supplied by Parachutes De France.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The toggle was made from an old thread spool (brittle plastic) and shattered with surprisingly little pressure.

#### **ACTION**

Any pilotchute which has been made with an old thread spool for a toggle, or similar brittle plastic, should have the toggle replaced immediately.

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