

# **Bell Helicopter** **TEXTRON**

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## **INFORMATION LETTER 407-06-89**

**TO: All Owners/Operators of Bell 407 Series Helicopters**

**SUBJECT: BHT-407-II-30 SPECIAL POLICY PRICING, REVISION OF.**

Bell Helicopter recently published Technical Bulletin 407-05-71 to introduce engine to transmission driveshaft assembly 407-340-310-101. This improved unit replaces existing engine to transmission driveshaft assemblies 206-340-300-105 and -107 that are affected by a recurring 1250-hour overhaul inspection. Previously, Bell Helicopter also published Technical Bulletin 407-05-63 to introduce a rotor brake modification Kit 407-704-022-101 to improve the reliability of the rotor brake caliper.

Both of these Technical Bulletins when accomplished on helicopters serial number 53000 through 53442 mandated completion of Installation Instruction BHT-407-II-30. At the release of the Installation Instruction BHT-407-II-30, and for a limited time, a special pricing policy was introduced with Information Letter 407-02-67 reducing the net list price of the modification parts by 50%.

### **INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL WARRANTY CREDIT FOR BHT-407-II-30:**

To ensure that the 407 fleet is up-graded to the latest configuration and can benefit from the improved reliability that comes from these three important upgrades. Bell Helicopter is offering a special warranty credit of 50% on the Kit net list price required for Installation Instruction BHT-407-II-30. This special warranty credit will be in effect for three (3) years from the release of this Information Letter and is retroactive to those customers that have purchased these kits at full list price.

**IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THIS SPECIAL WARRANTY CREDIT:**

- You must purchase or have purchased the Kit to accomplish the Installation Instruction from an approved BHTI supply source.
- You shall order the required kit within the next three (3) years from the release of this Information Letter.
- You must file a warranty claim and provide your original invoice number for the kit purchased.

**NOTE:** When purchasing the required Kit you will be billed full price. Your account will then be credited 50% of the kit net list price once we have received your warranty claim.

**REVISED SPECIAL PRICING POLICY FOR Technical Bulletin 407-05-63:**

Due to the difficulties experienced by Bell Helicopter in procuring the parts required to accomplish Technical Bulletin 407-05-63, an extension to the special warranty period covering the credit towards the purchase of Kit 407-704-022-101 has been approved. The Technical Bulletin is revised to reflect this extension. It should also be noted that the special warranty credit covers 100% of the parts required to accomplish this bulletin.

**NOTE:** In addition to those special pricing policy revisions detailed in this Information Letter, it should be noted that the flywheel 407-040-316-101 and engine to transmission driveshaft assembly 206-340-300-107 will only be supported until our stocks are depleted.