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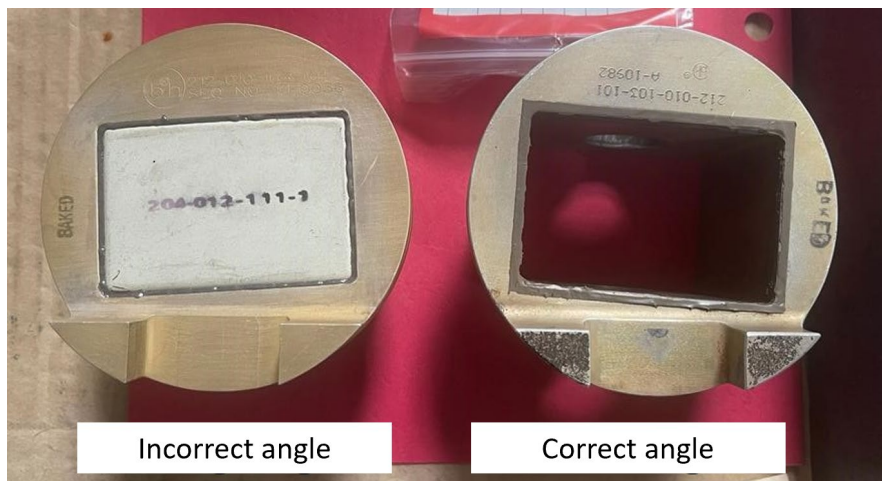
OPERATION SAFETY NOTICE

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TO: All owners and operators of Model 205A/205A-1 Helicopters.

SUBJECT: INBOARD STRAP FITTING 212-010-103-101 DEFECT.

Bell has been informed that some 212-010-103-101 inboard fittings used on the model 205B have been incorrectly manufactured with the static stop lugs at an incorrect angle as shown below. Although the 212-010-103-101 inboard strap fitting is not approved by Bell for use on the 205A/205A1 models, some operators may use the subject inboard strap fitting as part of a Supplemental Type Certificate (STC) installation. This OSN is to inform 205A/205A1 operators of this discrepancy. The 212-010-103-101 inboard strap fitting having serial numbers FF0002 through FF0047 inclusively are defective and shall not be used. For replacement fittings contact your Bell Spares Administrator.



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