

INFORMATION BULLETIN: VIGIL CUTTERS



TYPE 1



TYPE 2



TYPE 3

VIGIL CUTTER – TYPE 1:

❖ **IDENTIFICATION:**

All cutters with plastic protection heads (see picture Type 1).

Cutters produced up to July 2006 or Vigils with serial numbers from #1100 to #6591.

Remark: If your cutter has already been replaced by a cutter Type 3, you are not concerned by this Information Bulletin.

❖ **ORIGIN:**

Statement of some degradation on plastic protection heads of our cutter Type 1.

❖ **ACTION:**

All cutters **mounted at the bottom** of the rig are NOT concerned, as long as the plastic protection heads are not damaged.

This must be verified at EACH repack.

IF the plastic is damaged, the cutter **MUST be replaced**.

If your cutter with plastic protection head is mounted above the extractor, there is a risk that it is pressed between two rings. This could create a degradation risk, due to the pressure caused by those inox rings on the plastic heads and cutters **MUST be replaced**.

The exchange cost would be of 50 EUR (without transport or taxes). Cutters are available at your dealer, at A.A.D. sa (Brussels) or at VIGIL USA.

VIGIL CUTTER – TYPE 2:

❖ **IDENTIFICATION:**

All cutters with full stainless steel body (see picture Type 2).

Cutters produced from August 2006 to March 2007, or Vigils with serial numbers from #6860 to #7945.

Remark: If your cutter has already been replaced by a cutter Type 3, you are not concerned by this Information Bulletin.

❖ **ORIGIN:**

Due to some inside burs on cutters that were supplied by a second sub-supplier, we stated that some of those cutters could damage the loop.

❖ **ACTION:**

All these cutters **MUST be replaced** and can be exchanged free of charge via your dealer, via A.A.D. sa (Brussels) or VIGIL USA.

To be done at the next repack.

VIGIL CUTTER – TYPE 3:

❖ **IDENTIFICATION:**

All cutters with a stainless steel sleeve and inside vinyl tubing (see picture Type 3).

Cutters produced since July 2007.

Vigil serial numbers from #8000.

ALL these cutters are good and therefore NOT concerned by this Information Bulletin.

Remark:

Some of those cutters could have an inside bulb on the soft vinyl tubing, but this can not cause any damage to the loop.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

ALL VIGILS II have been supplied with this new approved cutter (Type 3).

We thank you for your continued support.

Blue skies,
VIGIL TEAM



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