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TO—All owners and operators of Hughes Helicopters

SUBJECT: INTERCHANGEABILITY OF TABBED MAIN ROTOR BLADES
(PN 369A1100-501) WITH UNTABBED MAIN ROTOR BLADES
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MODELS AFFECTED: All 369H Series Helicopters

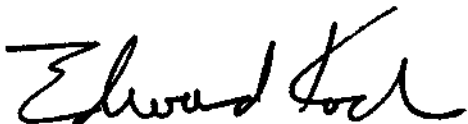
Reference

500 Series - Basic HMI Issued 1 October 1972; Revision No. 4, 15 December 1974

Main Rotor Blades Serial No. W671 and subsequent delivered after 1 April 1975 will have the inboard tab removed.

Tests conducted at Hughes show no effects on tracking or weight and balance with untabbed blades.

In lieu of the above, no part number change has been made to differentiate between tabbed and untabbed blades. Tabbed and untabbed blades are 100 percent interchangeable individually or in sets.



Edward Koch, Manager
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