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Kyle Taylor	Quest Kodiak	7000 Amphibious floats	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Title

Heavy seas strut package option

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EFFECTIVITY	7000 floats, seaplane and amphibious, installed on Quest 100 Kodiak aircraft under Wipaire, Inc. STC SA02848CH: Float S/N 70028A and lower, use kit 1004996-01 Float S/N 70029A and higher, use kit 1004996-02
COMPLIANCE	Optional for all seaplane and amphibious Wipaire, inc. float equipped Kodiak aircraft.
BACKGROUND	Additional bow struts have been approved as an option for the 7000 installation on the Kodiak. These struts supplement existing bow struts. The strut package with the supplemental bow struts is designated the "heavy seas" strut package. The supplemental struts help redistribute bow impact loads and reduce engine mount and firewall loads. The supplemental bow struts are referred to as "kicker struts."
COMPLIANCE METHOD	 See Wipaire, Inc. drawing number 1004996, Strut installation, HS, Kodiak 100. Specifically, (a) Reconfigure the aircraft strut package using the parts and assembly methods defined on 1004996. (b) Install additional kicker struts and associated fittings and hardware as defined on 1004996. (c) When using the 1004996-01 kit, for floats S/N 70028A and lower: note 2 of 1004996 specifies hardware changes required to upgrade to the heavy seas configuration from an existing standard strut installation. Floats after S/N 70028A are equipped with the hardware specified in this note as part of the standard strut package.
SHOP HOURS	Approximately 8 hrs for installation of HS strut package.
WARRANTY	None. This modification is optional, and may be retrofitted to an existing Kodiak seaplane or amphibian at the aircraft owner's expense.
NOTES	None.

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