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Replacement of Injection Pump Springs

M43

On some M43 engines individual instances of breakage of the big injection pump spring occurred on the following pump types: G40011182.

Investigations carried out middle of 2008 pointed to variations in quality in the manufacturing process. In response to these findings the quality defects were eliminated immediately.

The probability of a breakage of the spring in the affected engine population is to be considered as very low, but cannot be completely excluded. As a precaution we, therefore, intend to replace the springs of all injection pumps on board at no cost to you still before commissioning of the ship.

We sincerely regret the inconvenience caused to you by this necessary action. In order to allow the modification of the injection pumps still to be carried out in time before commissioning, your dealer will contact you to arrange all further details.