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DATE:	8-5-2003			BULLETIN NO:	03-014
TITLE:	SOLID S	LID STATE ENGINE SOLENOID MOUNTING			
RATING:		DIRECTIVE (Action Is Required)	X	ALERT (Potential Problem)	
		INFORMATION (Action Is Optional)		PRODUCT IMPROVEMENT (Enhance Product)	

PRODUCT SERIES / MODEL: 6700S Tampers

- SERIAL NO: All Models Serial # 153045 and Higher
- **SUMMARY:** There have been several instances where the mounting feet of the solid state engine solenoid have broken off leaving the solenoid dangling and the wires loose. It is felt that this may be due to the vertical mounting position of the solenoid on the side of the angle bracket attached to the engine mount. It has been determined that a better mounting position would be to attach the angle bracket to the side of the pump drive and mount the solenoid horizontally so it is resting on the top of the angle bracket.
- **OPERATIONAL IMPACT:** To improve machine reliability and extend the service life of the solid state engine solenoid by remounting it in a horizontal position.
- ACTION: The remounting of the solenoid requires removing the solenoid and bracket from its original mounting location on the engine mount, adding two new mounting holes in the bracket, remounting the bracket in a new location on the side of the pump drive, and then re-installing the solenoid on the bracket.
- **CONTACT:** If you have any questions or if we can be of any service, please contact Bill Perry at the Ludington, MI. facility, (231) 843-3431.

SAFETY INFORMATION



FOLLOW APPLICABLE RAILROAD LOCKOUT - TAGOUT PROCEDURE TO REMOVE ALL ENERGY SOURCES FROM MACHINE. FAILURE TO COMPLY COULD RESULT IN SEVERE BODILY INJURY.

INSTALLATION - See Figure 1, Figure 2 and Figure 3

- 1. MAKE SURE all battery switches are turned OFF.
- 2. It is not necessary to disconnect the electrical wires from the solenoid (A).
- 3. Remove the four cap screws and nuts (C) that secure the solenoid (A) to the angle bracket (B).
- 4. Remove the two cap screws and nuts (D) that secure the angle bracket (B) and the electrical ground wires to the engine mounting bracket.
- 5. Re-install the electrical ground wires, with the exception of the solenoid ground wire, to the engine mounting bracket re-using one cap screw and nut (D).
- 6. Re-work the angle bracket (B) by adding two 11/16 inch diameter holes per the dimensions shown in Figure 1.
- 7. Mount the angle bracket (B) to the two bottom holes on the side of the pump drive as shown in Figure 3 using two 5/8"-11 x 1" long cap screws (1).
- Install the solenoid (A) to the angle bracket (B) re-using the four cap screws and nuts (C). BE SURE to install the solenoid ground wire under one of the four screws (C).
- 9. Re-route the electrical wires for a neat installation.

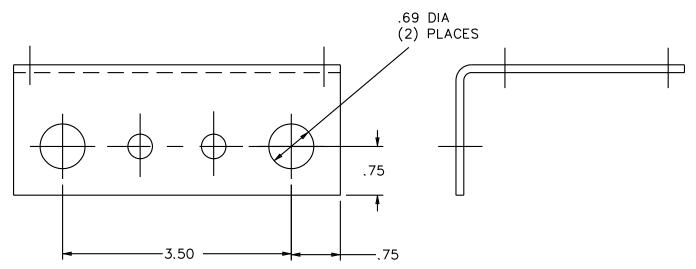


FIGURE 1 ANGLE BRACKET RE-WORK

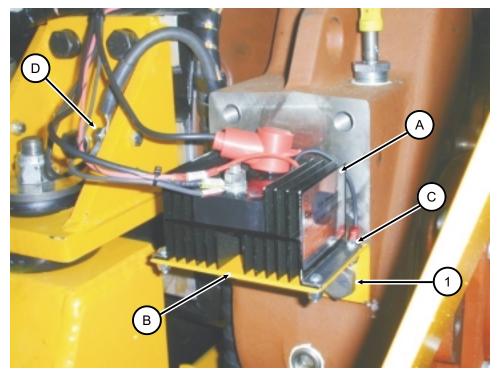


FIGURE 3 NEW MOUNTING OF SOLENOID AND BRACKET

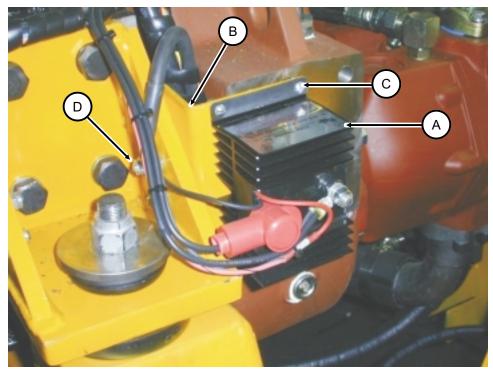


FIGURE 2 EXISTING MOUNTING OF SOLENOID AND BRACKET

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PARTS LIST

Note: See Figure 3 for Item Number.

ITEM	PART NO	DESCRIPTION	QTY
1	250010-337	Cap Screw, 5/8"-11 x 1" Long Hex Head	2

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