



## SERVICE BULLETIN no. 01/01/2013

### Extension of lifetime of Reserve Canopy WP over 15 years

**1. CONCERNS:** Reserve Canopies WP (WP-110, WP-130, WP-150, WP-175, WP-210, WP-260, WP-370) produced by company MarS spol. s r.o. or MarS a.s., used in civilian air sector.

**2. REASON:** Possibility of extension of basic life time of Reserve Canopy WP over the given basic lifetime.

**3. PROCEEDING: Basic lifetime of Reserve Canopy WP is 15 years from the production date under condition that instructions stated in Technical description Reserve Canopies WP are followed.**

User will send Reserve Canopy WP including parachute logbook or technical certificate with correct and full user's records (of all checks, repairs) to the producer for checking before the basic life time of 15 years is terminated.

The producer carries out visual check and testing of mechanical/physical material figures of the parachute and on the basis of its results extends its lifetime, maximum by 2 years. Interval of lifetime extension is counted always from the date of basic lifetime termination.

Producer make a note in the logbook or in the technical certificate about the carried out check and in case of successful check also a note of lifetime extension, or a note of repair.

It is possible to repeat such proceedings with well-preserved Reserve Canopies WP but only until the complete lifetime of 20 years.

If the user does not present Reserve Canopy WP before its lifetime runs out, it will only be extended until the lifetime extension date in the immediate future.

**WARNING:**

**During the time, when the Reserve Canopy WP do not have extended lifetime, the producer does not guarantee their function and in case of exceptional situation the producer does not have responsibility for possible damage on health or property.**

**4. VALID:** Since date of issue.

By issuing of this Service Bulletin contributes to facts of Service Bulletin no. 1/01/2003 from 10.01.2003 in point B Reserve Canopy and

no. 3/04/2004 from 15.04.2004 in point 1 about possibility of extension of basic lifetime.



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