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## PRODUCT SERVICE BULLETIN 2016-01 (PSB # 2016-01)

**ISSUE DATE:** 4<sup>th</sup> January 2016

**SUBJECT:** Stainless Steel Mini Base Ring

**STATUS:** Ground Equipment Until Further Notice

**IDENTIFICATION:** PSB # 2016-01

**Affected Vortex Rigs:** To be updated ASAP.

Subject to a notification on Saturday, Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016, from our dealer in Holland that a stainless steel mini base ring presented with a problem on a Vortex container on its fourth jump (DOM October 2014), we are immediately advising all customers with a Vortex that has "DSF" stamped base rings (flip the base ring over and if its stamped DSF) to ground their equipment until we can ascertain which batch is impacted and obtain more detail from the manufacturer.

We are diligently pursuing this information in as quick a time as possible. We will post serial numbers of potentially affected Vortex's as soon as we have the manufacturers' confirmed information and steps that need to be taken to resolve this issue.

Please be assured that Parachute Systems will make all efforts as quickly as possible to resolve this issue.