

## SERVICE LETTER

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Subject: ARRIEL 2 All variants

**Bearings M02 and M05 – SB TU212 & TU218** 

Dear Sir or Madam,

In a context of global shortage of raw materials, Safran Helicopter Engines is facing a reduction in deliveries of new production bearings from its suppliers. Consequently, Safran Helicopter Engines has launched actions to ensure that there are no operational impacts for its customers.

One of these actions is modifying the effectivity codes of modifications TU212 and TU218 to reduce the need for new bearings. For all Arriel 2 engine variants except Arriel 2E, the codes change from 2A3 (application of the modification if the repair/overhaul gives access to the bearing) to 2B (application of the modification during the overhaul or if replacement of the bearing).

The situation is regularly reassessed and we will return to the initial effectivity codes as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

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