



SERVICE BULLETIN

Title: 17EX External Transmission — Gear Oil
Models Affected: 17EX With 17FX Compressor

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Purpose:

To inform the field of changes in production to the 17EX machines with external transmission.

File: Compressor-Motor-Drive-Gear

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Information:

The initial release of this product did not ship with oil in the gear lubrication system. The factory will be shipping machines with the gear oil, Carrier Specification PP16-2, RCD Part Number PP23BB005, in the gear box. Units shipped during the week of December 8, 1997 (week 50) and later will be shipped with gear oil. The service literature will be revised to reflect this change at the next reprint.

Before placing the machine into service, the gear oil should be checked. Be sure that the proper amount of oil is in the system. Check the oil's color. It should be clear. If the oil is not clear, replace the oil following the instructions in the Service, Operation and Maintenance literature. Refer to the Service, Operation, and Maintenance literature for additional service instructions and cautions.

The open drive motor bearing housings will continue to be shipped without oil as they are currently.