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Subject: SIRIUS LED STROBE LIGHT P/N 640 AND 642 RECALL

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A. Coast Guard Rescue and Survival Systems Manual, COMDTINST M10470.10 (series)

1. Purpose. The purpose of this message is to notify units of a potential electrical component failure with the Lifesaving Systems Corp (LSC) Sirius LED Strobe P/N 640 and 642.

2. Action. Units shall visibly inspect all Sirius LED Strobes P/N 640 and 642. Strobes displaying signs of acid leakage from batteries, discoloration of the surface inside the lens or failure of the strobe to operate properly shall be removed from service. If possible, units should conduct a voltage test of each installed battery with a digital multi-meter. Strobes with battery voltage of less than 1.4dcv shall be removed from service. Strobes displaying any of the above conditions shall be sent back to LSC where they will be evaluated, replaced or returned to the unit at no cost. Units need to complete the form located on the Rescue and Survival Systems website at [http://cgweb.comdt.uscg.mil/G-RCB/RSS\(underscore\)information.htm](http://cgweb.comdt.uscg.mil/G-RCB/RSS(underscore)information.htm) under RSS information box and ship with effected strobes.

3. Admin. A copy of this message shall be maintained in front of ref (a).

4. POC.

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5. CAPT T. C. Wiemers, Chief, Office of Boat Forces, sends.