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ASW 19 Technical Note No. 12 Alexander Schleicher Segelflugzeugbau 6416 Poppenhausen

Kind:

Improvement.

Subject :

Modification of aileron and elevator hinge fittings

(control surface side).

Effectivity:

All new production-line ASW 19s.

Accomplishment:

None; only for new production-line glider ASW 19s.

Reason:

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The so far used control hinges show relatively great amounts of epoxy glue around the hinge fittings which increase the tailheavy moment of the controls. The masses of glue had to be compensated by massbalance in the nose of the control surfaces.

The new fittings according to this TN 12 are designed such that the fitting is enclosed in the glue of the nose of the control surfaces. So the assembly is less or even not tailheavy.

Instructions:

According to the drawings

190.31.0004 190.35.0013 190.35.0014

the new control fittings are made and then installed according to the drawings

190.35.8.1 190.31/32.8.1 .

The design of the actuating fittings of aileron and elevator is unchanged.

Material:

See drawings.

Weight and Balance:

Control surfaces made according to this TN 12 must be checked for weight and tailheavy moment. It is likely that they are closer to the low side of the tolerances than older control surfaces. For the weighing procedure see pages 29 + 34 in the ASW 19 Manual and pages 34 + 35 in the ASW 19 B Manual.

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Notes:

- 1. This TN is effected in series production as of S/N 19 271.
- For repairs of ASW 19s, S/N 19 001 thru 19 270, control surfaces built according to this TN may be used.

Drawings:

For this TN the following drawings were corrected:

190.35.S.1 and 190.31/32.S.1.

The following drawings were new made :

190.31.0004

190.35.0014 .

The following drawings are no longer applicable:

190.31.0003

190.35.0003 .

Poppenhausen, November 20, 1978

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