COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA CIVIL AVIATION SAFETY AUTHORITY SCHEDULE OF AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

Rolls Royce Turbine Engines - RB211 Series

AD/RB211/7	Low Pressure Compressor Rotor 6/82 (Fan) Shafts Inspection
Applicability:	RB211-524B3-02, -524B4-02 and -524D4-19 engines and variants incorporating LP compressor rotor shaft/ shaft assemblies part numbers LK75179, LK75180, LK75181 or LK87852.
Document:	Rolls Royce RB211 Alert Service Bulletin RB211-72-A6820, Rev. 1.
Compliance:	In accordance with the requirement document.
Background:	Inspection of a new L.P. compressor shaft at Rolls Royce revealed a circumferential crack in an outside radius of the stepped part of the shaft. The crack may be associated with a heat treatment process and this Directive is issued to require certain suspect shafts to be inspected.