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AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE GLIDERS/POWERED SAILPLANES

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TYPE AFFECTED: Jantar series, all SZD-42, SZD-42-1, ("Jantar-2" and "Jantar-2A") as well as SZD-42-2 "Jantar 2B", up to Serial No. B-1074 inclusive.

SUBJECT: Retention of the "Tarnamid" bearing sleeve fitted into the bottom rudder hinge.

BACKGROUND: Impact during takeoff, landing, and manoeuvring on rough ground can cause looseness of the bearing, possibly allowing vertical freedom of the rudder.

REQUIRED ACTION: (1) A washer, either factory supplied through the Australian distributor, or made from mild steel to Fig 2 is to be fitted to the bottom rudder hinge assembly to Fig 1, replacing the existing washer.
(2) Modification details to be entered into log book.

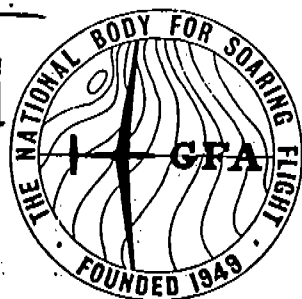
COMPLIANCE DATE: Before next flight.
This modification to be carried out before further flight.

WEIGHT AND BALANCE: Negligible effect.

COMPLIANCE: This Airworthiness Directive is issued pursuant to Air navigation regulations issued under the delegated authority of the Secretary of the Department of Transport Australia.

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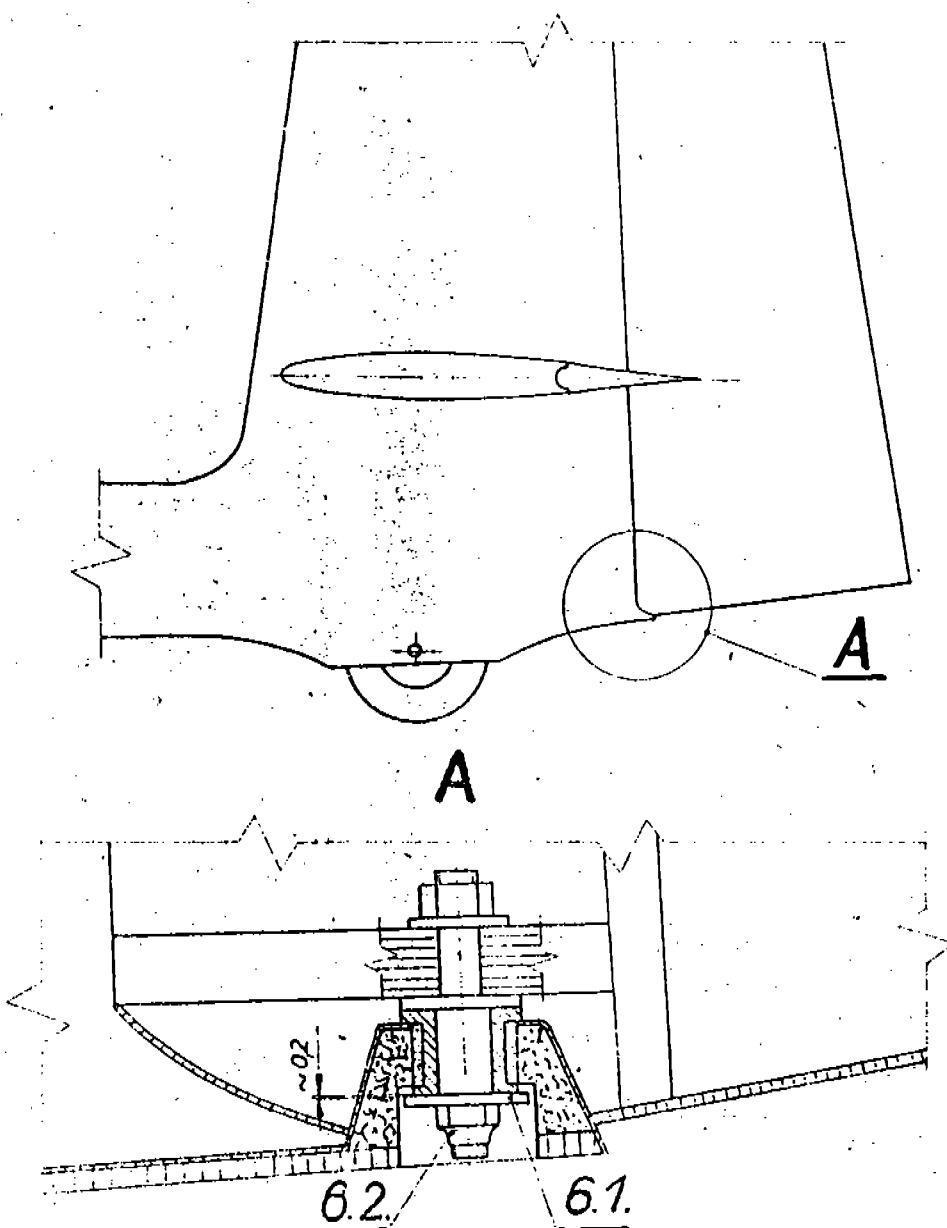


Fig. 1.

Special washer

amount: 1 piece/set

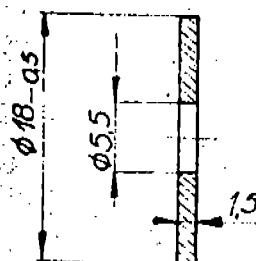


Fig. 2.