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SAFETY INFORMATION

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LEG STRAP RETENTION ELASTICS

Over the last few years there have been a number of incidents of loose leg straps coming out of the leg strap tuck-in pockets, and being mistaken in freefall for throwaway pilot chute handles.

At the Riggers Meeting of the 7th September 1989 it was decided that all equipment should be fitted with leg strap retention elastics. This Safety Information Bulletin is a reminder of the rule with regard to the retention elastics, as there is still equipment in the 'field' that does not conform.

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