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A. ELECTRIC SHIFT ACTUATOR SWITCH PACK (42528A2)

If you encounter a MerCruiser Stern Drive with electric shift that is experiencing a shifting problem, the problem may be due to a faulty shift plate in the electric shift actuator. A new Switch Pack (42528A2) is now available to correct this problem. (Refer to "Electric & Mechanical Shift Service Supplement" accompanying this bulletin.)

Switch pack replaces Switch Plate (392-5700 and 392-6375) and incorporates a set of microswitches for improved durability. The new pack can be used on all electric shift actuators (42349A1, 69392 and 71919).

New switch pack will be used as standard equipment on all service replacement actuators and electric shift kits (listed below).

- MC-I/TR/TRS/Inboard Shift Actuator 42349A2 (Supersedes 42349A1 and 71919)
- MC TR/TRS Shift Actuator 69392A2 (Supersedes 69392)
- MC-I Electric Shift Kit 70260A1 (No Supersession)
- MC TR/TRS Electric Shift Kit 69392A1 (No Supersession)
- MC-I TR/TRS/Inboard Electric Shift Kit 71919A1 (No Supersession)

B. QUICKSILVER ELECTRIC SHIFT KIT (71919A1) and ATTACHING KIT (44264A1)

An Electric Shift Kit (71919A1) is now available for the following MerCruiser Models:

- MCM 120R-thru-260R
- MCM 330TR and 330TRS with Borg Warner Transmission
- MIE 230/260/340

When this kit is used on MCM 330TR/330TRS and on MIE 230/260/340 Models, Attaching Kit (44264A1) also is required.

This kit cannot be used on older MerCruiser Stern Drives that have a reverse lock valve.

A Quicksilver Two-Lever Electric Shift Remote Control (68834A2) must be used when using Electric Shift. DO NOT use a single-lever electric shift remote control as damage to the shift system may result.

On dual station installations, a Quicksilver Two-Lever Mechanical Shift Remote Control (68833A1) must be used at the second station. DO NOT use an electric shift remote control. Refer to "Quicksilver Accessories Guide" for remote control cables and related hardware.

The "Electric & Mechanical Shift Service Supplement" included with this bulletin contains important information which should be of assistance when servicing this product.

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