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## **SERVICE BULLETIN**

**AIRCRAFT EFFECTED:** Bushbaby and Explorer

**BULLETIN NUMBER:** SB016

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**SUBJECT:** 582 engine isolator rubber spacer tube length

**APPLICABILITY:** All fitted with Rotax 582 engines.

**COMPLIANCE:** Mandatory

**Problem:** The EM-4 engine mount isolation rubber spacer tubes supplied with some 582 engine kits sold before October 2003 were too short at 30mm. Assembly with these incorrect spacers will cause excessive compression of the isolation rubbers and unwanted engine vibration transmitted through to the rest of the aircraft.

**Solution:** The correct spacer length is 35mm. If the incorrect spacer tubes were supplied, replace the tubes with the correct length tubes available from KFA.