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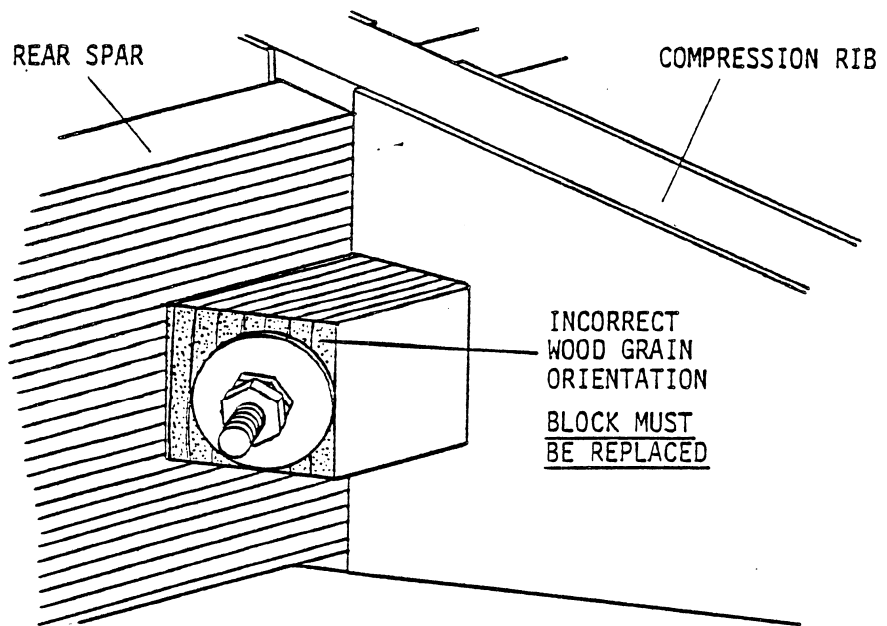
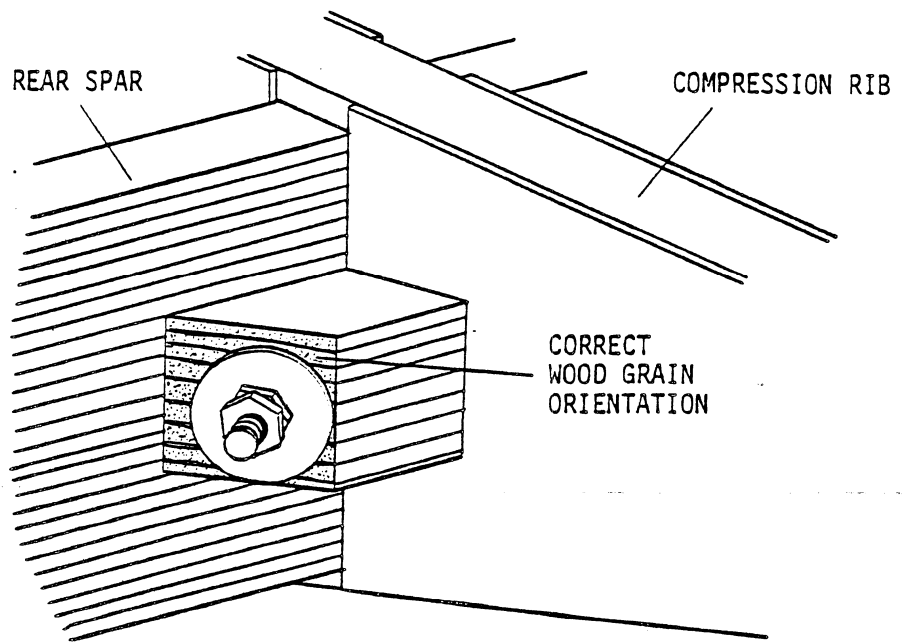
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TSubject: CLARIFICATION OF WOOD
GRAIN DESCRIPTION IN
PREVIOUS PRODUCT LETTER
000252 DATED 02-16-82

The subject product letter requested inspection of the direction of wood grain on the tierod blocks located on the rear spars of the upper and lower wings of the Eagle II aircraft. The phrase "perpendicular to the spar face" has caused much confusion. In response to many telephone calls requesting clarification of the grain direction requirement we have prepared Engineering Sketch X-90147 which illustrates the correct and incorrect grain directions.

It is unlikely that any blocks with incorrect grain were supplied to any Eagle builder, but one incorrect block was found on a Christen factory demonstrator aircraft, and this requires that inspection of the blocks be performed on all kits and completed aircraft.

ENCLOSURES: Engineering Sketch X-90147



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