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| Subject Matter and Applicability | **SUBJECT:** RELEASE CABLE TRIMMING  
**STATUS:** MANDATORY INSPECTION  

**FURTHER INFORMATION:**  
SUN PATH PRODUCTS, INC. MAIN CANOPY RELEASE HANDLES  
(PART NUMBER JP068---1) DELIVERED WITH SYSTEMS WITH  
DATE OF MANUFACTURE JANUARY 2009 THROUGH PRESENT (FEB 2013).  

**BACKGROUND:**  
Sun Path Products, Inc. has determined that ‘we have had a quality escape, which has lead us to believe that there may be a number of release handles that have been shipped to customers, which were trimmed incorrectly.  
These incorrect cable lengths could result in an out of sequence main release and reserve deployment causing an entanglement.’  

Full details, including information on:-  
Who can Inspect  
What to Inspect  
Inspection Procedure  
Resolution  
Can be found in the Sun Path Service Bulletin, SPSB 008, dated 08 February 2013, on the Sun Path web site, [http://www.sunpath.com/support/bulletins.html](http://www.sunpath.com/support/bulletins.html) |
| Compliance | **COMPLIANCE DATE:** BEFORE NEXT JUMP  
As per Sun Path SPSB 008 dated 08 February 2013. |
Concerned Publication | Sun Path Service Bulletin SPSB 008, dated 08 February 2013.

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