

CRITICAL ITEMS LIST

ASSY NOMENCLATURE: HELMET HOLDOWN ASSEMBLY

ASSY P/N: 40048P-01

SYSTEM: CREW ESCAPE SYSTEM

REVISION:

SUBSYSTEM: HELMET RETENTION ASSEMBLY

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FMEA		NAME, QTY & DRAWING REF DESIGNATION	CITY	FAILURE MODE AND CAUSE	FAILURE EFFECT ON END ITEM	RATIONALE FOR ACCEPTANCE
REF	REV					
4.1.1		HELMET HOLDDOWN ASSEMBLY (1), SKD13101506-301	2/18	4.1.1 Module: Webbing assembly fails Cause: • defective material	Decrease in visibility and mobility	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. DESIGN FEATURES TO MINIMIZE FAILURE MODE <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The webbing is made of nylon. b. The tie down cable is rated at 1,000 pounds. c. Cable/ring turn around is aluminum tubing 2. TEST OR ANALYSIS TO DETECT FAILURE MODE <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. <u>Acceptance Testing</u>. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Leakage test at operating pressure of 1.0 - 1.5 inches of H₂O. (2) Tie down cable is pull tested to 400 pounds b. <u>Certification Test</u>. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) High altitude chamber test, Brooks Air Force Base. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Manned testing series <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Gradual descent to 39,000 feet 2 Denitrogenation verification for function as an extravehicular activity prebreathing device c. <u>Turnaround Testing</u>. (In accordance with PIA 23037) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Substructural test, 5.6 ± 0.7 psig for 15 minutes 3. INSPECTION <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Inspection webbing material for defects

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