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EMTEQ awarded Design and Certification contract for Installation of AS350BB Wire Strike Protection System™

Winnipeg, MB Canada (September, 2013) – EMTEQ’s Canadian office has been contracted by FB Heliservices (FBH) in the U.K. to provide design and certification services for the installation of Magellan’s Wire Strike Protection System (WSPS™) to retrofit their fleet of AS350BB helicopters. FBH also contracted EMTEQ to design and certify the installation of a Nose Area Deflector (NAD) which will be installed at the nose of helicopter. Magellan will design and manufacture the NAD and EMTEQ will manufacture the installation kit.

The Wire Strike Protection System (WSPS) is designed to provide a measure of protection for helicopters to the consequences of an encounter with horizontally strung wires and cables. The incorporation of the NAD may provide additional protection for the nose area of the aircraft by directing a cable in the flight path of the aircraft towards the upper or lower cutter in the event of a cable strike in the nose area of the helicopter.

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