

Change Bulletin

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**Description: Available Retrofit for EXI & HXI
grabber lift function from driller's panel**



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BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

EXI and HXI Top Drive customers have requested Grabber Lift function to be available from the driller's panel console. This bulletin addresses EXI and HXI top drives systems currently operating in the field that may require grabber lift function from driller's panel. A retrofit kit is now available to make the necessary changes to enable grabber lift control from the driller's panel. ECN 082-0061 introduced the release of all necessary components and drawings for this retrofit kit (Tesco# 820194).

Grabber lift control has been introduced on all future EXI and HXI Top Drive production models.

AFFECTED PRODUCT:

#1130120 Top Drive, 11.11 : 1 Ratio, c/w Swivel Yoke, 480V Blower, 350-EXI-600

#840039 Top Drive, 11.11 : 1 Ratio, c/w Swivel Yoke, 600V Blower, 350-EXI-600

#1100001 Top Drive, 2.28 : 1 Ratio, c/w Swivel Yoke, 250-EXI-700

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE:

Kit, Retrofit Grabber Lift EXI/HXI (Tesco# 820194) contains all necessary components, information and documentation for a quick retrofit in the field. This kit utilizes the CDS switch on the driller's panel and the CDS directional valve on the 12 station manifold to integrate the grabber lift control on the driller's panel.

ACTION REQUIRED:

No action required, for information purposes only. The retrofit kit (Tesco #820194) can be ordered from your Tesco representative, should you want to introduce the grabber lift control on your EXI or HXI Top Drive.

Note:

All new EXI and HXI builds include grabber lift function from driller's panel.

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Contact your local TESCO Parts and Service Center for further information regarding this bulletin and or supply of affected components noted above.