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TECHNICAL BULLETIN

CODE INCOMPLIANCE – PREVENTATIVE ACTION REQUIRED

SUBJECT: HOISTWAY LANDING DOOR UNLOCKING DEVICE (2374 SERIES)

EQUIPMENT: PEELLE PART NUMBERS 2374, 2374N1 & 2374N4

DESCRIPTION: PEELLE HAS DISCOVERED A CODE COMPLIANCY ISSUE WITH OUR STANDARD UNLOCKING DEVICE. IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT THE 2374 SERIES UNLOCKING DEVICES DO NOT COMPLY WITH SECTION 2.12.6.2.2 IN THE A17/B44 SAFETY CODE FOR ELEVATORS WHICH STATES *“THE DEVICE SHALL BE DESIGNED TO PREVENT UNLOCKING THE DOOR WITH COMMON TOOLS”*.

ACTION: PEELLE HAS RE-DESIGNED THE LATCH INSIDE THE 2374 SERIES UNLOCKING DEVICES TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE MENTIONED CODE REQUIREMENT. IF YOU CURRENTLY HAVE THE TRIANGLE ACTUATOR (FIG 1.), REPLACEMENT IS REQUIRED. TO REPLACE, LOOSEN THE TWO DRIVE RIVETS THAT ATTACH THE LATCH TO THE BOX COVER WITH A PUNCH OR SMALL DRILL BIT (FIG 2.). GRAB DRIVE RIVETS ON FACE SIDE OF COVER WITH PLIERS AND PULL TO REMOVE (FIG 3.). INSERT NEW LATCH INTO COVER (FIG 4.). HAMMER TWO NEW DRIVE RIVETS INTO PLACE TO SECURE NEW LATCH (FIG 5.).

