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TO: All Piper Distributors, Service Distributors, Factory
Direct Dealers and Piper Field Service Facilities

SUBJECT: Teledyne Continental Motors Service Bulletin No. M87-15

PURPOSE: To distribute the attached Teledyne Continental Motors
Service Bulletin No. M87-15 to all Piper Distributors, Service Distributors,
Factory Direct Dealers and Piper Field Service Facilities.

Detailed information is contained in the attached publication.

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Technical Portions Are
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SUBJECT: ALTERNATOR GROUND STRAP

**MODELS
AFFECTED: All**

COMPLIANCE: At engine or alternator replacement

It has come to the attention of TCM that at the time of engine and/or alternator replacement the alternator ground strap (air frame supplied) is not being transferred to the new installation. Alternators are needlessly being returned as inoperative.

It must be noted that all installations do not require this external ground but those that do will not function without it. If the replaced engine or alternator was equipped with an external alternator ground strap it must be transferred to the new installation.

For proper operation ensure the serviceability of the ground strap prior to installation.