



# SERVICE LETTER

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Subject:

Windshield Wiper Arm Retaining  
Wire Installation

Models Affected:

PA-31, PA-31-300, PA-31-325  
Navajo/Navajo C/R  
PA-31-350 Chieftain  
PA-31P Pressurized Navajo  
PA-31T Cheyenne/Cheyenne II  
PA-31T1 Cheyenne I

Serial Numbers Affected:

31-2 through 31-7912124  
31-5001 through 31-7952250  
31P-3 through 31P-7730012  
31T-7400002 through 31T-7920060  
31T-7804001 through 31T-7904032

NOTE:

This Service Letter applies only to  
those aircraft listed above which  
have one or two windshield wipers  
installed.

Compliance Time:

Recommended at the next  
scheduled inspection.

Purpose:

Several reports have been received of windshield wiper arms separating during wiper operation. Such separation could result in the scratching of the windshield by the wiper arm.

This service release provides instructions for the installation of a retaining wire to protect against separation of the windshield wiper arms.

Instructions:

Refer to sketch. Install MS20995-C20 wire as shown to safety the two sections of the wiper arm. Make appropriate logbook entry of compliance with this service release.

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Material Required:

MS20995-C20 Wire (Piper Part Number 151 295).

Availability of Parts:

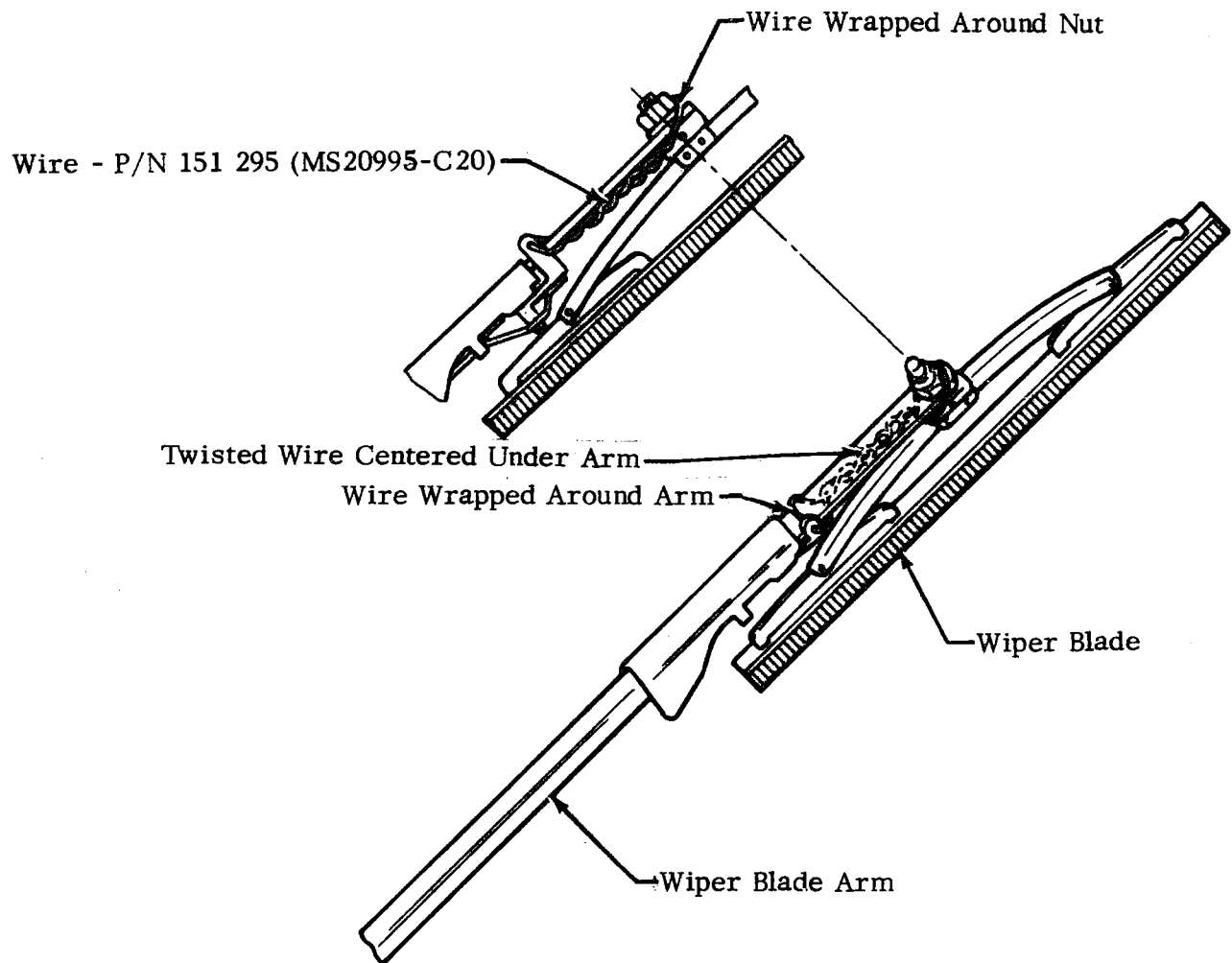
Your Piper Field Service Facility or a local supplier.

Effectivity Date:

This service release is effective upon receipt.

Summary:

Please contact your Piper Field Service Facility to arrange for compliance with this service release in accordance with the Compliance Time recommended.



Typical Windshield Wiper Blade