



Stannah Lifts Technical Bulletin

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LIFT TYPE

Stairiser products manufactured between 11/01/00 and 02/01/01

DESCRIPTION

We have identified, through a detailed risk assessment, that a fault condition could occur on Stairiser wheelchair platform stairlifts manufactured between 11/01/00 and 02/01/01. The assessment shows that the lift could travel with a barrier arm in the raised position.

The fault is that if the barrier arm limit switch fails in the open position, the controller thinks that the arm has been fully lowered and the lift is safe to travel. With the arm in the 'up' position the lift may move up or down the stairs presenting a hazard to the user.

SUMMARY

We have developed a retrofit kit for these particular models, which comprises a cam fitted to the down facing barrier arm, with a minor wiring addition. This modification will take approximately 45mins to complete including the removal and replacing of covers. A kit of components and instructions will be issued to the appropriate service branches, who are asked to carry out the modification at the next programmed service visit.

All branches are asked to inform Richard Baugh on completion of each modification. Technical assistance can also be obtained by contacting Richard Baugh on 01264 339090.