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To whom may concern

Subject: upgrading MT603G (Cat2) to MT603FG (Cat1)

This confirms that the quality and technical specifications of the EPIRB itself, for all MT603xx models are the same in all the declinations of the codes (FG and G).

The difference between (Cat1 - Auto) and Cat2 (Manual) is determined by pairing the EPIRB with the Float-Free box which contains the hydrostatic system capable of auto releasing the EPIRB in case of immersion between 1 and 4 meters.

When the EPIRB is produced/manufactured by GME as an AUTO RELEASE model (Cat1), the EPIRB is laser printed with the code MT603FG and inserted inside the Float-Free Box and sold as a unique code: MT603FG

When the EPIRB is produced/manufactured by GME as a MANUAL RELEASE model (Cat2 - Manual), the EPIRB is laser printed with the code MT603G and sold with a manual bracket with not self-activating parts.

GME supplies two accessory kits (code MT401 / 3CON and MT603 / CON) that can be used to upgrade a manual release EPIRB (code MT603G) into an automatic release one (code MT603FG).

At the end of this upgrade, the EPIRB contained inside the Float-Free box keeps the MT603G label/markings but, being equipped with the MT401/3CON or the MT603/CON, the same EPIRB becomes equivalent to AUTO RELEASE (MT603FG).

Available for any further information you need

Best regards


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