

Update to Safety Advice 59 – 2015 (June): Crack in 2007 Aichi telescopic model SN15A EWP Boom

Unison have completed their investigation into the crack found in one of their EWP booms and Aichi have confirmed that the cause was from a manufacture failure i.e. lack of fusion on the weld where the crack appeared.

It is recommended that the boom weld seam is checked on similar EWPs for such a defect. This should be carried out by someone suitably competent such as a certified inspector with a welding inspection qualification.