

Airworthiness Directive

86-137 Valentin

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Affected motorglider:

German Type Certificate No. 818

Taifun 17E

all serial numbers

Subject:

Tailplane

Reason:

Fatigue failure of one tailplane front mounting

Action:

Action to be accomplished in accordance with Technical Information.

Compliance:

Action step 1: Prior to next flight and thereafter every 25 flight hours

Action step 2: Not later than December 31, 1986

Technical publications of manufacturer:

Valentin Technical Information No. 10/818

of June 20, 1986

which becomes herewith part of this AD and may be obtained from Messrs.

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Accomplishment and log book entry:

Action step 1 to be accomplished by a skilled person and to be entered in the motorgliders log.

Action step 2 to be accomplished by an approved service station and to be entered in the motorgliders log by a licensed inspector.