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Get Some Wingtips

Dear Windy,

On our Kiowas that have been modified by MWO 55-1520-228-50/25, the fasteners for the tail rotor driveshaft covers are a real pain.


You have to use a flat-tip screwdriver and a lot of force to turn the fasteners.

If the screwdriver slips when you apply pressure, you could easily damage the cover—maybe even put a hole in it—and injure your hand.

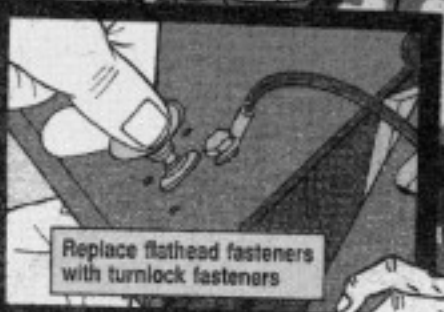
Someone said PS solved that problem years ago. So what's the solution?

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REPLACE THOSE FLATHEAD FASTENERS WITH STUD ASSEMBLY TURNLOCK FASTENERS, NSN 5325-00-839-2517. IT HAS A WING TIP THAT'S MUCH EASIER TO PUSH AND TURN. IT'S A LOT SAFER, TOO.



When screwdriver slips, cover gets damaged



Replace flathead fasteners with turnlock fasteners