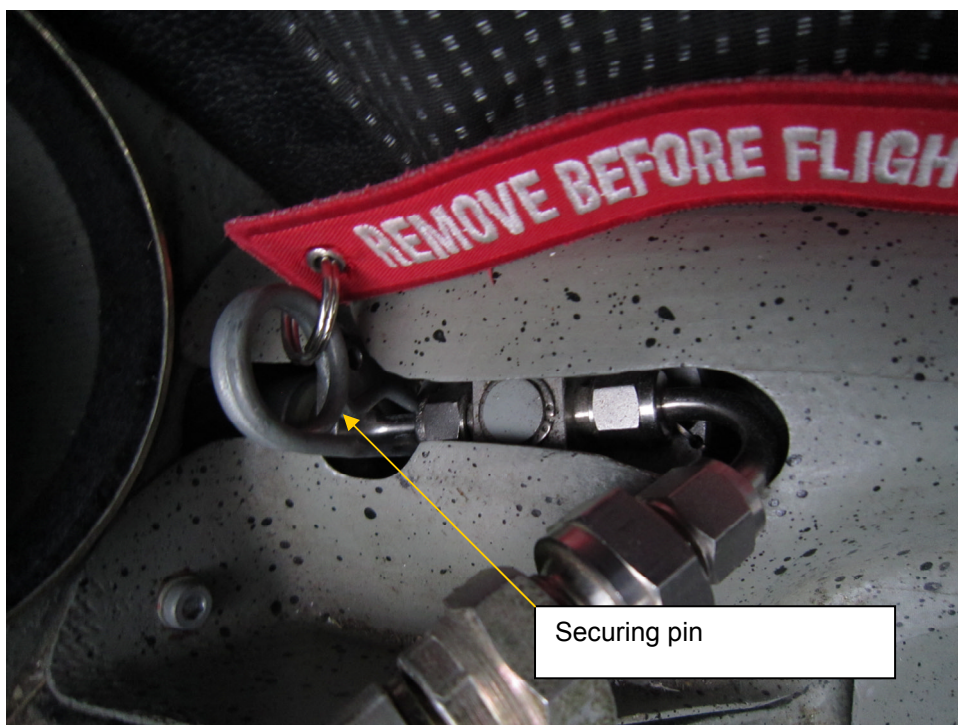


- Subject : NOAH LS, securing pin
- Effectivity : LS8 , LS10 all variants, all serial numbers, if a NOAH system is installed
- Accomplishment : Prior to next flight.
- Reason : It was reported to us that a pilot/owner didn't realize that he has to remove the NOAH securing pin (spring lock pin) before flight. So in case of an emergency bail out he wouldn't have been able to activate the NOAH system.  
The securing pin which is marked with a "remove before flight" flag was delivered with the glider to prevent inadvertent activation of the NOAH system, e.g. if the glider is parked unguarded.  
The NOAH securing pin is not mentioned in the NOAH manual.
- Instructions : Remove the NOAH securing pin before flight in any case.  
  
We recommend not to install the NOAH securing pin at all, as the risk to forget to remove the NOAH securing pin before flight is much higher than the risk of an inadvertent activation.
- Material : None.
- Weight and balance : Not applicable
- Remarks : Instructions may be executed by the pilot/owner himself.

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NOAH system secured (Cockpit, left rear end)