

SAFETY NOTICE

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PARTIAL LIFTING OF GROUNDING OF ICON CONTAINERS

MANUFACTURER SERVICE BULLETIN SB-300426

British Skydiving has received confirmation that Aerodyne have released a [Service Bulletin SB-300426](#) detailing instructions for the placement of the Automatic Activation Device (AAD) cutter.

This is in response to consultation and involvement with recent ground testing carried out in the UK. Based on the information provided by the manufacturer, and subject to the conditions outlined below, British Skydiving is authorising a **partial lifting of the grounding** for certain Aerodyne ICON containers.

Scope for Partial Lifting

- The installation and repositioning configuration detailed in SB-300426, must be carried out and signed off by a British Skydiving Advanced Rigger.
- All work must be recorded on the ICON data card and Record of Inspection, including confirmation of compliance with SB-300426.
- If your ICON documentation (data card) has been endorsed with SB210108 or TB250122, it is compliant with SB300426.

The following container models are exempt from British Skydiving [Safety Notice 01/26](#) providing the conditions listed above are met.

- ICON models I4 / S4 through I9 / S9
- Applicable to both Nexgen (IX Series) and Pre-Nexgen ICON systems.

Continued Restrictions:

- Aerodyne ICON container sizes I1 to I3 remain grounded until further notice.

Ongoing Review:

British Skydiving will continue to monitor developments, including any further findings from the Board of Inquiry and additional manufacturer guidance. Further updates or directives will be issued as necessary.

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