

SERVICE LETTER NO. 72-6

DATE: December 11, 1972

SUBJECT: Fuel Quantity and Fuel Quick Drain Placards

SERIALS AFFECTED: AALA-0246 thru AALA-0470, AA1B-0001 thru AA1B-0023,  
AA5-0001 thru AA5-0180

TIME OF COMPLIANCE: At next scheduled inspection, or sooner at owner's discretion

General

Field reports indicate that on some aircraft the fuel quantity and fuel drain placards, located by the fuel tank caps and the quick drains respectively, show signs of deterioration after exposure to frequent fuel spillage and aircraft washing or polishing. Placards showing signs of this deterioration must be replaced.

Recent production aircraft have incorporated improved exterior fuel placards with subsurface printing which makes them more durable. These new style placards should be used as replacements, where required, on any of the above listed aircraft. Refer to the placard list below for the correct ordering information:

Placard Name	Part Number	Print Color	Aircraft Model	Qty. Per Aircraft	Location Used
Fuel Capacity	803007-26	White	AA-1A & AA-1B	2 or	Top of wings
Fuel Capacity	803007-28	Black	AA-1A & AA-1B	2	"
Fuel Capacity	5803007-6	White	AA-5	2 or	"
Fuel Capacity	5803007-9	Black	AA-5	2	"
Fuel Drains-LH	5803007-18	White	AA-5	2 or	Fuselage Sides
Fuel Drains-LH	5803007-20	Black	AA-5	2	"
Fuel Drains-RH	5803007-19	White	AA-5	2 or	"
Fuel Drains-RH	5803007-21	Black	AA-5	2	"

Order two (2) white or two (2) black placards of each type as required.

The required placards may be obtained through your authorized American Aviation Corporation Dealer at no charge until July 1, 1973. Thereafter, they will be available at prevailing prices.

Prices subject to change without notice.

Very truly yours,

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