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Date: 4/24/2002 NAME FAILURE P/N MODE & OTY CRIT CAUSES FAILURE EFFECT RATIONALE FOR ACCEPTANCE 151FM07 ELECTRICAL POWER 3/1RAB END ITEM: Electrical A. Design -HARNESS, ITEM 151 open, (+) Loss of SV789151-4 batterv line continuity in Open cirucits in any of the circuits in the Item 151 harness is minimized by the to DCM and SV789151-4 one of two following: (1) fan/pump/separa redundant a. Conductors are hard potted in Stycast 2651 in the area that they interface with the metal backshells to minimize their movement and chance of shorting to tor. battery (+) lines that the backshell. power DCM and Cable chafing b. The conductors are strain relieved at the connector/harness interface with a SV824051-1 against fan/pump/separa molded rubber backshell. This minimizes the effects of cable tension on the (1)connector tor. individual conductors. shell or c. Conductors are sheathed within a woven Nomex outer layer. This holds the shield. GFE INTERFACE: cable together to share any loading. Improper Loss of one of d. #22 and #24 AWG Teflon jacked wires provide electrical and mechanical connector two redundant properties which help prevent breakage. strain relief. battery (+) e. Each connector/adapter ring interface is locked in place to prevent rotation lines. Slight Faulty by a combined mechanical and adhesive lock. Wire crimping per SVSH4909 (based on connection increase (0.05 MSFC-Spec-Q-1A). between the ohm) in path connector and resistance. SV824051-1 the lead Open circuits in any of the circuits in the item 151 harness are minimized by wires. the following: MISSION: conductor Connectors of all metal construction with smooth internal edges (0.010" min. severed, None for corner radius) on backshell housings to prevent cable chafing are used. Each connector/backshell interface is locked in place by a mechanical lock to contact single prevent rotation. Each connector/cable interface is strain relieved by the use failure. resistance. Terminate EVA of a connector backshell strain relief nut, collet, and pressure sensitive tape with loss of as required to secure the electrical cable. The #22 and #24 Teflon insulated wires and connector provide electrical second line (loss of fan). conduction and insulation properties. Connector pins are operating at 56.7% of derated temperature and the wire at 77.8% of derated current. A woven Halar sheath is assembled over the cable wire bundles to provide load CREW/VEHICLE: sharing and protection from abrasion and impact. Wire crimping is performed per NHB5300.4 (3H). None for single or double B. Test failure. Component Acceptance Test -Possible loss SV789151-4 of crewman The harness is acceptance tested per the following tests of AT-EMU-151 to insure there are no workmanship problems which would cause actual or potential open with loss of SOP. circuits. Pull Test - This test subjects each connector/harness interface to a specific pull test (9 pounds) designed to exceed any stress encountered in actual use. The insulation resistance between each conductor and the ground TIME TO EFFECT circuit is measured during the test to ensure there is no shorting. The test is followed by a continuity check of each conductor path to ensure there are no /ACTIONS: open circuits. Continuity Test - The resistance of each circuit is measured to Seconds. ensure there are no open circuits or high resistance paths.

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TIME

AVAILABLE: Minutes.

TIME REOUIRED: Seconds.

The 151 harness is subjected to acceptance testing per AT-E-151-1 prior to final acceptance to ensure there are no workmanship problems that could cause an open or short circuit. Each connector/harness interface is subjected to a 9 - 10 pound pull test. The insulation resistance between each conductor and ground circuit is measured during this test to ensure there are not intermittent shorts

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REDUNDANCY SCREENS:

> A-FAIL B-FAIL C-PASS

and to verify the integrity of the harness strain relief. A continuity test is performed to measure the resistance of each circuit to ensure there are not open circuits or high resistance paths. The insulation resistance and dielectric strength between each conductor and the shield ground is measured to ensure there are no shorts.

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PDA Test -

The (+) battery lines are checked during the Performance portion of PLSS PDA testing per para. 46.0 of SEMU-60-010.

Certification Test -

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Certified for a useful life of 18 years (ref. EMUM1-0099).

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Certified for a useful life of 15 years (ref. EMU1-13-046).

C. Inspection - SV789151-4

During harness manufcturing, the following inspections are performed to insure there are no open circuits.

- a. Visual inspection of conductors prior to potting opertions to ensure there are no damaged conductors and that the conductors are routed properly.
- b. Visual inspection of the harness prior to and after rubber boot molding process to ensure there are no damaged conductors which could cause an open circuit.
- c. In-process electrical checkout of the harness before and after potting and molding to ensure there are no open circuits.
- d. Visual inspection of the conductors prior to application of the outer sheath to ensure there are no damaged conductors that could cause an open circuit.
- e. Connector contact crimp samples are made prior to and after crimping and subjected to pull testing to issure the crimping tools are operating properly. This insures there will not be any high resistance problems at the contacts.

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To ensure that there are no workmanship problems which could cause an open or short circuit in the harness conductors, the following inspections are made: Contact crimp samples are made prior to start of crimping and at the conclusion of crimping and pull tested to ensure the crimp tooling is operating properly. Electrical bond test is performed to verify ground path through various points on the harness.

In-process and final electrical checkout of the harness (conductor continuity, dielectric strength, and insulation resistance tests) are performed to ensure there are not open/short circuits.

All crimp terminations are inspected for defects

D. Failure History - SV789151-4

The following RDR's were issued for Item 151 due to open circuits. H-EMU-151-D001-(7/8/83)

Intermittent open due to a broken wire at the P12 connector during acceptance testing. This failure was caused by a workmanship problem. The corrective action taken was to add a visual inspection prior to molding.

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H-EMU-151-D002 - (12/14/83)

Intermittent open due to a broken wire at the P3 connector during acceptance testing due to a workmanship problem. The corrective action taken was to issue EC 42806-527 which fixes the angular location of the P3 adapter ring slot to insure proper wire exit and EC 42806-527-2 which requires that a pull test be performed to detect opens.

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SV824051-1 None.

E. Ground Turnaround -

None, this failure mode cannot be detected during normal ground turnaround testing because of the redundant design of the (+) battery line.

F. Operational Use -

Crew Response - PreEVA/EVA: No response, single failure undetectable by crew or ground. Training - No training specifically covers this failure mode. Operational Considerations - EVA checklist and FDF procedures verify hardware integrity and systems operational status prior to EVA. Real Time Data System allows ground monitoring of EMU systems.

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FOR THE

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