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Ocenco EBA 6.5 SCSR – Inspection Notice

Ocenco Incorporated has identified a material degradation issue within a limited number of EBA 6.5 Self-Contained Self-Rescue devices. Ocenco is notifying end users to inspect and remove from service EBA 6.5 SCSRs that were manufactured or serviced on or prior to **December 2009**, and contact Ocenco to have these devices returned for factory service in accordance with the NIOSH/MSHA Service Life Plan. Devices manufactured on or prior to December 2009 may contain oxygen hoses that have lost physical properties resulting in the potential to tear if roughly handled during donning. Ocenco has not received any reports of injuries associated with this condition. Most of these devices have already been removed from service as they have reached their 10-year mandatory factory service date. The manufacturing date and last-serviced date information is located on the EBA 6.5 base – see photographs below. As a reminder, SCSRs that exceed their expiration date or fail the manufacturer’s visual inspection criteria, must not be used for training. Additionally, Ocenco recommends that devices affected by this Notice not be used for training.

Please contact your Ocenco distributor if you have any questions regarding this Inspection Notice.



Date Manufactured **Dec/09**



Date Last Serviced **Dec/09**