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To: All Members  
cc: The Quality and Technical Committee (1792)

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Dear Sir,

## **Oakland Elevators Ltd, Ceiling Tray Locks**

I enclose a Technical Instruction sheet received from the above company concerning ceiling tray locks in certain of their equipment.

Would members please be guided accordingly.

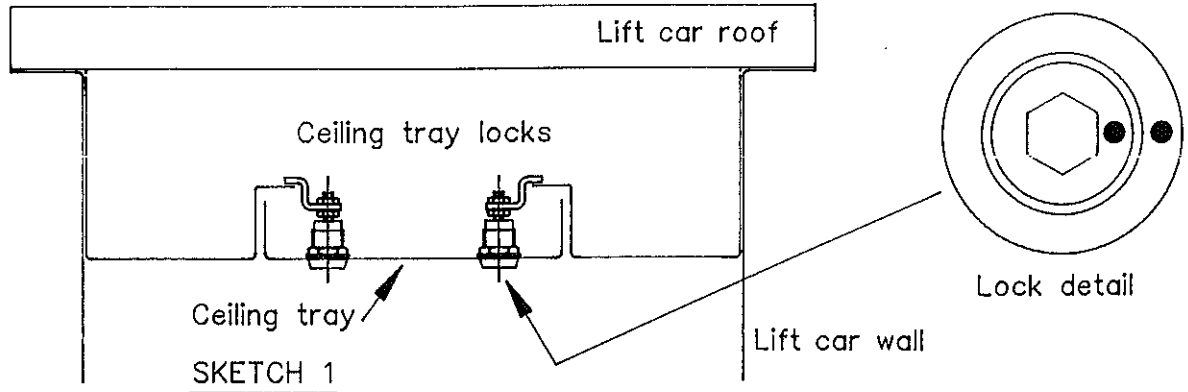
Yours faithfully,



D M Fazakerley  
Director

We have recently had an incident reported which was caused by a ceiling tray lock not being in the fully closed position.

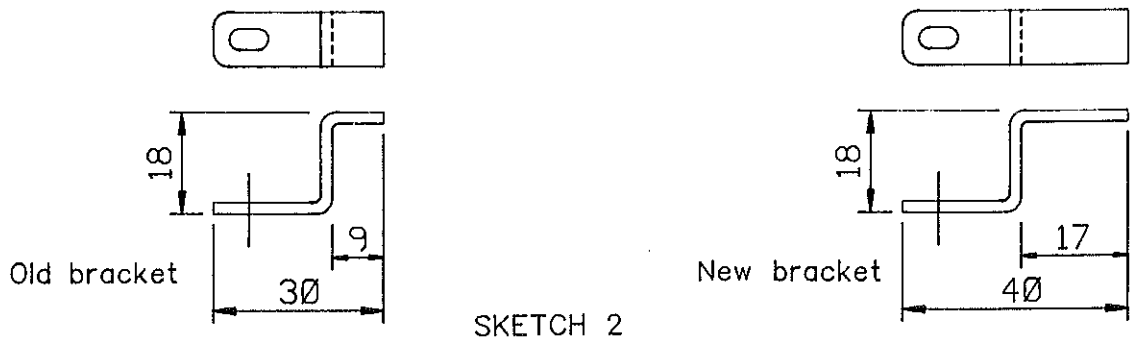
The ceiling tray lock in question is incorporated into Oakland passenger lifts commissioned between September 1991 and September 1993.- subsequent installations incorporate modified brackets (see below). The assembly details are as shown in sketch 1.



The lock details show 2 dots which when aligned indicate that the lock is in the 'locked position'. Please carefully examine that the dots are aligned when locking the ceiling tray.

As a precautionary measure, longer clamping brackets are now available and we would advise that these should be fitted. Please contact Peter Masterson at Oakland stores with any requirements you may have.

Sketch 2 shows the comparative sizes of the old and new brackets.



Please examine any Oakland passenger lift that you may service which was commissioned between September 1991 and September 1993.

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Ceiling tray locks

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