

ACTION ITEM NO: 6-24

DATE SUBMITTED: 19 JUL 98

SUBMITTED BY: MALS-31

PROBLEM:

ST-1000'S Reliability.

DISCUSSION:

The ST-1000's are an Air Conditioner (A/C) recovery unit presently assigned to Work Center (W/C) 990 as an IMRL item. The units are unreliable and ineffective as recovery units. Although, the W/C has the publications to order parts for the unit, it's dependability makes it more of a detriment to the W/C vice an asset.

RECOMMENDATION:

Provision and procure the Kool Kare recovery unit manufactured by Snap-On. This unit recovers, recycles, evacuates and charges refrigerant. The Kool Kare unit is reliable and compatible with R-22 Freon, via a dip switch setting. The unit is available through the supply system for a cost of \$4,613.88. These items could be added to the Table of Basic Allowance (TBA) and accounted for as "controlled-equipage." This company's reputation, reliability, and support make it a practical choice to meet the maintenance requirements of the Fleet.

STATUS: 29 JUL 98

Closed. The Logistics Review Group (LRG) Steering Committee held at JRB Ft. Worth, Texas on 29 Jul 98 request refer to Action Item No. 6-23.