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## Technical Information

TECHNICAL SERVICE BULLETIN - 1386

TO: ALL GRAVELY DUTLETS

DATE: MARCH 4, 1971

SUBJECT: ELECTRIC LIFT ACTUATORS

During the time that the Electric Lift has been areas where questions have come up about the areas are as follows:

 The Lift Actuator is equipped with a thermal switch that shuts off the actuator if the switch is engaged longer than necessary to allow the electric lift to travel its full stroke.

When this occurs, the unit should be allowed to cool several minutes; it will then operate properly.

When this condition occurs, some dealers have felt the actuator was shorting out.

The manufacturer has advised us that the first 500 units may not operate consistently at temperatures of 10<sup>0</sup> or below , due to the type of lubricant used.

If you have a customer whose lift does not work, request that he run the tractor engine about 10 minutes to heat the actuator before operating the lift.

Please give this information to your customers, it may save a useless service call.

Mel Lance

Service Manager