



Marathon Equipment has made the following changes to accommodate product improvements. Please note these changes and keep for future reference. For a complete list of Tech Notes, product information and news from Marathon, log-on to our web site:

www.MarathonEquipment.com/TechNotes.htm

If you have a service, maintenance or technical question, email our Service Department Manager: Keith@marathonequipment.com

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Marathon Equipment Company
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Machines Effected:

All standard duty and heavy duty Cart Dumpers, MPT, VIP (all models), RJ-1835 (all models), All Self-Contained Compactors, RJ-225 (all models), RJ-325, RJ-400VL, RJ-450, RJ-550, All Trash Commander Units, All Global Units (except Precrusher models), All Vertical Balers

Improvement:

On June 15, 2004 an improvement was made to Marathon's product line to utilize close-coupled motors. This change reduced the number of moving parts, reduced potential maintenance, and assured alignment between the pump and motor shafts. The major motors that were affected were our 1 1/2hp through 15hp motors. By changing to the close-coupled motors we were able to eliminate the need for the pump-to-motor adapters and hub couplings.

Below is a list of affected models and part numbers:

MOTOR	REPLACED WITH
1 1/2HP - 03-2649	03-4408
3HP - 03-1134	03-4350
5HP - 03-2987	03-4367
10HP - 03-0004	03-3665
10HP - 03-0345	03-3665
15HP - 03-0346	03-4351