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All: attached as an RTF file is PML News Volume 4, a notice about onboard electronics and electrical connections.

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NOTICE REGARDING P5 ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

Our P5 Altimeter supplier Transolve has recently received some warranty returns that show signs of black powder residue on the electrical connections. To reiterate the information in the P5 instructions:

“The altimeter bay section of the rocket should be sealed from the rest of the rocket. This is very important to allow correct pressure sensing, as well as to protect the P5 from the pressure of the deployment charge firing and black powder residue.”

We have added the following statement to the P5 instructions in the “Prepare P5 for Flight” section.

“1. Ensure electrical connection pins on P5 are clean. If necessary, scrape connections with X-Acto blade until shiny. Failure to ensure clean connections may directly affect reliability.”

Please ensure that your P5's (and any electronics for that matter) are protected from BP residue, and that the electrical connections are clean before use.

Contacting PML and Information Resources

- Telephone 810-468-1748 or fax at 810-465-2911 (9am-5pm EST Monday through Friday).
- We have a toll-free number for **orders only** (no technical or order status questions, please):
1-888-PUBLICM
- Online at our web site: www.publicmissiles.com
- Please direct questions regarding any custom work and pricing for it, gripes and praise to 810-468-1748 or at 75272.1666@compuserve.com
- Please direct technical questions regarding building problems or questions, instruction explanations, operational questions, etc. to PML's Online Support rep, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at ADWaddell@home.com. Most questions are answered within 1-2 days.