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Service Bulletin

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Product Family: 2009 AMP Rider Mowers

Subject: AMP Rider Battery Storage

Dealer Action: Check Inventory and Charge Batteries as Needed

Ariens Model Description Serial Number Range

916002 AMP Rider 34" Deck 000101 & Up

AMP Rider mowers that are in stock and have been sitting for six months must have their batteries charged to ensure optimal battery life. This requirement was detailed in a service letter released in April 2009. Please review Service Letter L-2144 and the highlights below.

AMP Rider Battery Charging

- AMP Rider units that have not been set up and operated can be stored without charging the batteries for up to six months.
- Once the six-month point is reached the batteries must be fully charged.
- Once a unit is removed from the crate and is being used, even occasionally, it should be connected
 to the charger when not in use.
- Inventory should be rotated so that it is first in, first out to ensure the best possible battery life.

If you have any further questions about this product or to request the AMP Rider training material contact Ariens Technical Service at 1-888-927-4367.