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To: Authorized Service Providers and DirectCare Accounts Date: May 13, 1996

From: Technical Service and Support

ISSUE ALERT LETTER #14

Attached is Issue Alert Letter #14 detailing a screen problem and its fix on T21XXCS systems.

Please make copies of the attached letter and distribute it to your Service Manager and Toshiba Certified Technicians.

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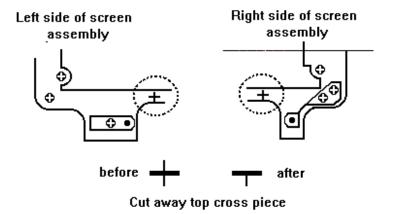
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Issue Alert Letter #14

Dear Toshiba Service Providers and Customers,

During reassembly, the screen on a T21XXCS system is often positioned too low and allowed to contact the cross-shaped posts molded into the bottom edge of the top cover. If a sufficient gap is not maintained between the edge of the screen and the post, light shock or the closing action can leave small indentations on the metal frame of the screen. These indentations may cause damage to the drivers mounted along the bottom edge beneath the frame. This can result in vertical lines being displayed or dark screen failures.

To eliminate the possibility of damage, the top cross piece of both the left and right side posts should be cut away as shown in the illustration.



This piece can be shaved down using small diagonal cutters or a knife. The piece removed may have a conductive coating, so care should be taken to prevent pieces of the cut plastic from dropping down into the system. This cut should be applied anytime a T21XXCS system is brought in for service.

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