



MODEL	: T-900 Series; T2100 Series
TYPE	: Product improvement
MANUAL &	
SECTION	: Maintenance Manual: Chapter 5-Brakes
	Parts Manual: Section 671109- Compressed Air System
DATE	: January 20 <sup>th</sup> , 1999
SUBJECT	: Quick release valve - front brakes
CONDITIONS	: Parts may be purchased from your nearest International Coach Parts Inc. dealer.

## DESCRIPTION:

- From October 1998 on, a new QR-1 quick release valve for the front axle brakes has been cut into production. The new valve has a higher supply and delivery pressure differential (crack pressure) than the one formerly installed and provides for more progressive braking. Refer to "Service information" in this Bulletin for practical data.
- Following units have been factory equipped with the new QR-1 quick release valve:

T-900/45: from VIN 42125 on T2140 Cummins: from VIN 40125 on T2140 DD: from VIN 40588 on T2145 Cummins: from VIN 43247 on T2145 DD: from VIN 43751 on

## PARTS

Always use genuine maintenance products and parts. Do not accept imitations!

Part No.	Description	Qty.
VH 10652364	QR-1 Quick release valve Bendix 278483 (crack pressure: 5-8 psi)	1

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## **SERVICE INFORMATION:**

- 1. The QR-1 valve is located next to the front service tank (refer to Parts Manual, Section 671109).
- 2. The new QR-1 valve is directly interchangeable with the former part.
- 3. The former QR-1 valve Bendix 107740 (VH 637211890) with crack pressure 0-1 psi will be no longer available as service part for this application.
- 4. Part identification: The new QR-1 valve carries a round tag stamped "QR065" (1, Figure 1) and is labeled "Bendix 278483/5 - 8 psi diff" (2, Figure 1)

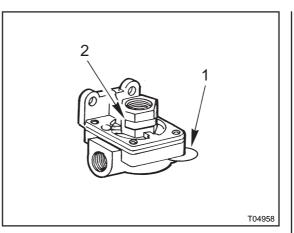


Figure 1:QR-1 quick release valve Bendix 278483 (crack pressure: 5-8 psi) with identification tag (1) and label (2)