



SERVICE BULLETIN No.1139

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COACH MODEL	: T2145 and C2045
BULLETIN TYPE	: Product Improvement
MANUAL & SECTION	: Spare Parts Manual: Section 783009 - Dashboard
PARTS BOOK REVISION	: No
DATE	: May 27, 2004
SUBJECT	: Secondary lock connector for driver's compartment defroster control switch
TERMS & CONDITIONS	: No claims will be accepted with reference to this Bulletin.

APPLICATION:

Model	Engine	VIN
T2145	Cummins	44300 →
	Detroit Diesel	44612 →
C2045	Cummins	45442 →
	Detroit Diesel	45955 →

DESCRIPTION:

UWE, manufacturers of the UWE Easy Term 2000 defroster control switch, which is located on the dashboard of the above-mentioned coach models, have released a new seven pin, secondary lock connector for this switch (see Figure 1, overleaf).

The new connector attaches to the switch housing by means of two small captive screws, giving a more secure connection than can be provided by the plug terminals only.

As from December 2003, Van Hool have cut this product improvement in production.

Refer to the parts section in this Bulletin for applicable part numbers.

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PARTS AND PRODUCTS:

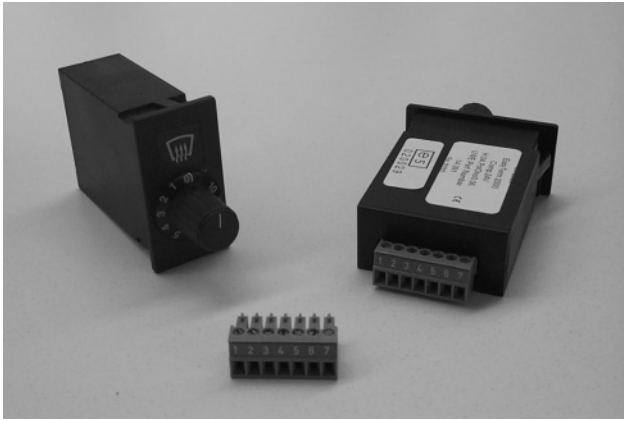


Figure 1: Old UWE Easy Term 2000 defroster control switch and 7 pin, non-secondary lock connector

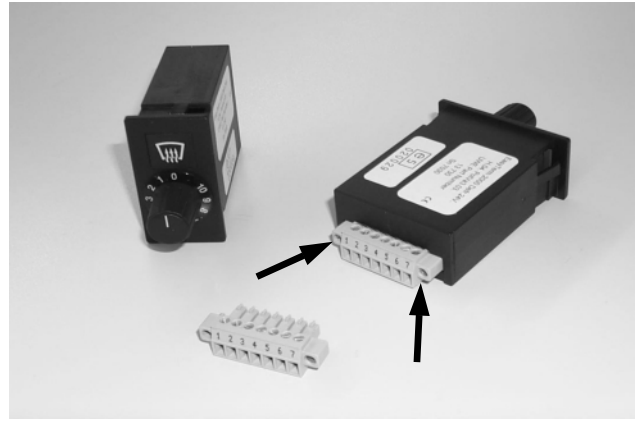


Figure 2: Same as Figure 1, but w/ secondary lock connector. Arrows indicate the captive screws which secure the connector to the housing.

Old parts

Part No.	Description	Qty.
VH 10689684	Control switch, UWE EasyTerm 2000 Defroster 24V	1
VH 10737771	Connector, 7-pin for VH 10689684	1

New parts

Part No.	Description	Qty.
VH 10689684	Control switch, UWE EasyTerm 2000 Defroster 24V, incl. VH 10875691	1
VH 10875691	Connector, 7-pin secondary lock for VH 10689684 w/ captive screws	1

- Old and new parts are interchangeable, but only the new will be offered for service replacement.
- The secondary lock function is available only if the control switch is provided with threaded holes in the back of the housing. Plug retaining screws are captive and are not sold separately.
- Parts may be purchased from your nearest ABC Customer Care & Parts Source dealership.
- Parts and products disposition: discard according to applicable environmental regulations.

PROCEDURE:

***NOTE:** Wires attach to the 7-pin connector by means of screw terminals.*

- To remove the plug from the control switch, simply undo both connector screws at the back of the housing using a small screwdriver, then withdraw the connector.
- To install, plug-in the connector while taking care not to bend the terminals, then secure finger tight with the screws.

Procedure complete.

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