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### ***Changes to the UQJ Heatshrink Sleeves***

#### **Introduction**

The UQJ joint is encapsulated by a pair of heatshrink sleeves that are applied in a set sequence. Earlier UQJ kits may contain heatshrinks with or without thermochromic paint. This Bulletin is applicable to product supplied after June 2020

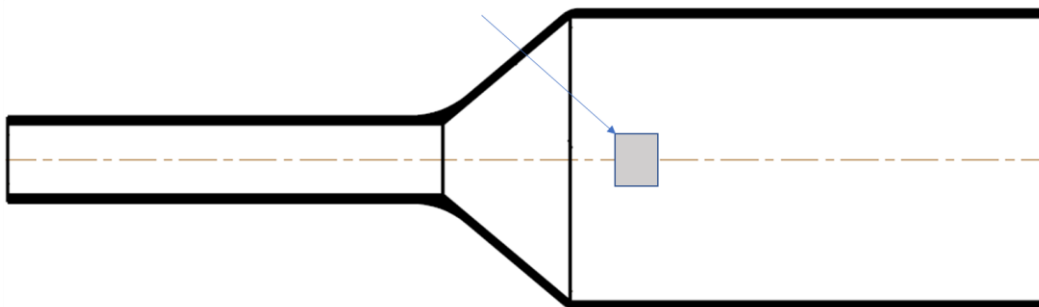
Two changes will be addressed in this UJC Bulletin:

- Part 'A' and 'B' Marking
- Quantity of hot-melt adhesive

#### **Part Marking**

To aid assembly, changes to these parts now include laser etching to identify each part in addition to the parts' drawing number. Please refer to Figure 1 below.

ID for first part to be applied 'A'  
ID for second part to be applied 'B'



**Figure 1 – Part Identification**

#### **Quantity of Hot-melt Adhesive**

Both parts now have a reduced amount of hot-melt adhesive, therefore upon shrinking there may be minimal beading of hot-melt adhesive extruded from the ends of the heatshrink.

Please contact the Training School if you have any questions or require clarification. If you have any queries concerning these changes, please contact the UJ Consortium Co-ordinator.

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