

January 26, 2016

SERVICE MEMORANDUM NO. SM1602

SUBJECT: ACTIA® Instrument Cluster Updates, Enhancements.

MODEL YEAR(S): BBCV 2011 Model Forward, T3FE, T3RE, D3FE, D3RE, All Year Models

MODEL(S) AFFECTED: BBCV, T3FE, T3RE, D3FE, D3RE

Blue Bird Field Service would like to make you aware of the following instrument cluster updates, and enhancements that implemented starting with buses built on or after 01/11/2016. The updates and enhancements will also be included on new service replacement part numbers. For detailed driver operation, and service related information please refer to the Blue Bird driver handbooks, service part catalogs, and service manuals. Additional service information can also be found on the Blue Vantage website. Contact your Blue Bird Field Service Engineer if you have any questions.

- The total number of ACTIA® instrument cluster part numbers has been reduced to four. Air Brake, Hydraulic Brake, Air Brake Pre-Common, and Hydraulic Brake Pre-Common
- Buses built on or after 01/11/2016 will use the same part number for service replacement as the original production part number instrument cluster.
- An odometer unlock feature has been added to the configuration menu which allows the Blue Bird dealer to reset the odometer via a password if required.
- Support was added for Blue Bird ConnectTM push messaging.
- Customer requested enhancements to multiple audible alarms and display messages.
- Fuel economy bar graphs added to the display menu choices.