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**Date: July 15, 2009**  
**To: ALL USERS OF THE READ-OUT SUPPORT EQUIPMENT (ROSE) SOFTWARE**  
**Subject: Field Service Bulletin, ROSE SB004,**

**Release of ROSE Software Version 4.0**

Gentlemen:

L-3 Communications Aviation Recorders has released ROSE Software Version 4.0. ROSE Version 4.0 release is for all users of the ROSE software using Microsoft XP™ and Vista™ 32 bit operating system on Ground Support Equipment to test the FA2100 FDR and F1000 SSFDR units. A new ROSE 4.0 Manual will be released: Read-Out Support Equipment/-Recorder Interface ROSE/RI Software Version 4.0, or higher Operators Manual, p/n 165E1696-04. If you have a Ground Support Equipment using only Microsoft Vista™ operating system, you are required to use ROSE Software Version 4.0. If you are using ROSE Software Version 3.X with Microsoft 98™ or XP™ operating system, the Read-Out Support Equipment/-Recorder Interface ROSE/RI Software Version 3.0, or higher Operators Manual, p/n 165E1696-02 will still be available.

The Field Service Bulletin ROSE SB004, dated July 15, 2009 is attached to this letter.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David D. Dowding', with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

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