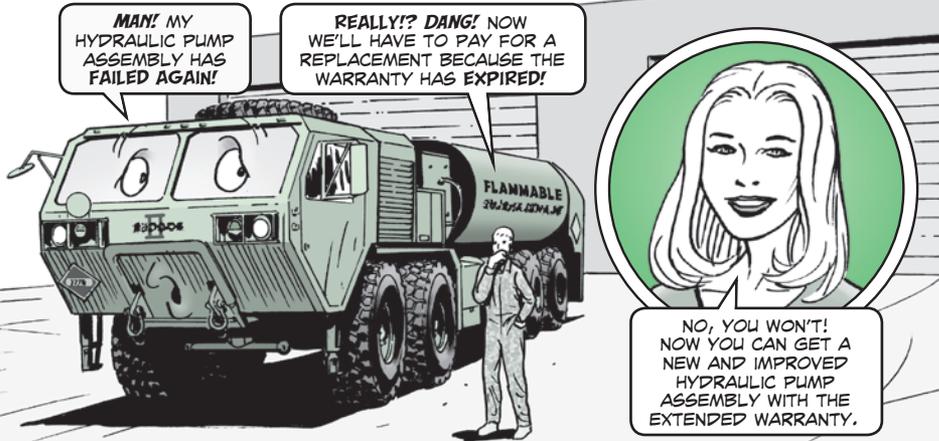


FAILED HYDRAULIC PUMP ASSEMBLIES UNDER WARRANTY



A lot of hydraulic pump assemblies, NSN 4320-01-579-1044, on the M978A4 HEMTT have failed. That's not good news because the hydraulic pump assembly is a vital and expensive component of tanker fueling operations. If it fails, fueling operations come to a screeching halt!

But here's some good news. Units can get a new and improved hydraulic pump assembly, NSN 4320-01-618-6603, at no cost through the Oshkosh warranty claim process.

Warranty Walk-thru

In a nutshell, your unit will notify Oshkosh of the failed part, then Oshkosh will confirm it. Units are responsible for installing the replacement hydraulic pump assembly they get from the manufacturer.

Make sure TM 9-2320-326-14&P in IETM EM 0288 (Oct 08) is used to verify your M978A4 HEMTT's hydraulic pump assembly has failed. Your unit can request the replacement pump by emailing a warranty claim form to Oshkosh Corporation at:

warrantyclaims@defense.oshkoshcorp.com

Download a copy of the claim form at:

<https://tulsa.tacom.army.mil/SAFETY/?t=soum&f=OshkoshWarrantyClaimFrm.xlsx>

For accountability and tracking purposes, you must also send the warranty claim to TACOM LCMC's HEMTT equipment specialist, Jaime Albers, at:

jaime.t.albers.civ@mail.mil

Warranty Window

The improved hydraulic pump assembly has a 12-month warranty that starts the day the pump is shipped to the warranty location.

And the old hydraulic pump assembly now has an extended warranty. The warranty for Active Duty units ends on 1 Sep 15. Because their fuel tankers aren't used as much, the warranty for National Guard and Reserve Components doesn't end until 1 Sep 17. Once the warranty expires, units will have to pick up the tab for replacements.

Upcoming Update

The new and improved hydraulic pump assembly will be included in the next TM update.

Want more details about this issue? Eyeball TACOM Maintenance Information Message 14-004 online:

<https://tulsa.tacom.army.mil/SAFETY/message.cfm?id=MI14-004.html>

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KEEPING WATER OUT OF TURRET



*Dear Mr. D.M.,
There is no tarp in the Army system made specifically for the M1151. However, NSN 2540-00-587-2532 brings a 12x7-ft tarp that can be strapped in place with some bungee cords. Or if your post has a canvas shop, get them to make you a cover.*

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