# **Declaration of Conformity No. SAR/ST001**



This declaration of conformity is issued by Specialist Access & Rescue Products Ltd. Of Sarena House, Vulcan Street, Oldham, OL1 4LQ

We herby declare that:

Equipment: EVAC Body Splint

Models: ST003

The SAR EVAC Body Splint conforms to the EC Declaration of Conformity with the provisions of Council Directive 93/42/EEC covering Medical Devices. Artical 11(5) and Annex VII Class I Devices. The working load limit is 150Kg vertical and 300kg horizontal.

We hereby declare that the above product named above has been designed and manufactured to comply with the relevant sections of the above referenced standards. The unit complies with all applicable Essential Requirement of the Directives. Is manufactured In accordance with SAR's ISO 9001:2015 Quality management systems

Signed by:

Name: Lee Allport

Position: Operations Director

Done At: SAR Products - Sarena House, Vulcan Street, Oldham, OL1 4LQ

On: 17/10/18

### **Product Record**

This documentation should be issued with and kept for each item or system. Please see the product label for the details required below. Consult this guide for advice on inspection, maintenance, lifespan, etc.

User's Name:				
Date Of Manufacture:		Date Of Purchase:		
Date First Used:		Product Serial No.:		
Inspection Record				
Date	Reason for entry: Periodic examination or repair		Name of Inspector	Next date of Inspection

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The EU Declaration of conformity is available by scanning the QR code or visiting - www.sar-products.com/eu-doc/



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User Guide: **EVAC Body Splint** 

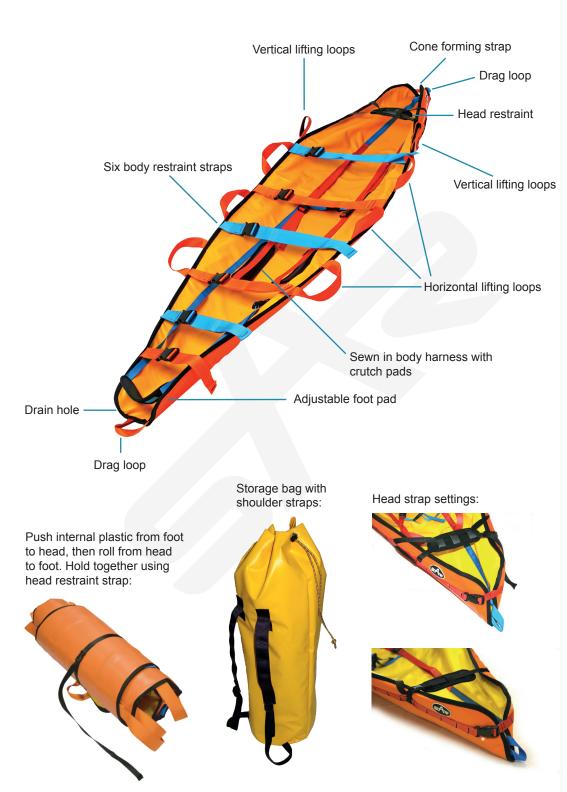
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Please read, study and understand these instructions before use. The materials used in this product are high spec polyesters & nylon

The EVAC Body Splint has been designed for confined space rescue and therefore does not come under personal protective equipment. The EVAC is suitable for many other applications in rescue. The underside orange PVC reinforced polyester sheet is flame resistant. Only use as instructed and with compatible items of equipment. Check that the safe function of any one component within a system will not interfere with the safe function of another. Twists in the webbing and buckles fastened incorrectly can cause problems, weakness, serious injury or death. Neatness is strength.

Users should be trained, competent or under the supervision of such a person.

#### Safety

The safety provided by this body splint depends on its design, strength and skill of the user. The strength will be reduced through age, wear and tear, abrasion, cuts, high impact loads, tight/sharp edges, knots, some chemicals (e.g. alkalis, etc.), UV or failure to store and maintain as recommended. This list is not exhaustive. Do not alter the product in any way. Any product subjected to a minor fall should be examined and discarded if there is any sign of defect or any doubts about its safety.

#### Lifespan

This is difficult to estimate but we advise as follows: Do not use more than ten years after the date of manufacture. Assuming you have used the correct storage. The working life can vary between a single use in extreme circumstances (e.g. highly chemical environment, serious fall) to the maximum of ten years, depending on how the product is used. The working life will be reduced through age, general wear and tear, abrasion, cuts, damage to component parts, inappropriate ancillary equipment, high impact load, prolonged exposure to UV light including sunlight, elevated temperature (50° C max) exposure to some chemicals or failure to store and maintain as recommended. This list is not exhaustive.

### Inspection

Before each use visually inspect to ensure the product is in serviceable condition and operates correctly. We recommend that an examination is carried out every 6 months by a competent person. These inspections should be recorded paying particular attention to areas of potentially high wear such as attachment points, buckles, connectors and sewn joints Inspect as follows:

**Textiles:** Check for cuts, tears, and abrasions, damage due to deterioration, contact with heat, alkalis or other corrosives.

**Sewing:** Check for broken, cut or worn threads.

Immediately withdraw from service any items showing defects. The user's life depends on it. All repair work should be carried out by the manufacturer or with their authorisation

#### **Anchorage**

Anchor points should always be strong enough to hold the casualty. They should be at least 10kN. (10-1 safety factor)

#### Instructions

- Open roll, connect and tension bottom leg strap and connect cone forming strap to help hold Body splint stay in open position.
- Unclip all other straps and lay over side to ready splint for casualty.
- Load Casualty with head positioned in Cone section.
- Fit body harness with comfort pads in crutch.
- Fit foot strap firm with pad under feet.
- Fasten all body straps firm around casualty forming splint around body.
- Fit head restraint strap and pad through positioning loops on sides of cone and over forehead firm.

Note: The information in this guide meets the requirements of the E.C. Directive 89/686/EEC. It is not comprehensive and cannot be substituted for the correct training, which can be provided if required. If in any doubt please don't hesitate to contact us.