

VEHICLE CONVERSION CAUTIONARY NOTICES

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General Notice

Generally vehicles with plastic inlet manifolds should not be fitted with single point systems in view of the danger of damage should a backfire occur

Citroen

<u>Vehicle Model</u> All models with Direct Petrol Injection	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines	<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines
<u>Reported Problem</u> Combustion damage to petrol injectors	<u>Reported solutions</u> Do not convert

Ford

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Focus – 1600cc – (1998 – mid 2000)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre PowerTorque	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre
<u>Reported Problem</u> May suffer valve degradation on constant motorway use	<u>Reported solutions</u> This engine has hydraulic tappets – use hardened valves and seats

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Focus – 1600cc – (mid 2000 – 2002)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre
<u>Reported Problem</u> May suffer valve degradation on constant motorway use	<u>Reported solutions</u> “Shim” tappets – check clearances every 25000 miles (warn customer in writing of risk)

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Focus – Zetec and Duratec 1800cc and 2000cc – (1997 onwards)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported Problem</u> Valve Degradation	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported solutions</u> Fit LPG gas cylinder head assembly (not available 2001 onwards - warn customer in writing of risk)

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Mondeo – Zetec and Duratec 1800cc and 2000cc – (1997 onwards)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported Problem</u> Valve Degradation	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported solutions</u> Fit LPG gas cylinder head assembly (not available 2001 onwards - warn customer in writing of risk)

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Galaxy – 2300cc – (2000-2002)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported Problem</u> May suffer valve degradation on constant motorway use	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported solutions</u> Engine appears to be OK for short journeys / warn customer in writing of risk

Honda

<u>Vehicle Model</u> CRV	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines PowerTorque <u>Reported Problem</u> Valve Degradation	<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported solutions</u> Fit hardened valves and seats

Mercedes

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Sprinter - 2001	
<u>Reporting Company</u> PowerTorque <u>Reported Problem</u> Valve Degradation	<u>Reporting Company</u> PowerTorque <u>Reported solutions</u> Believe due to a base petrol engine problem with the EGR System which can generate very high engine temperatures resulting in valve / exhaust damage

Mitsubishi

<u>Vehicle Model</u> All models with Direct Petrol Injection	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported Problem</u> Combustion damage to petrol injectors	<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported solutions</u> Do not convert

Nissan

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Almera - 1800cc (1999-2001) Primera – 1800cc (1999 – 2001)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported Problem</u> Engines not built for LPG <u>unless</u> ordered as such when new from Nissan direct	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported solutions</u> Fit hardened valves and seats

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Primastar – 2.0 – 2003 model onwards	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Beacon Technology Ltd <u>Reported Problem</u> Soft valve seats	<u>Reporting Company</u> Beacon Technology Ltd <u>Reported solutions</u> Require valve seat protection

Renault

<u>Vehicle Model</u> All models with Direct Petrol Injection	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported Problem</u> Combustion damage to petrol injectors	<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholson McLaren Engines <u>Reported solutions</u> Do not convert

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Traffic 2.0 – 2003 model onwards	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Beacon Technology Ltd <u>Reported Problem</u> Soft valve seats	<u>Reporting Company</u> Beacon Technology Ltd <u>Reported solutions</u> Require valve seat protection

Toyota

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Avensis VVTI	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholsen McLaren Engines <u>Reported Problem</u> Valve degradation	<u>Reporting Company</u> Nicholsen McLaren Engines <u>Reported solutions</u> Adjust Valve clearances every 25000 miles (AG in Holland replace valves and seats at time of conversion)

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Hi-Ace – 27000cc 16v 105kw 3RZ-FE (code)	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre <u>Reported Problem</u> Valve degradation	<u>Reporting Company</u> Hendy Lennox Special Vehicle Centre Nicholsen McLaren <u>Reported solutions</u> Do not convert without changing valves and valveseats

Vauxhall

<u>Vehicle Model</u> Vivaro 2.0 – 2003 model onwards	
<u>Reporting Company</u> Beacon Technology Ltd <u>Reported Problem</u> Soft valve seats	<u>Reporting Company</u> Beacon Technology Ltd <u>Reported solutions</u> Require valve seat protection