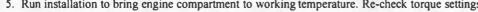
INSTALLATION PROCEDURE FOR R & D MARINE COUPLINGS

Please Note: All couplings will give electrical isolation. If electrical conductivity is required an earthing connector can be supplied

- Roughly align engine and stern gear without flexible coupling i.e. only two rigid half couplings pushed together. Check Gap
- 2. Bolt "R & D Marine" coupling between the two rigid couplings. Tightening details as below.
- 3 Check alignment of engine by placing feeler gauges between the RED CONE HEADED BOLT and the rigid half coupling. Repeat for the SAME bolt at 90° intervals by rotating the shaft.
- 4. If the gap is the same in all four positions, the engine is accurately aligned. Recommended minimum to maximum gap difference: 0.010 inch / 0.25 mm.
- 5. Run installation to bring engine compartment to working temperature. Re-check torque settings.



Recommended tightening torque:

M8 - 27 Nm 20 lbsft 3/8 UNF - 40 Nm 30 lbsft M10 - 54 Nm 40 lbsft 7/16 UNF - 81 Nm 60 lbsft M12 - 108 Nm 80 lbsft 1/2 UNF - 100 Nm 75 lbsft 5/8 UNF - 210 Nm 155 lbsft M18 - 340 Nm 250 lbsft 3/4 UNF - 366 Nm 270 lbsft

Gearbox

Flange

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Shaft

Flange