

Service Bulletin

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Issue: Notification of Warning:

- 1. When using a BKR0300 or BKR0300-6 desktop charger with a BKR0102 Series Battery (BKR9000), it is imperative to keep the radio switched off while in the charger.
- 2. The BKR0300 series do not deploy our SURPASS[™] Technology and will not maintain the battery of a radio that is switched "on" completely charged.
- 3. After the battery reaches a full charge status and the charger indicator light switches to green, the charger will not switch back "on" until the battery is removed and then replaced into the charging well.
- 4. The battery will discharge if the radio is "on"; and the radio is receiving an active channel because there is no charge current being delivered. Ultimately the SURPASS™ low voltage protection circuit will be activated.
- 5. The BKR0300-6 Battery charger will not deactivate the battery's low voltage protection circuit if the detection circuit is activated.
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Importance: Med

Affected Models: BKR0102 and BKR0102-100 Batteries when charged by BKR0300 or BKR0300-6.

Recommended Action:

- 1. For BKR0300-6: Do not charge the battery with the BKR9000 switched "on".
- 2. If the battery becomes fully depleted and the SURPASS[™] low voltage detection circuit is activated, the battery can only be re-activated by using the BKR0303-2 (DUC) or the BKR0355 (VUC) chargers.
- 3. For BKR0300: If the battery becomes fully depleted and the SURPASS[™] low voltage detection circuit is activated, the battery can only be re-activated by using the BKR0303-2 (DUC) or the BKR0355 (VUC) chargers.