Summary

GB142 boilers produced prior to March 2012 were manufactured with an aluminum vent adaptor (p/n 28268). It has come to our attention that if an external condensate drain has not been installed or has been installed too far away from the GB142, accumulation of acidic condensate may cause corrosion of the aluminum vent adaptor (see Fig 2).

Field Response or Observation

If there is any evidence of damage to the vent adaptor the vent adaptor should be replaced.

The aluminum vent adaptor has been modified and is now made of polypropylene to eliminate corrosion of the vent adaptor (see Fig. 1).

While there is nothing wrong with the quality of the original aluminum vent adaptor, if there is damage or a question of damage to the vent adaptor a replacement vent adaptor shall be provided by Bosch Thermotechnology at no charge.

Please contact customer service with model, serial number, and homeowner information at 1-800-283-3787.