

# **SPRINT 1.5 SURFACE-MOUNTED AERATOR MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE Water Treatment**

The *Acqua & Co.* SPRINT 1.5 surface-mounted aerator is a high efficiency machine designed to allow continuous operation in outdoor ponds and lakes. Due to its short motor shaft design and effective sealing arrangement, the SPRINT 1.5 has a low maintenance requirement.

However, it is important to provide effective preventative maintenance to ensure a long life from the aerator. It is recommended that an inspection of the primary seal is performed yearly, with inspection of the secondary seal and bearings performed every two years. It is recommended that the maintenance schedule provided be followed, using only genuine *Acqua & Co.* spare parts, to ensure effective management of your asset.

## **Annual (Yearly) Maintenance**

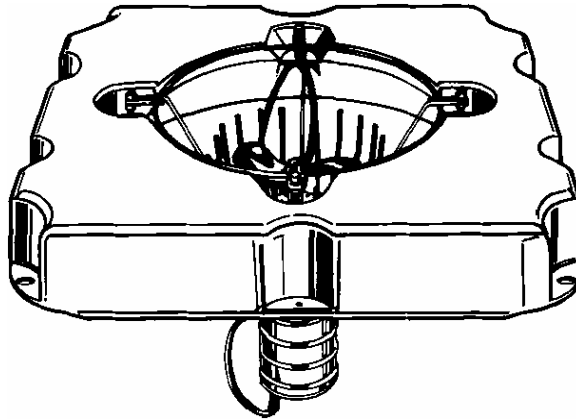
Annual maintenance is required to inspect the condition of the mechanical seal and clean the unit. Please refer to *Acqua & Co.* Aeratore Sprint 1.5 hp 1° ed. 04/05 Diagram and Spare Parts List for reference as required.

- a) Remove and inspect propeller (Part No. 23) by removing cap (Part No. 56) and screw (part no. 89).
- b) Drain paraffin oil from motor casing by removing plug (Part no. 95).
- c) Remove front flange (Part No. 18) and inspect mechanical seal (Part No. 47) and insulation tube (Part No. 52) on rotor. The mechanical seal should be inspected to ensure that there are no scratches or marks on the carbon face or stationary face. The insulation tube should be examined for marking and scoring. Replace parts as necessary.
- d) Reassemble all parts ensuring oil is added in the zone between the central housing (Part No. 17) and the front flange (Part No. 18). O-ring (Part No. 51) is to be replaced on reassembly. Oil to be used is Medicinal Paraffin Oil Light, Food Grade.
- e) Clean floats and motor to remove all algae, barnacle, and other build-up before returning unit to service.

## **Biennial (Two Yearly) Maintenance**

Every two years it is important to inspect the primary and secondary seals, and the motor bearings for wear. These need to be replaced if necessary. Please refer to *Acqua & Co.* Aeratore Sprint 1.5 hp 1° ed. 04/05 and Spare Parts List for reference as required.

- a) Perform the Annual (Yearly) Maintenance steps a) to c) as instructed.
- b) Separate motor housings (Part No. 16 & 17).
- c) Remove the rotor assembly (Part No. 1), complete with bearings (Part No. 28).
- d) Inspect the bearings (Part No. 28) for wear and damage. Replace as necessary.
- e) Reassemble motor housings, replacing O-ring (Part No. 50).
- f) Perform the Annual (Yearly) Maintenance steps d) to e) as instructed.



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