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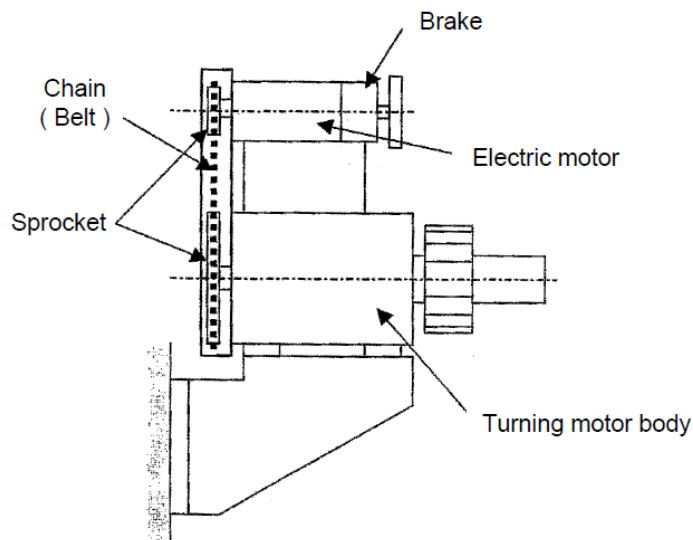
Subject : Periodical Inspection of Main Engine Turning Gear	Application	UEC Diesel Engine
	Type	All UEC
	No.	USI-33101E
If necessary		

Recently, it has been reported that sprockets and/or chains of the main engine turning gear were worn after more than 15 years operation from her commission, though the periodic inspection for the lube oil level is recommended in the “Engine Maintenance Manual.”

Such wear of power transmission mechanism and/or the wear for brake of electric motor may cause injury or death, and therefore, such parts have to be replaced with sound ones immediately if the above wear is revealed.

In this regard, it is strongly recommended to carry out the periodic inspection to the power transmission mechanism/ safety mechanism of the engine turning gear device including the electric motor as well as an inspection for the oil level, especially to engines that have longer running hours, to avoid any possible human accident due to such wear mentioned above. Check the ME turning brake is working properly by inching motion in Ahead and Astern direction with ME turning gear, before starting ME crank case inside work.

For the detail in inspection, please refer to the instruction Manual of the turning gear.



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