

PRODUCT: VL500 Wash Luminares

SUBJECT: Preparing the VL500 Wash for Travel (Pack-Up Cue)

OVERVIEW

When shipping or transporting any VL500 wash luminaire, users should prepare the unit for safe transport as described within this Technical Notice.

If there are any questions as to any aspect of this Technical Notice, please contact Vari-Lite technical support at 1-877-VARILITE or +1-214-647-7880.

COMMENTS

When shipping or transporting a VL500 wash luminaire, certain settings should be used to minimize the possibility of damaging internal components. Because of the complexity and delicate nature of the 64 panes of dichroic glass filters used in the VL500 wash luminaire, extra care should be observed to minimize damage.

As a precaution, Vari-Lite recommends the following settings as a "Pack-Up" cue before putting the luminaires in their flight cases and/or boxes.

- The Pan should be set to 50% or a DMX value of 128.
- The Tilt should be set to 50% or a DMX value of 128.
- All Colors and Diffuser Glass should be set to 100% or a DMX value of 255.
- On Arc units, Dimmer Panels should be set to 0% or a DMX value of 0.



WARNING: The Pan and Tilt service locks should not be engaged while shipping. These locks are for service only and are not designed to be engaged during transport.



CAUTION: As with all automated luminaires, proper handling and suitable protective shipping cases should be used when transporting fixtures to reduce the risk of damage. For proper shipping case construction and support, please refer to Vari-Lite Technical Notice TN-235B.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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