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I recently discovered that the outlet hose from the electric bilge pump on my B34 (situated in the bilge under the saloon table) had severed from the pump body. The moulding of the pump body where the hose is fixed by a couple of jubilee clips had severed - probably a fault in the moulding. Given that the pump is hidden from regular view this is rather alarming. The pump is made by Johnsons in Sweden, their UK distributor cannot supply only the pump body so I have to buy a complete pump at a delivered price of c. £100 !!

I would advise anyone with this sort of pump to inspect them regularly - in the B34 this means taking the bottom drawer out of the table.

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Replies:

I had the exact same problem but found that the non return valve fitted into the pump body directly and is a good tight fit. I also check it regularly

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