

STOL CH 801 FINAL ASSEMBLY

SECTION 5

“INSTALLING THE FIN”

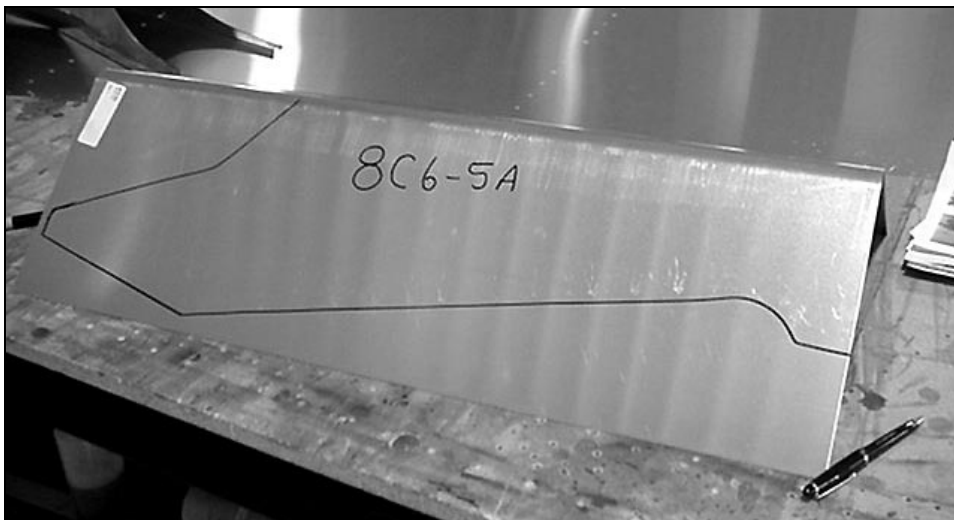
- The fin is installed after the tail assemblies have been installed to the aircraft.
- The fin is made up of two halves – the front half is riveted to the top of the fuselage and the rear half is riveted to the top of the stabilizer.
- The fin may need to be trimmed for a full custom fit around the stabilizer and to join up to meet the rudder.

Section 5- INSTALLING THE FIN



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The installed fin assembly.



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- Cut and trim parts 8C6-4 and 8C6-5A
- On both parts, trim the marked line off.



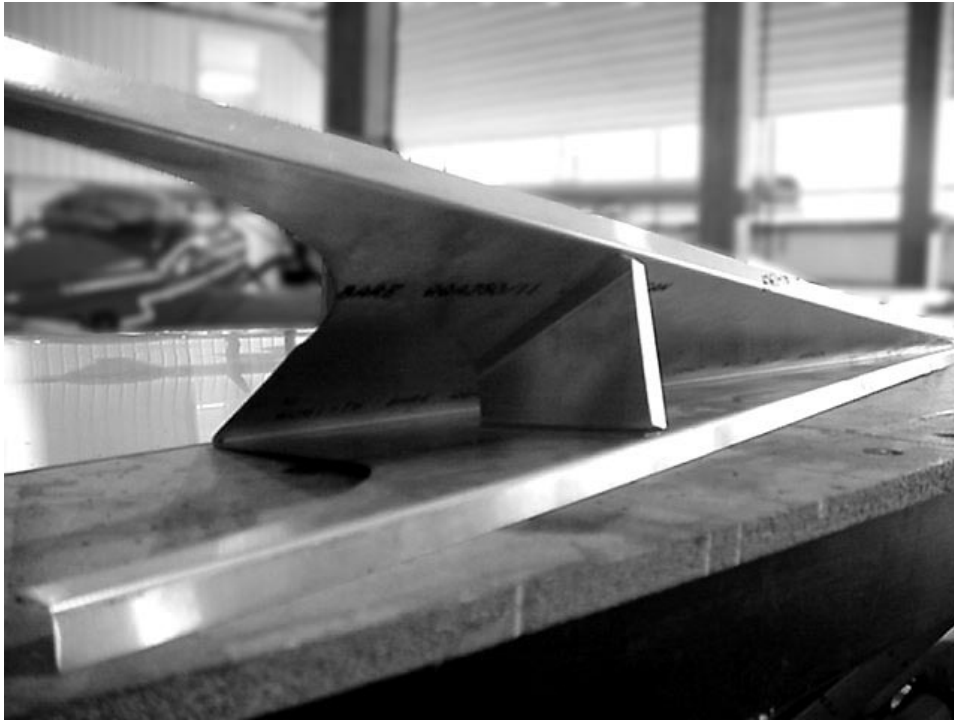
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The trimmed part 8C6-5A



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Forward Fin Rib 8C6-7



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- Position the Forward Fin Rib (8C6-7) 350 mm. from the rear of 8C6-4 as shown.
- Drill and rivet three A4 per side
- Place the assembly on the top of the rear fuselage and drill the side flange of 8C6-4: A4, pitch 40 mm.
- Reach in and drill bottom flange of 8C6-7 to the fuselage: Three A4 rivets.



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Squeeze the front radius bend of 8C6-5A so that it will fit nicely inside of 8C6-4 – hammer lightly with a rubber mallet.



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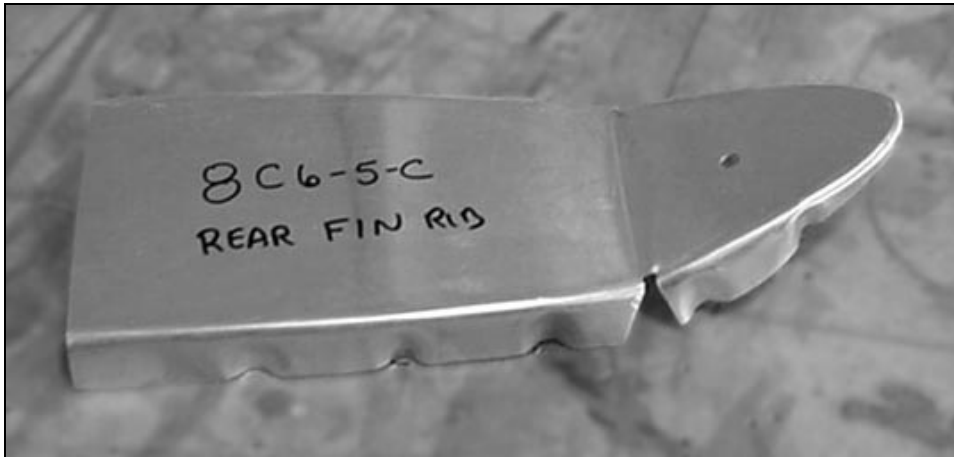
- Position 8C6-5A 20 mm. inside of 8C6-4



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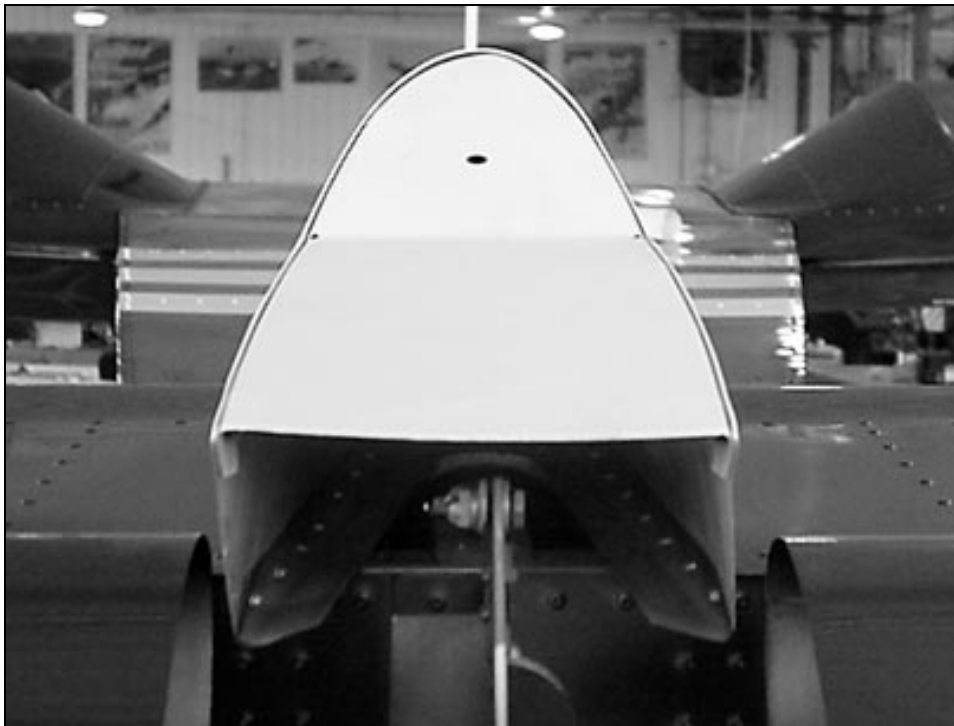
Also, see photo **fin3**
(next page).

- Place angles 8C6-5B inside of 8C6-5A.
- Drill and rivet angles to 8C6-5A – A4, pitch 40
- Drill and rivet bottoms of 8C6-5B to the stabilizer assembly – A4, pitch 40.



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The rear fin rib 8C6-5C



ZAC file photo: fin3

- Install rib 8C6-5C to the top end of 8C6-5A.
- Rivet A4, pitch 40 (avoid crimp area in rib and the angle cutout).



ZAC file photo: fin2

The completed fin assembly.

To complete the assembly, drill and rivet 2 A4 holes on each side of 8C6-4 to join 8C6-4 and 8C6-5A together.

I have checked my work and parts list and confirm to myself, that all items listed in this section have been installed.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

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