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#### **TECHNICAL BULLETIN**

**SUBJECT**: LEDs Suddenly Say 0% SOC

This bulletin is provided to communicate and give guidance on a possible pack issue in heavy load applications.

## Description

Flux Power has identified an issue where a LiFT Pack may, under heavy load, artificially set the state of charge to 0% regardless of the actual state of charge of the battery. This will cause the buzzer to sound, even though the pack is still operational.

### **Products Affected**

Please see the following appendix to see if your product is affected.

## Remedy

A permanent fix for this issue will be made available by firmware upgrade in the near future.

Meanwhile, for customers affected by this issue, the problem can be remediated by connecting to the battery and changing the low cell setting.

- First connect to the battery and open the Flux Power Pack Monitor application.
- Click Run to open communication with the battery.
- WAIT for fields to populate with cell voltages, temperatures, etc.
- Click on the Admin tab in the top middle of the window.
- On the middle left of the Admin page you will see the below settings options (fig1).
- Set the Warning Cell Voltage to 2.95 and the 0% SOC Cell Voltage to 2.80.
- Click on the buttons to the left to write the settings to the battery (fig1).
- To ensure that the new values have been sent to the battery, click Read Values at the top left of the page and make sure the values do not revert to the old settings.



Figure 1: The new settings required. Click the buttons "Warning Cell Voltage" and "0% SOC Cell Voltage" to write the settings to the battery.

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Please contact a technical support representative if you need any assistance:

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If you have any questions regarding this Technical Bulletin, please contact your Flux Power representative.

Thank you!

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