**LS 75-C** (1977) **SEASPRITE Helicopter**

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| © year on base: 1976  scale: unknown  length: 74mm  width: 26mm  height: 28mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic  additional lettering on base: none  company on base: LESNEY PROD & CO LTD  number on base: 75  cast license plate: none | plastic base  no interior  plastic wheels  black plastic blades |  |

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| **#** | **body** | **base** | **windows** | **wheels** | **deco** | **blade attachment** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
| 01a | white | red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | **thin** | alr | #75 |  |  | 01 |  | 1977 |
| 01b | white | red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | alr, (**all**), blr | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 01c | white | red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | alr, **all**, blr | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 05a | white | **dk.** red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  | #75 |  |  | 05 |  | 1981 |
| 05b | white | **dk.** red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  | #75 |  |  | 05 |  | 1981 |
| 02a | white | red E | **green** | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  | #75 |  |  | 02 |  | 1978 |
| 02b | white | red E | **green** | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | alr | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 03a | white | red E | **purple** | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | alr, **arr**, blr | #75 |  |  | 03 |  | 1978 |
| 03b | white | red E | **purple** | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 04a | white | red E | **red** | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  | #75 |  |  | 04 |  | 1981 |
| 04b | white | red E | **red** | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | blr | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f08a | white | **dk.** red E | **red** | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | blr | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f08b | white | **dk.** red E | **red** | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick | (alr), blr | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f01a | white | red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | **none** | **thin** |  | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1977 |
| f01b | white | red E | blue | solid black 8x2mm | **none** | thick |  | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f02a | white | red E | **none** | solid black 8x2mm | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f02b | white | red E | **none** | solid black 8x2mm | **dk.** blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right) | thick |  | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f07 | white | red E | blue | **maltese cross** 10x5.5mm silver hubs | blue RESCUE labels (sided - roundel left / right), **yellow/blue/white/red roundel** label (from LS 14-B) on top | thick |  | #75 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 75-C** |  |  |  |

**UK codes:**

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| **75D** |  |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **75** (1977-1981) |
| **USA numbers:** | **75** (1977-1981) |
| **Other numbers:** | **none** |

**NOTES:**

**"Sided" labels: different labels on the left and right hand sides. Either of the labels may appear on either side.**

**Blades may come fitted upside down (with "MB 75/5" lettering on top).**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **blade lettering location** | **left side label** | **right side label** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| all | bottom | left | **left** |
| alr | bottom | left | right |
| arl | bottom | **right** | **left** |
| arr | bottom | **right** | right |
| axx | bottom | **none** | **none** |
| bll | top | left | **left** |
| blr | top | left | right |
| brl | top | **right** | **left** |
| brr | top | **right** | right |
| bxx | top | **none** | **none** |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 75-C SEASPRITE Helicopter**

**⇒ ⇒ ⇒ EA 75-C SEASPRITE Helicopter**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 01 | K | with NEW, "MATCHBOX", MARCA REGISTRADA..., no rectangle on side, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1977 |
| 02 | K | with NEW, "MATCHBOX", MARCA REGISTRADA..., CONFORMITÉ..., NE CONVIENT..., no rectangle on side, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1978 |
| 03 | K | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1979 |
| 04 | K | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1980 |
| 05 | K | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE REGISTERED..., five lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1981 |
| 06 | Ger-B | red & yellow window box with individual picture |  | D | 1979/80 |
| 07 | Ger-B | red & yellow generic window box |  | D | 1981 |
| 08 | Ita | black & white generic window box |  | I | 1981 |