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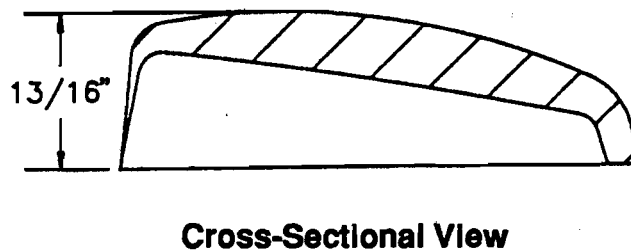
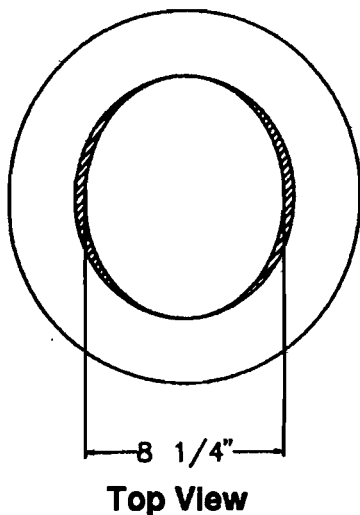
## BOWL DEPTH: SEAT MODIFICATION

**Affected Models:** All VacuFlush® 500 and 800 series toilets, and Traveler® 500 and 900 series toilets.

**Symptom:** Customers state "toilet is too low" or "bowl is too shallow."

**Cause:** Sometime ago SeaLand began including new plastic seat assemblies with VacuFlush and Traveler toilets in place of the older pressed wood seat and lid. Although the new seat assemblies were made of a very durable and high quality material, the shape was different than the previous wood design. The primary difference was in the width of the seat opening. It was found that some users were not being completely supported because the seat opening was too wide.

**Corrective Action:** As of July, 1990 (500 series toilets) and April, 1991 (800 and 900 series toilets) plastic seats have been modified to narrow the opening and also add additional thickness to the seat height as shown in the following illustrations. The new seat dimensions are closer to a standard household seat configuration, and offers increased comfort to most consumers.



*Shaded area represents added material to existing molds.*

**Ordering Information:** 500 series seat assemblies may be ordered under the same part number. 800 or 900 series seat assemblies are available May 1, 1991.