Kerbal Space Program - Feature #4935

Non-atmospheric lander cans

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Assignee:	KerbalSpiceProgram		
Category:	Gameplay		
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Platform:	Any	Mod Related:	No
Expansion:			

Description

Since the descriptions of the Mk1 and Mk2 lander cans make it clear that they're only meant for non-atmospheric landings, it would be nice if this would be reflected in actual gameplay.

I did a test and the Mk2 can survived a perpendicular entry into Kerbin's atmosphere at 14760 m/s. I don't think this is intended.

Here's an album of the test.

http://imgur.com/a/MQnFx

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