

Kerbal Space Program - Feedback #18085

DLC Service Modules should have staging option to remove panel jettison from Staging list

03/16/2018 08:17 PM - raptor9_ksp

Status:	Investigating		
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Assignee:			
Category:	Parts		
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Expansion:	Making History		

Description

I believe the Service Module parts should have a "Staging/Not Staged" option like the docking ports and fairing bases. In the specific case where a player wants to mount parts on or overlapping the SM panels without having any intention to jettison them, the player may lose entire portions of the spacecraft if the SM panels are accidentally staged, causing multiple parts like solar panels and RCS thrusters to rip off and float away.

History

#1 - 03/16/2018 08:18 PM - raptor9_ksp

- Tracker changed from Bug to Feedback

#2 - 03/17/2018 08:08 PM - Nebbie

- Platform Linux added

To add to this a little, as far as I'm aware, the Apollo Service Module was never supposed to have its panels come off. They stayed on even after separation.

#3 - 04/26/2018 11:19 PM - Squelch

- Status changed from New to Investigating

#4 - 02/24/2019 09:53 PM - klesh

I cannot agree with this enough. I have never had a mission profile where jettisoning the panels was warranted, and with every mission there is an ominous staging entry for these service modules that never gets fired. Please add this option!

#5 - 11/12/2020 01:17 AM - raptor9_ksp

- Subject changed from DLC Service Modules should have staging option to DLC Service Modules should have staging option to remove panel jettison from Staging list

- Version changed from 1.4.1 to 1.10.1

- Platform OSX added

#6 - 11/12/2020 01:32 AM - raptor9_ksp

Updating this feedback for v1.10.1.