

## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

GAS STRUT 7 1/2" WITH 2" STROKE #863

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### SHIPPING PACKAGE CHECKLIST



#3 Gas Strut







#2 – (4) 10-32 X 1/2" PHILLIPS SCREW

#4 – (2) Ball Stud







### **TOOLS NEEDED**

#6 - 5/16" WASHER

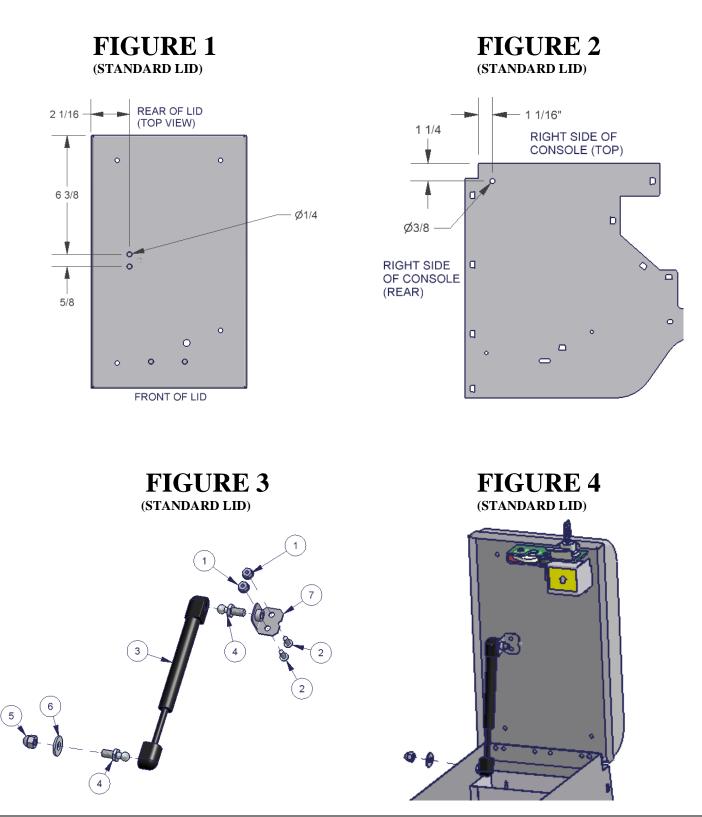
- Phillips head screw driver (Short) •
- 3/8" Nut-driver and/or wrench
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Socket and ratchet •
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Wrench •

## ATTENTION: When these instructions and drilling locations are followed on a Tuffy console with a standard hinge configuration the lid will open up 90 degrees and stop. If you desire a different lid stopping angle or have a non-standard hinge configuration the hole locations will need to be adjusted.

## PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY BEFORE STARTING INSTALLATION.

INSTRUCTIONS TO MOUNT THE GAS STRUT ASSEMBLY IN TUFFY CONSOLES WITH A STANDARD LID CONFIGURATION (SEE BELOW FOR NON-STANDARD PART# 139/144 JK CONSOLE INSERT LID INSTALLATION)

- Remove the padded cushion and mark the spots for (2)  $\frac{1}{4}$  holes in lid to mount the #7 Bracket. Measure from the rear and right 1. side on the outside top of the lid as illustrated. (See Figure 1)
- 2. Drill the (2)  $\frac{1}{4}$  holes in the lid. (See Figure 1)
- Mark the hole on the right side panel for drilling a 3/8" hole as illustrated and drill it out. (See Figure 2) 3.
- Mount the #7 Bracket with the #4 Ball stud to the lid using the illustrated hardware. (See Figure 3) 4.
- 5. Mount the #4 Ball stud in the side with the illustrated hardware (See Figure 3 & 4)
- Press on the #3 Gas spring in the orientation illustrated with the rod facing down. (To remove it use a standard screwdriver to pry 6. up the spring clip on the #3 Gas spring until it pops off, It is not necessary to completely remove the spring)



# INSTRUCTIONS TO MOUNT THE GAS STRUT ASSEMBLY IN NON-STANDARD LID HINGE CONFIGURATIONS PART# 139/144 JK CONSOLE INSERT, OPENS APPROXIMATELY 82 DEGREES MAX)

- 1. Remove the padded cushion and mark the spots for (2) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" holes to be drilled in the lid to mount the #7 Bracket. Measure from the rear and right side on the outside top of the lid as illustrated. Drill the (2) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" holes in the lid. (See Figure 5)
- 2. Mark the holes on the right side panel for drilling a 1/4" holes as illustrated and drill it out. (See Figure 5)
- 3. Fasten the #4 Ball studs to each #7 Brackets as illustrated
- 4. Attach the top end of the #3 Gas strut to the #7 Bracket for the lid and fasten it to the holes drilled in the lid using the illustrated hardware. (See Figure 6)

5. Mount the other #7 Bracket with the #4 Ball stud in the holes drilled in the side with the illustrated hardware (See Figure 5 & 6)

6. Press on the #3 Gas spring in the orientation illustrated with the rod facing down to the #4 Ball stud. (To remove it use a standard screwdriver to pry up the spring clip on the #3 Gas spring until it pops off, It is not necessary to completely remove the spring)

