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Gillig Campaign ID Number: 07V-057

**<Name>**

**<Title>**

**<Property>**

**<Address>**

**<City>, <State> <ZIP>**

Attn: **<Name>**

*This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.*

*Gillig has decided that a defect **which** relates to motor vehicle safety exists in some buses equipped with certain Lift-U wheelchair **lifts** manufactured between 1987 and 1996.*

**What The Issue Is:**

*In **buses** manufactured between 1987 and 1996 and **equipped** with Lift-U wheelchair lifts utilizing "solid bar **linkage**" the possibility exists for a person to wedge their foot under the linkage. A person with no **shoes** and no control of their foot could twist their foot and get **it** forced under the linkage while **sitting** in a wheelchair which can result in cutting the **end** of their toe.*

**What We Are Asking  
You To Do:**

- 1. Review the attached list of **VIN's** provided (if any), **If** your buses still have to original equipment lifts installed with solid bar linkage, you should contact Lift-U to get a closeout plate, Lift-U Part # 123-1029; a closeout assembly, Lift-U Part # **123-1032**; drill template, Lift-U Part # 524-0197 and rivets along with installation instructions for these parts.*
- 2. **Install** the parts as instructed on Lift-U drawing # 123-1033. Return a copy of the enclosed "Recall Sheet" noting when the installation of parts was completed.*
- 3. Federal regulations require that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.*
- 4. **If** you have already performed this repair, you may be eligible to receive reimbursement for*

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*the cost of performing the prenotification repair of the problem which is the subject of this recall.*

*For more information contact Gillig at **1-800-735-1500**, or **Lift-U** 209-838-2400.*

What Gillig Will Do

For You:

*I. We will assist in getting information and parts from **Lift-U** for this recall.*

If You Have Concerns:

*Any questions regarding the information should be directed to Gillig Field Service, **(1-800-735-1500)** available from 6 AM until 4 **PM**, Monday through Friday.*

*If there is a failure to remedy this defect without charge and within a reasonable time, you may submit a written **complaint** to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590. Or call the Toll-free Auto Safety **Hotline**, 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153), or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.*

*We regret any inconvenience that this situation may cause you. Gillig wants to assure you that we are concerned about customer safety and your continued satisfaction with our products.*

Sincerely,

**THE GILLIG CORPORATION**

Robert L. **Birdwell**

Executive Director, Quality & Service

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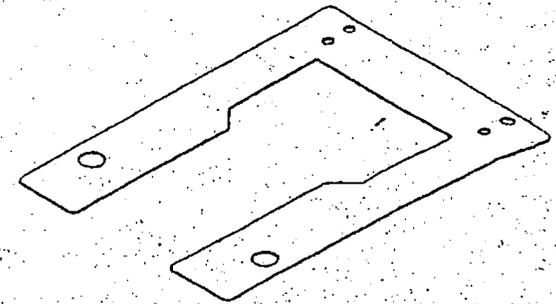
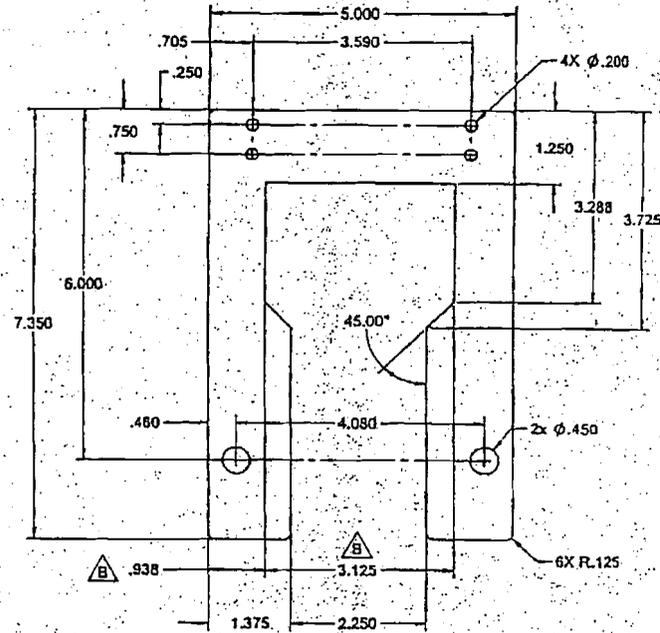
CC: Mr. Chuck Koske, Sr. **V.P.**, Engineering, Gillig  
Mr. Steve Enochian, **V.P./General Counsel**, Gillig

### **Lift U Recall 07V-057**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>LIFT PKG</b>	<b>QTY</b>	<b>PROPERTY</b>	<b>VINS</b>
4/4/1990	3096	18	AKRON	83549-83566
5/14/1991	3149	17	AKRON	N/A
3/20/1992	3185	21	AKRON	84416-84435 84535

REVISIONS							
LTR	ECO	APPD	DATE	DESCRIPTION	DPFR	DATE	CHGFR
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B				INCREASED OPENING BY .18"	DPJ	07/13/2006	6/13/06

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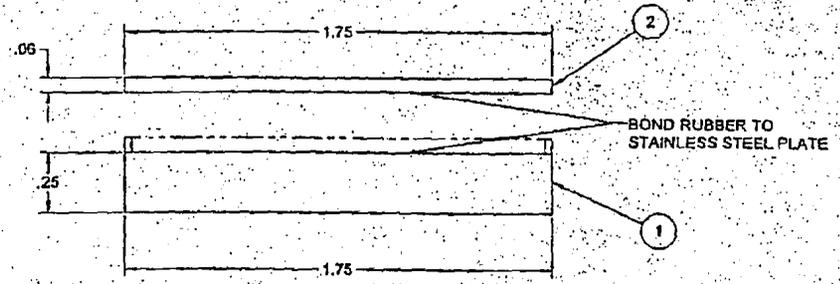
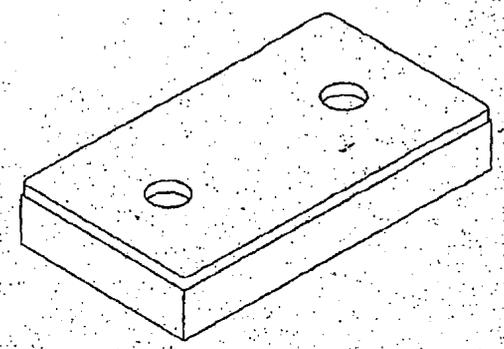
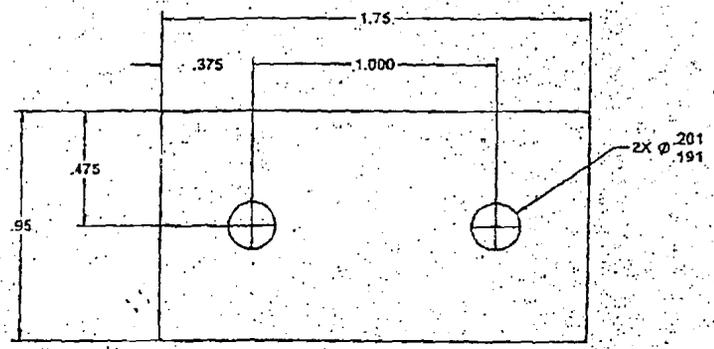


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DESCRIPTION	SPEC

<b>UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED:</b> - INTERPRET DRAWING PER ANSI Y14.5-1982. - DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES. - FINISH ALL PROCESSED SURFACES TO 125 RME MAX. - DIMENSIONS APPLY TO FINISHED PART, BEFORE PAINTING. - DEBURR ALL SURFACES AND BREAK ALL EDGES .015 ± .01. - TOLERANCES UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED: DECIMAL: FRACTIONS: 3/16 .005 ± .010 ANGLE: 1/2 DEGREE .0005 ± .0010	<b>COATING / FINISH</b>	
	DESC: NONE	
	SPEC: NONE	
	FIRST USE REFERENCE:	
SCALE: 1:1	WEIGHT: 0.2330	ASST

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<b>TITLE</b> CLOSEOUT PLATE		<b>DOCUMENT NO.</b> 123-1029
<b>SHEET NO.</b> 1 OF 1		<b>REVISION</b> B

REVISIONS							
LTR	ECO	APPD	DATE	DESCRIPTION	UPTR	DATE	CHGR
A				RELEASED	OPJ	3/21/2008	109
						3/21/08	



NOTES:  
 1) ITEM 1 IS BLACK NEOPRENE RUBBER DUROMETER 35 SHORE A.  
 2) ITEM 2 IS 304 SST, 16 GA.

NOTE: THIS B.O.M. IS FOR REFERENCE ONLY!!!

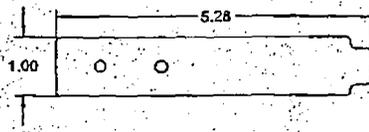
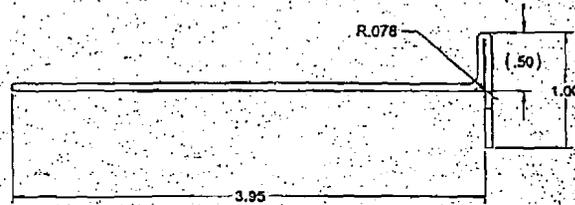
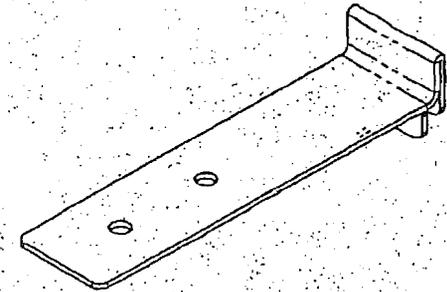
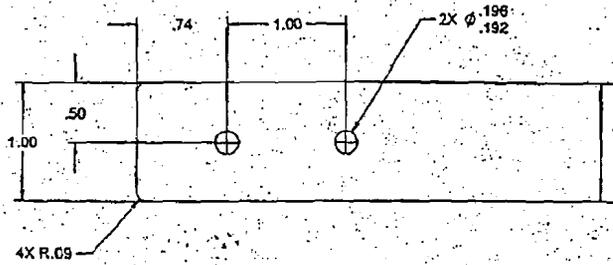
ITEM	QTY	PART NO	DESCRIPTION
1	1	123-1030	CLOSEOUT
2	1	123-1031	BACKING PLATE

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<b>TITLE</b> CLOSEOUT ASSEMBLY		<b>DOCUMENT NO.</b> 123-1032	<b>SHEET NO.</b> 1 OF 1	<b>REVISION</b> A
<b>SCALE:</b> 4:1				

<b>UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED:</b> - INTERPRET DRAWING PER ANSI Y14.1-1982. - DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES. - FINISH ALL MACHINED SURFACES TO THE RA32 MAX. - DIMENSIONS APPLY TO FINISHED PART, BEFORE PAINTING. - DEBURR ALL SURFACES AND BREAK ALL EDGES, R15 ± .01. - TOLERANCES (F - OR -) DECIMAL: FRACTIONS: 1/16 .XX = .02 ANGLE: 1/2 DEGREE .XXX = .010 .XXXX = .0005	<b>COATING / FINISH</b> DDG: NONE SPEC: NONE FIRST USE REFERENCE: --- <b>SCALE:</b> 4:1 <b>WEIGHT:</b> 0.1406
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REVISIONS									
LTR	ECO	APPD	DATE	DESCRIPTION	OPTR	DATE	CHKD	DATE	
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B				ADDED FLANGE PROFILE	DPJ	01/13/2009			4/13/09

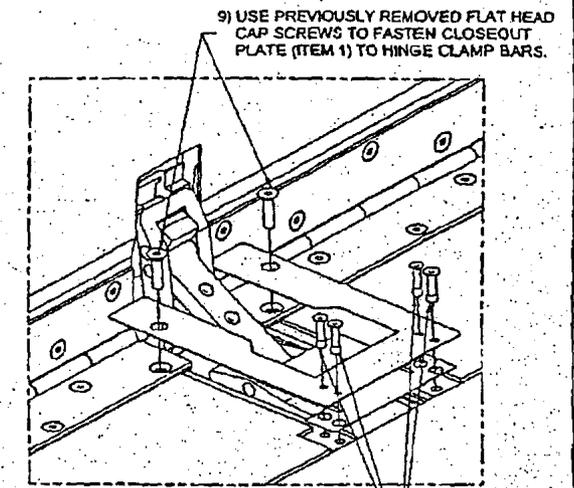
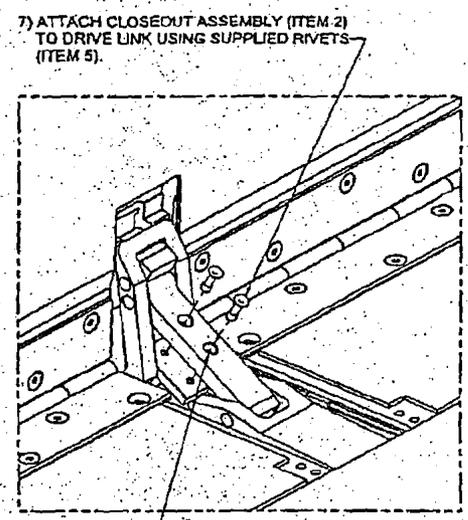
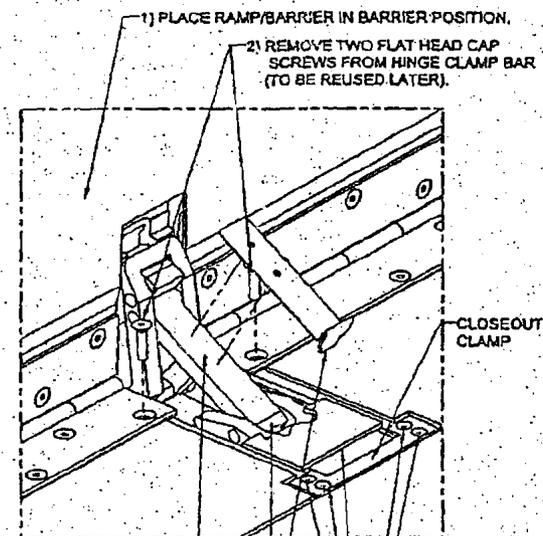


FLAT PATTERN

<b>UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED:</b> - INTERPRET DRAWING PER ANSI Y14.3-1994. - DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES. - FINISH ALL PROCESSED SURFACES TO 125 RMS MAX. - DIMENSIONS APPLY TO FINISHED PART, BEFORE PAINTING. - DEBURR ALL SURFACES AND BREAK ALL EDGES .015 ± .01. - TOLERANCES (+ OR -) DECIMAL: .005 FRACTION: 1/16 ANGLE: 45 DEGREE .001 .01 .05 .10 .250	<b>COATING / FINISH</b>	
	DESC: NONE	
	SPEC: NONE	
	FIRST USE REFERENCE: _____	
SCALE: 2:1	WEIGHT: 0.0859	MSL

SST-SH 16 GA x 1.00 x (5.28)	T304
DESCRIPTION	SPEC
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TITLE <b>DRILL TEMPLATE</b>	
DOCUMENT NO. 524-0197	SHEET NO. 1 OF 1
	REVISION B

REVISIONS									
LTN	ECO	APPR	DATE	DESCRIPTION	QTR	DATE	CHKR	DATE	
A				RELEASED	SG	3/21/2008			
B				MODIFIED NOTE 2; ADDED ITEM 1	DPJ	2/13/2008			1/13/08



- 5) MARK LOCATION AND DRILL TWO  $\phi .201$  (#7 DRILL) HOLES THROUGH LINK.  
6) COUNTERBORE TWO HOLES  $\phi .404$  (LETTER Y DRILL) x 1/8 DEEP.
- 4) PLACE DRILL TEMPLATE FLANGE (524-0197) AGAINST DRIVE LINK AND CLAMP TOGETHER. HOLES TO BE ON CENTERLINE OF DRIVE LINK.  
8) ATTACH CLOSEOUT PLATE (ITEM 1) AND EXISTING CLOSEOUT FLAP TO THE PLATFORM USING SUPPLIED RIVETS AND BACKUP WASHERS. (ITEMS 4 & 6).
- 3) REMOVE FOUR RIVETS, CLOSEOUT FLAP AND CLOSEOUT CLAMP. CLOSEOUT CLAMP WILL NOT BE REUSED AND MAY BE DISCARDED.

-USE AS REQUIRED-

ITEM	QTY	PART NO	DESCRIPTION
1	1	123-1029	CLOSEOUT PLATE
2	1	123-1031	CLOSEOUT ASSEMBLY
3	1	524-0197	DRILL TEMPLATE
4	4	440-0040	SST BLIND RIVET; CONE HD, 3/16", .501-.825 GRIP
5	2	440-0003	SST BLIND RIVET; CONE HD, 3/16", .375-.500 GRIP
6	4	429-0043	FLAT WASHER; .438" OD, .203" ID, .073" THK, S&T

<b>UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED:</b> -WARRANTY DRAWING PER ANSI Y14.5-1992 -DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES -FINISH ALL PROCESSED SURFACES TO 32 RMS MAX. -DIMENSIONS APPLY TO FINISHED PART, BEFORE PAINTING. -DEBURR ALL SURFACES AND BREAK ALL EDGES .015 ± .001 -TOLERANCES (1 OR 2)	<b>COATING / FINISH</b> DESC: NONE SPEC: NONE		<b>LIFT-U</b> P.O. BOX 284 ESCALON, IL 62420 281-480-1989 A DIVISION OF <b>HOGAN MFG., INC.</b>
	<b>FIRST USE REFERENCE:</b> LLUO		
DECIMAL: .XX = .00 FRACTION: 1/32 ANGLE: 1/2 DEGREE 2000 = .0008	<b>SCALE:</b> 1:8 <b>WEIGHT:</b> 181.6978 <b>ASST:</b>	<b>DOCUMENT NO.</b> 123-1033	<b>SHEET NO.</b> 1 OF 1 <b>REVISOR</b> B

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RECALL SHEET  
#07V-057

OWNER \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

RECALL DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
If no longer in service, marked scrapped or sold in  
completion column.  
If sold provide address of new owner.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Attach additional sheets if multiple new owners.

LIFTS SUPPLIED TO (BUS) CO \_\_\_\_\_

QUANTITY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE ORDERED BY BUS COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number	Recall Completion Initial	Serial Number	Recall Completion Initial	Serial Number	Recall Completion Initial
-001		-031		-061	
" -002		" -032		" -062	
" -003		" -033		" -063	
" -004		" -034		" -064	
" -005		" -035		" -065	
" -006		" -036		" -066	
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" -030		" -060		" -090	

PLEASE RETURN A COPY OF THIS SHEET WITH COMPLETION INFORMATION FOR OUR REPORTING TO NHTSA - MAIL TO: GILLIG CORPORATION, ATTN: VY VU, 25800 CLAWITER RD, HAYWARD, CA 94545.

COMPLETION DATE \_\_\_\_\_

BY \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED



**LIFT-U**  
DIVISION OF HOGAN MFG  
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ESCALON, CALIF. 95320

## **SAFETY RECALL NOTICE**

OWNER NAME  
OWNER ADDRESS  
(CITY), (STATE) (ZIP)