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## Zodiac Oarlocks Upgrade Kit Installation

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Instructions for the installation of Zodiac's Oarlocks Upgrade Kit Item# 456289



Items included in new Upgrade Kit include:

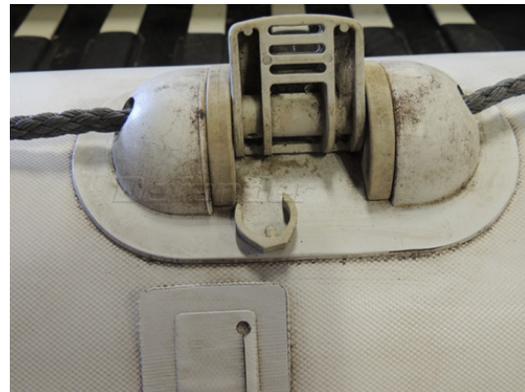
- (2) new C-Clips
- (2) J-shaped buttons
- (2) oarlock receivers
- (2) oarlocks

**If boat has a rope lifeline passing through oarlock support pad, see Step A on page 4.**

**If boat has no rope passing through oarlock support pad, proceed with Step 1.**

### Step 1.

Using a screwdriver, with the oarlock receiver in the raised position, remove the C-Clip from the axis.



### Step 2.

Using a screwdriver, push the axis out of the oarlock support until the oarlock receiver can be removed.



**Step 3.**  
Remove & discard oarlock receiver. Clean complete oarlock support if needed.

**Step 4.**  
Install the new oarlock retainer onto the receiver as show.



**Step 5.**  
Slide axis back into position.

**NOTE:** Be sure the new receiver is in the same position as the original receiver and that the oarlock retainer locks around the axis.

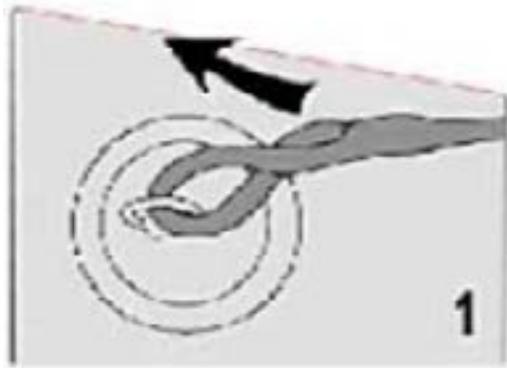


**Step 6.**  
Install the New C-Clip onto the axis.

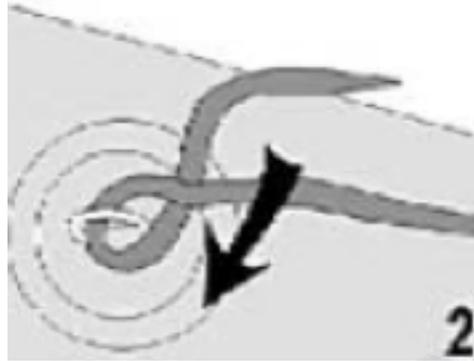
**Oarlock Support retrofit is complete.**



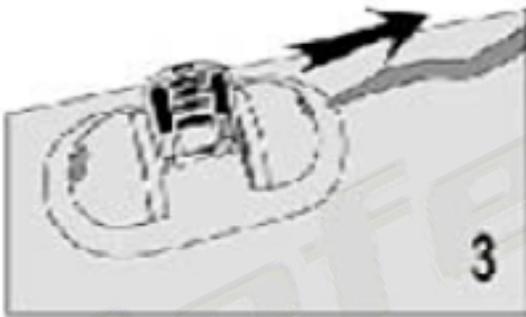
**Step A.**  
Feed locking tail of rope lifeline back out of center.



**Step B.**  
Pull the tail back through the center of the rope and out of the "D" ring.



**Step C.**  
Pull the lifeline rope through the center (axis) of the oarlock support.



**PROCEED WITH Step 1 of the retrofit instructions.**

**Step D.**  
Feed the end of the lifeline rope through the axis of the oarlock support.

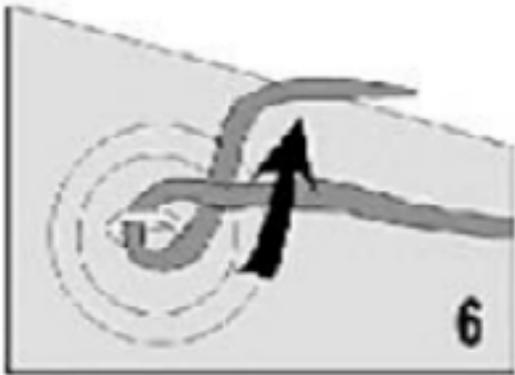


**Step E.**  
Pass the end through the "D" ring.



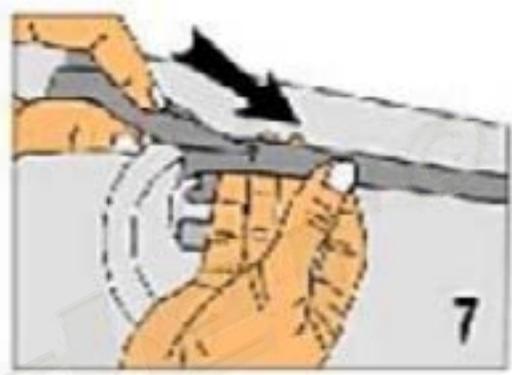
**Step F.**

Pass the end through the center of itself (the lifeline rope) using the original passage if possible.



**Step G.**

Feed the tip of the end into the center of the lifeline ropes core, while gathering the outer area to make passage easier.



Continue feeding into center until a tight, uniform loop is made.

