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# LH REMOTE MIRROR INSTALLATION GUIDE

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APPLICATION: 64-66 Mustang

Thank you for purchasing this fine remote mirror from Scott Drake. This mirror is made in the U.S.A. with the best of available materials and triple chrome plating. Included are detailed installation instructions to cover your needs...from the conversion of a standard to a remote mirror, the installation of a new mirror or replacement of an old mirror. Step 2 (1-14) covers repair / replacement, and step 1 & 3-6 covers new installation.

## PREPARATION:

Remove standard mirror by unscrewing the pair of attaching screws and lifting the mirror away from the door.

## INSTALLATION:

### Step 1: ALIGN TEMPLATE & DRILL MOUNTING HOLES

Cut out and align the template along the top of the door. The rear screw hole is located 16-3/4" from the front edge of the door. Center punch the rear screw location, and control cable hole location. Double check for vent window clearance by placing mirror and housing base on the template. This determines location of the mirror. Mirror goes as far forward as possible yet still allows vent window to open properly.

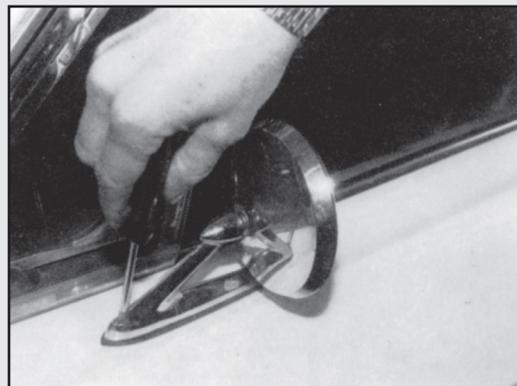
Drill screw holes in the door with a 5/32" drill bit.

Drill a 7/16" hole at the center punch location for the control cable.

**(Should you be repairing and re-painting the door top instead of a new installation, continue to step 2, otherwise, skip to step 3 on next page.)**

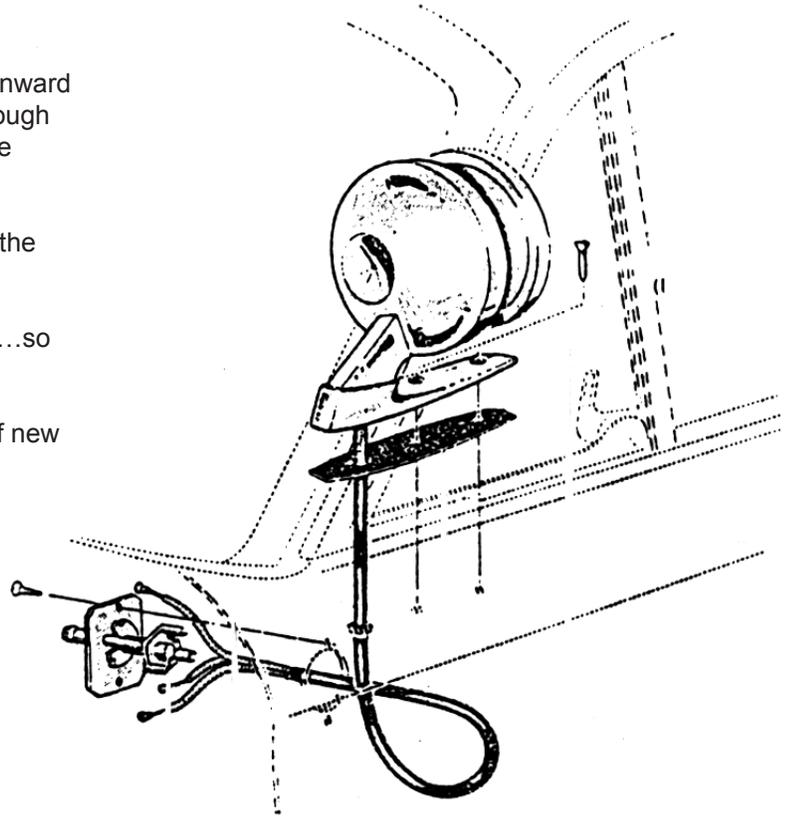
### Step 2: REPAIR / REPLACE AN EXISTING INSTALLATION

- 1) Roll window all the way up.
- 2) Remove two screws holding control assembly inside car.
- 3) Pull control assembly out of door panel until cable are free.
- 4) Pull outer housing back from cable with needle-nose pliers and pull up and out of the slot in control assembly. Cable will now release from control assembly swivel.
- 5) Release the remaining two cables.



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- 6) **IMPORTANT:** Tie a long string around all three cables so they won't fall back inside the door.
  - 7) Remove outside mirror housing by first tilting mirror inward at bottom with thumb. Insert phillips-head screwdriver through hole in lower part of mirror to remove back screw. Remove second screw.
  - 8) **CAUTION:** Again, make sure string is attached. Pull the cables up through the top of the door.
  - 9) Remove string. Tie to a stick, pencil or similar object...so that it won't fall back inside door
  - 10) Install new gasket. Tie string tightly around bottom of new mirror cables back through the door.
  - 11) Install new mirror with new screws the same way they were removed.
- NOTE: Long screw installs nearest to head.
- 12) Carefully remove cables from string.
  - 13) Install the remote cables to the remote control assembly. The cables are color-coded (Red, Green and Yellow) to correspond to the markings on the control assembly slots. Using needle-nose pliers, slop the cable ends into place.
  - 14) Replace control assembly in door panel with screws snug, but not tight.



### Step 3: REMOVE & TRIM DOOR PANEL

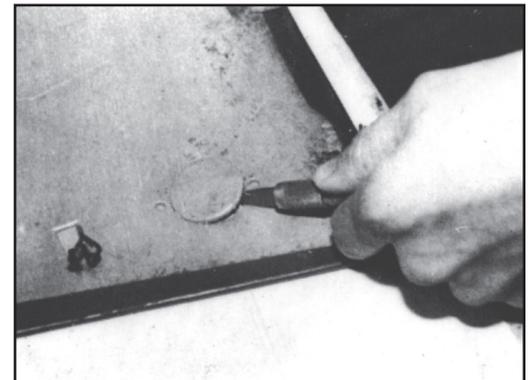
Remove the driver's side door panel. Most Mustang doors provide a cable hole at the bottom of the door. Raise the window and reach into the door, to pass the cable through the hole.

The back of the door panel should be already partially punched for the remote control handle hole. if not, use the template provided to obtain the correct hole location. With a sharp knife, carefully trim out the panel material and punch the screw holes. Make sure the door hole and panel hole match up properly.

### Step 4: INSTALL REMOTE CONTROL LEVER

The control assembly is marked "TOP"...be sure to position the handle correctly on door panel.

Install the remote control onto the door panel using the screws and flat nuts that are provided. **(CAUTION: If screws are installed too tight, this could distort the panel.)**



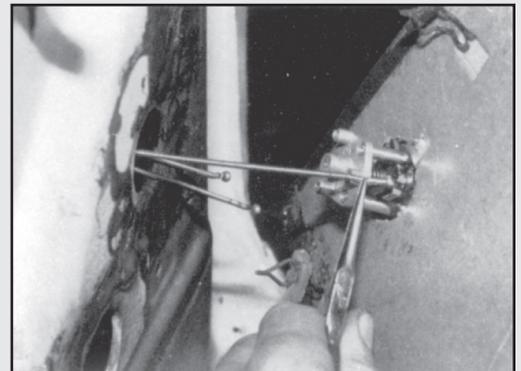
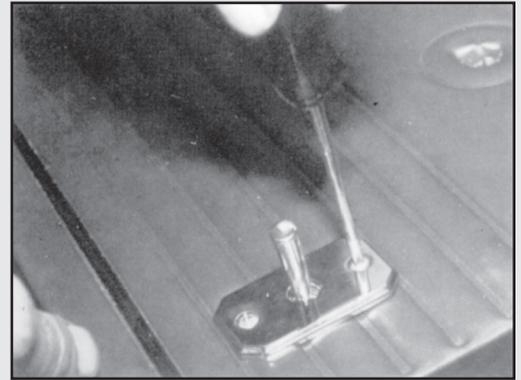
### Step 5: INSTALL REMOTE CABLE ASSEMBLY

Install the remote cables to the remote control assembly. The cables are all color-coded: Red, Green and Yellow. They correspond to the markings on the control assembly slots. Using needle-nose pliers, slip the cable ends into place.

### Step 6: CHECK FITTING & COMPLETE INSTALLATION

Replace door panel temporarily and check for proper fit and operation of the remote mirror.

When fit and operation are satisfactory, complete door panel installation... or disassemble cables and remove remote mirror housing from top of door...then proceed with restoring door top to original condition.





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