

Sellstrom/RTC® D-ring Extension Addendum

Installation, Operating & Maintenance Instructions

SM/RTC Product: D-ring Extension

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WARNING



These instructions are provided as an addendum to SM/RTC full body harness instructions. Read and understand the instructions provided with the harness before using this product.

You must read and fully understand or have the following instructions explained to you

before using this equipment. Failure to do so could result in serious or fatal injury.

Atencion: Si usted no puede leer el ingles o si usted no comprende estas instrucciones, favor de consultar su director de seguridad o su supervisor.

Attention: Si vous ne pouvez pas lire l'anglais ou si vous ne comprenez pas les instructions, consultez votre directeur de securite ou votre superviseur.

Achtung: Wenn Sie nicht Englisch lesen können und diese Anweisungen nicht verstehen, dann fragen Sie bitte Ihren Sicherheitsdirektor oder Ihren Aufselher.

Attenzione: Se non leggiere l'inglese o non capite queste istruzioni, per favore rivolgete Vi al Vostro Direttore, responsabile della "Sicurezza sul Lavoro" o al Vostro diretto superiore.

1.0 Approved Application

The D-ring Extension is a web extension used to make the connection of fall protection equipment to the back D-ring of a full body harness easier. It may be used with an SM/RTC shock-absorbing lanyard or SM/RTC self-retracting lanyards (except for the 2008 series Retractalok). The D-ring extension is available in two configurations: separate from the harness, or sewn to the harness.

Free fall must be limited to 6 ft. with a shock-absorbing lanyard, and to 2 ft. with a Retractalok self-retracting lanyard.

Warning



Do not use the D-ring Extension with the 2008 series Retractor® self-retracting lanyard.

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2.0 Installation and Attachment

Refer to the harness instructions provided with the harness for complete information on inspection, use and maintenance.

2.1 Review all instructions provided with the harness. These instructions are provided as an addendum to Instructions #569 and #569A.

2.2 If the extension is not already sewn to the harness, connect the snaphook on the extension to the back D-ring on the harness. Do not attach the extension to any other D-ring. Do not connect more than one snaphook to any D-ring or O-ring.

2.3 Connect the snaphook from the shock-absorbing lanyard or Retractalok to the O-ring on the D-ring Extension.

Warning



Free fall must not exceed 6 ft. for use with a shock-absorbing lanyard and must not exceed 2 ft. for use with a self-retracting lanyard. Adjust the length of the lanyard or the height of the anchorage accordingly.

3.0 Inspection

3.1 The user must visually inspect the D-ring Extension before every use. Additionally, a competent person other than the user must inspect the D-ring Extension at least every six months. The competent person inspection is referred to as formal inspection, and should be done in connection with the inspection of the entire harness.

Warning



If damage is found or you have questions or any doubts about the equipment's condition, do not use the equipment. Tag the system "DO NOT USE" and contact SM/RTC Customer Service for advice.

3.2 Inspect the D-ring Extension using the instructions provided with the harness at the time of purchase.

4.0 Maintenance

Refer to the maintenance instructions provided with the harness at the time of purchase.

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