

SCOOTER STOPPER: USER'S INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for purchasing a 'Scooter Stopper'. This device will enable an attendant to remotely disable a scooter or power wheelchair that uses a 3 pin Cannon type charger socket, in the interest of improved user safety.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS DEVICE IS IN NO WAY INTENDED TO REPLACE ADEQUATE CARE AND SUPERVISION OF A MOBILITY DEVICE USER.

Scooter Stopper cannot be used with mobility equipment that has an on-board charger.

Operation:

The system consists of two parts. The 'Scooter Stopper' unit with lead and 3 pin Cannon plug attached, and the handheld remote control.

Compatibility:

Whilst 'Scooter Stopper' has been tested on a large number of different mobility devices it is <u>essential</u> to determine its compatibility with your mobility device <u>BEFORE</u> relying on it to assist in user supervision. Carry out this test in a safe environment.

- 1. Plug the 'Scooter Stopper' unit into the scooter/wheelchairs Cannon style 3 pin charge socket, and attach the unit so to keep it from falling to the ground.
- 2. Test the unit by driving the scooter/wheelchair and then press the button on the hand held remote control unit. If function is correct, the scooter/wheelchair should come to a gentle stop. On some scooter/wheelchairs a beeping sound will be heard when the 'Scooter Stopper' is activated.
- 3. To re-activate the scooter/wheelchair simply press and release the reset button, (found on the end of the scooter stopper next to where the white cable is coming out), then turn the scooter/wheelchair *off* and on again.
- 4. Finally check that the scooter/wheelchair operates normally again.

Before each outing with the scooter/wheelchair, test the 'Scooter Stopper' before leaving to ensure correct operation.

Range:

As with any radio remote device, the operating environment will alter the effective range of 'Scooter Stopper'. Whilst 'Scooter Stopper' has a greater range than is needed, its use is intended for close supervision only so that the attendant can make informed decisions about the driver's safety.

Daily use:

Before using the scooter/wheelchair each day, carry out an operational check as per steps 1 to 4 above.

Battery:

In normal operation the red indicator on the remote unit will illuminate when the button is pressed. When the indicator flashes slowly, it is indicating that the battery needs replacing. Use only good quality CR2032, else unit operation may be compromised.

'Scooter Stopper' is powered from the scooter/wheelchair.

Do not open 'Scooter Stopper'; there are no user serviceable parts inside.

Opening will void warranty.

Warranty:

Astec will replace or repair the 'Scooter Stopper' product if an issue arises that is proven to be due to failure of components where the 'Scooter Stopper' has been installed and operated in accordance with the specifications for a period of twelve months from the date of purchase.

Return freight costs are purchaser's responsibility.

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