Installation Procedures

2017-2018 Audi A8/A-8L/S8

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Warning: Please read directions completely before starting. If you have any questions, please contact STO N SHO LLC before beginning your installation. Also please check our website (www.stonsho.com) for any updates or changes. Thank You.

Parts Included: License Plate mounting bracket Assembly. Includes Base Plate and License Plate Holder

License Plate Mounting Screws: (4) 6mm X 12mm (Phillips head) screw & 6mm nut (10mm wrench size)

Base plate mounting screws: (2) 6.3mm X 20mm with washer

Tools Needed: 10mm sockets with ratchet Note: 1/4-inch drive preferred but 3/8 will work but extra caution will be needed when tightening screws.

Phillips screwdriver and 10mm wrench

1/8-inch drill bit and drill.

Step 1: Ensure all parts listed above are accounted for. Note: If at any time during the installation process you need assistance please call (408) 776-4080.

Step 2: Separate the license plate holder from the base by simply pulling the pull pin ring outward and sliding apart.

Step 3: Center base plate on bumper and up against front of ridge as shown in figure 1. Base plate will be properly aligned when base plate is centered on bumper and the back of the front plate holder sits approximately ¼" from the bump.

Step 4: Once base plate is correctly positioned and while holding the plate in place, carefully drill one pilot hole for the front mounting screw. See figure 3.

Step 5: Using a 6.3mm X 20mm screw, secure the front of base plate to the vehicle using the following method. Caution: When tightening the screw, extreme care should be taken not to over tighten screw or the hole may become stripped and lose its ability to secure the base plate. Place the screw into the 10mm socket and begin to tighten. Once the screw is flush with the plate stop. Now tighten screw one half turn and stop.

Step 6: Verify alignment with front license plate bracket in place. If alignment is correct remove front license plate bracket and drill pilot hole for rear hole and follow step 5 for tightening.

Step 7: Secure the license plate and frame (optional) to the license plate bracket using the screws and nuts provided. Requires the Phillips screwdriver and 10mm wrench (Not included).

Step 8: Slide the license plate rods into the two tubes located on the base plate. Slide the rods into the tubes until the rods hit the pull pin. Simply pull the ring on the pull pin and advance the rods. Release ring and continue to advance rods until the pull pin locks into place. See figure 3. **NOTE: The rods and spring-loaded pull pin are required to be sprayed periodically with WD-40 or any other silicone type spray lube. Failure to do so could result in either the failure of the pull pin or the rods becoming difficult to remove or reinsert. Note: In harsh environments, such as areas where roads are either salted or sanded in the winter, spraying of the rods and pull pin should be performed on a regular basis. Failure to provide this maintenance may void your warranty.** On some occasions the license plate may require a little adjustment to level. Simply pull pin and slide plate out approximately two inches, grab frame at arrows (See figure 4) and rotate. If plate is high on left or right side, rotate high side down slightly and release. Verify alignment and repeat as necessary. Once leveled plate will remain level.

Congratulations! You have just installed the STO N SHO™ (Patented) front license plate mounting system. Thank You for your purchase.

Caution: **Bracket lowers ground clearance by approx. 1/2 inch**

Remove prior to entering automated car wash

Exercise care when entering or exiting steep driveways or damage will occur

Parking Stops or high curbs, stop well before or damage will occur

Remove prior to running on track or racing

Medium skill level required. If unsure, have bracket installed by your local Dealer or Body shop.

Limited Lifetime Warranty (Excluding Pull-pin). Pull pin will be warrantied for a period of 1 year (12 months) from the date of purchase.

STO N SHO LLC warrants to the original purchaser only that this product will be free of manufacturing defects in material and workmanship for the life of the product (Excluding pull-pin, see above) provided all maintenance is performed as required to the limitations and exclusions set forth below:

Return product to any authorized dealer. Contact STO N SHO LLC for the dealer nearest you. Upon examination, STO N SHO LLC or its representative will, at its sole option and expense, repair or replace any product found to be defective. If product to be replaced via mail, STO N SHO LLC will return the repaired or replaced unit to you via its usual shipping method from the

factory to your address in the United States of America or Canada only. Any shipping costs for addresses outside of the United States or Canada shall be the responsibility of the purchaser.

This warranty is not transferable.

REMEDIES FOR BREACH OF WARRANTY.

This Warranty does not include repair for damage caused by improper use or handling, including but not limited to damage caused by accident, mishandling, improper installation, abuse, negligence, or any defect caused by repair to the product by anyone other than STO N SHO LLC.

This warranty does not cover reimbursement for your costs of removing and transporting the product for warranty service evaluation, or installation of any replacement product provided under this warranty.

This Warranty will be void if the product was not purchased from an authorized dealer or reseller.

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Fig 1



Fig 2



Fig 3

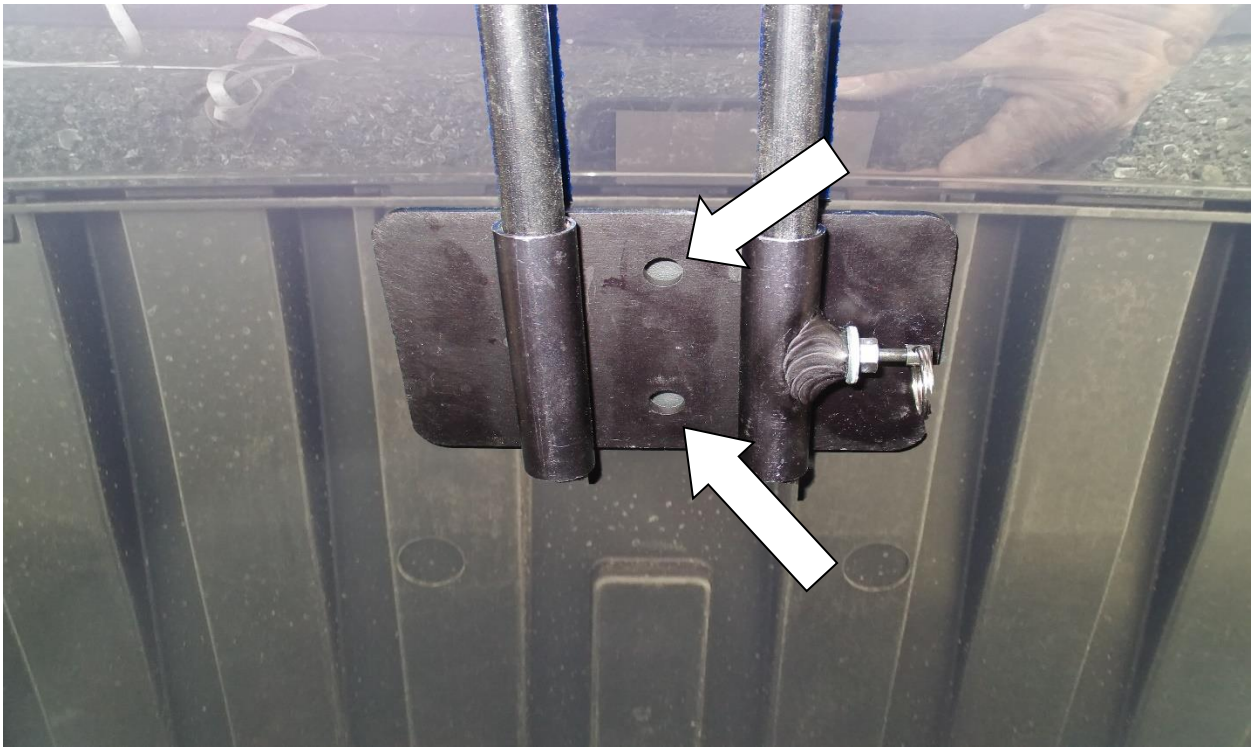

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Fig 5

