

# Model SIFMRVHL-F150\_15 Mounting Kit

Installation, Operation, and Maintenance Instructions

#### **Limited Warranty**

This product is subject to and covered by a limited warranty, a copy of which can be found at www.fedsig.com/SSG-Warranty. A copy of this limited warranty can also be obtained by written request to Federal Signal Corporation, 2645 Federal Signal Drive, University Park, IL 60484, email to info@fedsig.com or call +1 708-534-3400.

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#### Safety Message to Installers of Warning Light Equipment

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# **▲** WARNING

People's lives depend on your proper installation and servicing of Federal Signal products. It is important to read and follow all instructions shipped with this product and the original product. Listed below are some other important safety instructions and precautions you should follow:

- To properly install this light, you must have a good understanding of automotive electrical procedures and systems, along with proficiency in the installation and use of safety warning equipment. Always refer to the vehicle's service manuals when installing equipment on a vehicle.
- DO NOT install equipment or route wiring in the deployment path of an airbag.
- When drilling into a vehicle structure, ensure that both sides of the surface are clear of anything that could be damaged.
- For the light to function properly, a separate ground connection must be made. If practical, it should be connected to the negative battery terminal. At a minimum, it may be attached to a solid metal body or chassis part that provides an effective ground path.
- Locate the light control so the VEHICLE and CONTROL can be operated safely under all driving conditions.
- The effectiveness of an interior mounted warning light depends on the clarity, the tinting, and the angle of the glass it is being placed behind. Tinting, dirt defects, and steeply angled glass reduce the light output of the warning light. This may reduce the effectiveness of the light as a warning signal. If your vehicle has dirty, tinted, or steeply angled glass, use extra caution when driving your vehicle or blocking the right of way with your vehicle.
- Do not attempt to activate or deactivate the light control while driving in a hazardous situation.
- Frequently inspect the light to ensure that it is operating properly and that it is securely attached to the vehicle.
- This product contains high-intensity LED devices. To prevent eye damage, DO NOT stare into the light beam at close range.

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- After installation, test the stick light to ensure that it is operating properly.
- If a vehicle seat is temporarily removed, verify with the vehicle manufacturer if the seat needs to be recalibrated for proper airbag deployment.
- After testing is complete, provide a copy of these instructions to the instructional staff and all operating personnel.
- File these instructions in a safe place and refer to them when maintaining and/or reinstalling the product.

Failure to follow all safety precautions and instructions may result in property damage, serious injury, or death.

#### Introduction

This publication contains instructions for installing a SpectraLux $_{\odot}$  ILS (SIFM) system into the rear glass of a 2015+ Ford $_{\odot}$  F-150.

**NOTE:** For electrical installation instructions, refer to the Installation and Maintenance Instructions packed with the lights.

#### **Unpacking the Kit**

After unpacking the kit, inspect it for damage that may have occurred in transit. If it has been damaged, do not attempt to install or operate it. File a claim immediately with the carrier, stating the extent of the damage. Carefully check all envelopes, shipping labels, and tags before removing or destroying them. Ensure that the parts listed in Table 1 are included in the package. If you are missing any parts, contact Customer Support at 1-800-264-3578, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday (CT).

**Part Number** Qty Description 4 1/4-20 Black Steel Pan Head Phillps Machine Screw 7000547-08 4 1/4-inch Black External Tooth Lockwasher 7075078 0.266 x 0.714 x 0.063 inch Steel Flat Washer 7072A028 6 7058A005 6 1/4-20 Steel External Keps<sub>®</sub> Hex Nut 4 3/4-inch Nylon Dome Plug 231224 2 1/4-20 Clear Steel Zinc Hex Head Cap Bolt 7002A000-12 1/4X1-1/2 Fender Washer 7072274

**Table 1 Kit Contents** 

# **Installing the Warning Lights**

#### **A** WARNING

AIRBAG DEPLOYMENT: Do not install equipment or route wiring in the deployment path of an airbag. Failure to observe this warning will reduce the effectiveness of the airbag or potentially dislodge the equipment, causing serious injury or death.

**IMPORTANT:** Plan all cable routing before the installation.

To install the warning lights:

 Install the extruded rubber sealing strip on the edges of the shroud and cover that contact the rear window.

- **2.** Lower or remove the headliner according to the vehicle manufacturer's instructions.
- Remove the CHMSL according to the vehicle manufacturer's instructions.
- **4.** Loosely install the two upper brackets to the vehicle roof structure using the supplied 1/4-inch bolts, flat washers, fender washers, and Keps<sub>®</sub> nuts. Install them to the slots in the vehicle roof structure shown in Figure 1.

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Figure 1 Install Upper Brackets

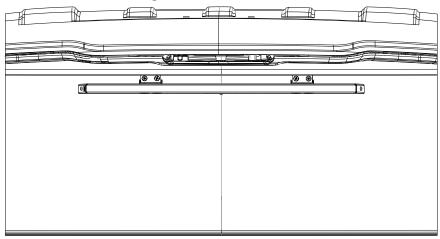
- **5.** Temporarily install the lower brackets to the upper brackets using the supplied 1/4-inch screws and lock washers.
- **6.** Install the ILS unit to the lower brackets using the supplied 1/4-inch Keps nuts and flat washers.
- **7.** Ensure that the unit is tight against the rear window and lightly tighten the ILS unit nuts and lower bracket screws.
- **8.** With a partner, securely tighten the upper bracket to vehicle bolts/ nuts from the inside of the vehicle and from the CHMSL location.
- **9.** Remove the ILS unit from the lower brackets and remove the lower brackets from the upper brackets.
- Reinstall the headliner and CHMSL according to the vehicle manufacturer's instructions.

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- **11.** Reinstall the lower brackets to the upper brackets using the supplied 1/4-inch screws and lock washers.
- **12.** Reinstall the ILS unit to the lower brackets using the supplied 1/4-inch flat washers, Keps® nuts, and dome plugs. Ensure that the ILS unit is pushed rearward to the glass before tightening. See Figure 2 for an exploded view and Figure 3 for final installation.

Figure 2 Exploded View

Figure 3 Final Installation



**13.** Complete the wiring according to the electrical instruction sheet supplied with the ILS unit.

# Wiring the Installation

Refer to the Installation and Maintenance Instructions packed with the speaker and lights.

### **Testing the Warning System**

# **A** WARNING

SOUND HAZARD: All effective sirens and horns produce loud sounds (120 dB) that may cause permanent hearing loss. Always minimize your exposure to siren sound and wear hearing protection. Do not sound siren indoors or in enclosed areas where you and others will be exposed to the sound.

### **A** WARNING

LIGHT HAZARD: To be an effective warning device, an emergency warning system produces bright light that can be hazardous to your eyesight when viewed at a close range. Do not stare directly into this lighting product at a close range, or permanent damage to your eyesight may occur.

#### Getting Technical Support

After testing the flasher, test the emergency warning system to ensure that it is operating properly. Also test all vehicle functions, including horn operation, vehicle safety functions, and vehicle lighting systems to ensure proper operation. Ensure that the installation has not affected the vehicle operation or changed any vehicle safety functions or circuits. After testing is complete, provide a copy of these instructions to the instructional staff and all operating personnel.

Do not test the sound and light system of the vehicle while driving. Operating the vehicle warning systems may pose a hazard to the operator and other drivers if the systems do not function as expected. Test the vehicle only in a controlled environment.

#### **Getting Technical Support**

For technical support, please contact:

Service Department

Federal Signal Corporation Phone: 1-800-443-9132

Email: empserviceinfo@fedsig.com

# **Ordering Replacement Parts**

To order replacement parts, call Customer Support at 1-800-264-3578, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday (CT) or contact your nearest distributor.

Table 2 Replacement Parts - Permanent Mount

Qty	Description	Part Number
1	SIFMR 15F150 Shroud Assembly	862403811
1	SIFMR 15F150 Cover	862403812
2	SIFMR 15F150 Upper Bracket Assembly	862403814
2	SIFMR 15F150 Lower Bracket Assembly	862403816
1	6 mm Bulb 1/16-inch Edge Trim Seal	77700500-56
1	Fuse Kit	8620006-01

#### **Getting Repair Service**

The Federal Signal factory provides technical assistance with any problems that cannot be handled locally.

Any units returned to Federal Signal for service, inspection, or repair must be accompanied by a Return Material Authorization (RMA). Obtain an RMA from a Local Distributor or Manufacturer's Representative. Provided a brief explanation of the service requested or the nature of the malfunction.

Address all communications to the following address.

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