Installing a Garage Door Lock

Please read all the instructions carefully before fitting the ERA Garage Door Lock.

A. Open the garage door. Position the lock along the edge of the door, at a height that avoids contact with original door mechanism.

B. Attach the template as close to the front face of the door as possible. Check the template does not protrude in front of the door when in the closed position. Mark the position of the slot and the 2 fixing holes. Drill holes and remove the cut-out.

C. Insert lock into cut-out, ensuring keyhole is at the bottom of the lock. Using the keyhole as a guide, mark the position of the centre of the key. Remove lock, drill and cut out the door keyhole.

Fit the lock and loose forend. Check the locking operation. Modify the keyhole if necessary.

Locate escutcheon assembly over keyhole. Insert key into lock, centralise escutcheon and mark off fixing holes. Drill holes and attach.

To establish the location of the striker plate, close the garage door and turn the key until the bolt makes contact with the frame. Mark clearly the position of the bolt on the frame. Retract bolt and open the garage door.

Locate striker plate over the markings on the door frame, with the vertical markings in line with the slot in the striking plate. Mark off the area for the bolt recess and the 2 elongated holes.

Remove bolt recess to a depth that accepts the bolt. Attach the striker plate using the screws provided (in elongated holes only).

Close the door and check the locking operation.

Adjust the position of the striker plate (if necessary). Screw in remaining fixing screws provided.

Repeat the process for the other side of the door.

Note: The above instructions are suitable when there is sufficient gap between door and frame to allow lock and skirker to be faced mounted i.e not recessed.

D. When closing the door, if the fitted lock fouls the STRIKER PLATE, it is recommended that the strike plate be recessed into the frame. When closing the door if the fitted lock makes contact with the OUTER FRAME, the frame can be cut away to alleviate the problem.