

# REPLACEMENT INSTRUCTIONS FOR AWNING

■ Fabric    ■ Roller Tube    ■ Torsion Assembly

## For Models 5000, 7000, 7500, 8000, 8500, 9000, 9500 & Grande Pavilion

### Tools Required:

Vise Grips®  
Socket Wrench Set  
3/16" Drill Bit  
1/8" Pop Rivets

Screwdriver  
Electric Drill  
Step Ladder  
3/16" Pop Rivets

Pop Rivet Tool  
Adjustable Wrench  
1/8" Drill Bit  
Small File

## A. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

The Fabric Roller Tube Assembly (FRTA) consists of a fabric, a roller tube and torsion assemblies.

For proper awning operation, the roller is under spring tension from the torsion assemblies. Improper release of this spring tension can result in damage to the awning, severe personal injury, or both.

Service to the FRTA should be performed **ONLY** by a qualified service person.

Read and understand the instructions before starting the replacement of a fabric, a roller tube or a torsion assembly.

## B. REMOVAL OF THE AWNING FROM THE COACH

**NOTE:** Awning removal from the coach is NOT necessary when replacing a torsion assembly. Proceed to Section C, Steps 1 & 2, Sections D, Steps 1-3, and Section L, Steps 1-3.

1. In all instances of fabric or roller tube replacement, it will be necessary to have a large work area to allow complete unrolling of the awning. This work area must be clean and smooth so the fabric will not be damaged.
2. Remove the TEK screws securing the awning fabric or roller cover at each end of the awning rail. See FIG. 1.
3. Remove both top mounting brackets on the ends of the awning rail. See FIG. 1.

4. Remove both of the patio feet from their mounting brackets and extend the adjustable arms until each patio foot rests on the ground and lock button locks in hole.
5. Slide the awning fabric or roller cover out of the awning rail.
  - a. To keep the 7500, 8000, 8500, 9000, 9500 and Grande Pavilion Model Awnings from unwinding during this step, be sure the cam lock lever is in the roll down position. A 1/8" cotter pin can be inserted in each torsion assembly for positive locking of the roller tube. See FIG. 2.

FIG. 1

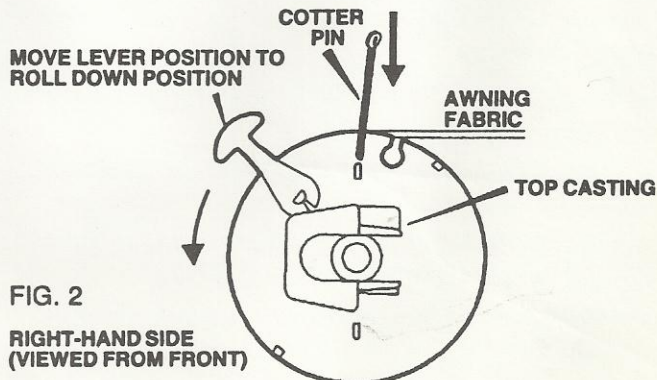
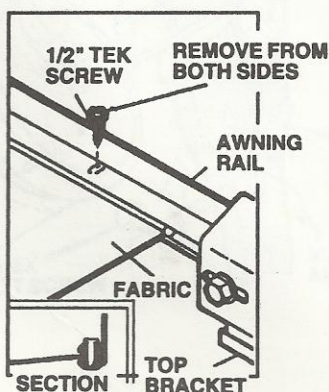


FIG. 2