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## **DODGE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

**Dodge Caravan 2004-2005**  
**PN: SI 340 U**

"SECURE-IDLE" is an ignition switch bypass device designed to provide all the electrical functions that the OEM ignition switch normally provides.  
For proper operation and long term performance, do not deviate from the wire connection instruction.

For each wire connection, remove approximately one half inch of insulation from the OEM wire, but DO NOT cut the wire into. Cutting the wires causes high resistance and a possible failure point. Strip app. one half inch of insulation from the end of the "SECURE-IDLE" wires to be attached to the OEM wires. Wrap the "SECURE-IDLE" wire around the bare area of the OEM wire and solder the connection. Tape the connection thoroughly after it cools.

DO NOT use "Scotch Lock" type pinch thru connectors. These connectors cannot handle the higher amperages of the ignition circuits, and will void the "SECURE-IDLE" warranty.

Use the attached wiring diagram to locate the correct wire and pin location.

## **INSTALLATION**

1. Remove the lower dash panel under the steering column to access the OEM ignition switch which is mounted on the steering column.  
Mount the "SECURE-IDLE" unit near the ignition switch.
2. Locate a good metal ground and connect the BLACK "SECURE-IDLE" wire using the ring connector provided.
3. Locate the OEM ignition switch and wiring.  
Remove the insulation from the Pink/White wire, Pin3, and attach the RED 14 Ga. "SECURE-IDLE" wire according to the above instructions.  
This OEM wire will be hot in RUN and Start
4. The WHITE "SECURE-IDLE" Wire will not be used. Cap off this wire and secure it under the

dash.

5. The YELLOW "SECURE IDLE" Wire will not be used. Cap off this wire and secure it under the dash.

6. Locate the Lt Blue/Red wire, Pin 5.

Attach the GRAY "FUSIBLE LINK" wire according to the instructions.

Connect the RED 10 Ga. wire to the "FUSIBLE LINK" by way of the quick disconnect connector. This OEM wire will be hot at all times.

7. Locate the YELLOW wire, Pin4. Cut this wire into. Be sure to leave enough wire length to attach the "SECURE-IDLE" wires. Attach the GREEN secure idle wire to the YELLOW OEM wire end that goes out to the Fuse panel. Attach the BLUE secure idle wire to the YELLOW OEM wire that goes to the Ignition Switch.

This wire will be HOT in START only.

8. Connect the BROWN "SECURE-IDLE" wire to the WHITE/LT GREEN Backup light wire at the rear of the vehicle.

## Testing the "SECURE-IDLE" Unit

1. With the shift lever in "PARK" turn the key to the "ON" or "RUN" position. Push and release the "RED" push button switch. This activates the "SECURE-IDLE" unit.

You will hear a single click when the button is pushed.

2. Turn the key to the "OFF" position. Test all OEM electrical functions, ie: blower motor, power windows, radio, etc.

3. Turn the key to the "START" position, the starter motor should not crank.

4. Pull the shift lever from "PARK" into "DRIVE", then back into "PARK". This resets the "SECURE-IDLE" unit.

Turn the key to the "OFF" position.

5. Start the vehicle; activate the "SECURE-IDLE" unit by pushing and releasing the "RED" push button.

6. Turn the key to the "OFF" position and remove the key. The vehicle will remain running as it is now under "SECURE-IDLE" control, and the steering wheel and the gear shift lever are locked.

7. Recheck all "RUN" and "ACCESSORY" electrical functions while the vehicle is under "SECURE-IDLE" control.

8. With the brakes applied, insert the key and turn to the "ON" or "RUN" position. Move the gear shift lever from "PARK" to "DRIVE" then back to "PARK". This resets the "SECURE-IDLE" unit and the vehicle is now back under OEM ignition switch control.

9. Turn the key to the "OFF" position and the engine will stop.
10. Tie wrap all loose wires and replace the removed panels.
11. To disable the "SECURE-IDLE" unit, pull apart the quick disconnect. It is located on the "RED" 10 Ga. wire coming out of the "SECURE-IDLE" unit.
12. Instruct all drivers on the proper operating, reset procedures, and the location of the quick disconnect of the "SECURE-IDLE" unit.
13. In the unlikely event that the engine will not turn off after the unit has been reset, the driver should disable the unit by pulling apart the quick disconnect.
14. If the engine stalls while under "SECURE-IDLE" control, the unit must be reset before the engine can be restarted.