

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR PCBE-36C CONVERSION KIT From Natural Gas to Propane/LP Gas

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For Use When Converting Models CB36NE and VCB36NE

This conversion kit must be installed by a qualified service agency.

Read these instructions completely before installing this conversion kit.

Before proceeding, make sure the gas control valve is in the OFF position, all electrical power to the appliance is off, and the fireplace is cool to the touch.

A CAUTION: The gas supply shall be shut off prior to disconnecting the electrical power before proceeding with the conversion.

Parts included with this kit:

| Part No. | Description | Qty. |
|-----------|------------------------------|------|
| 117435-01 | Instruction Sheet | 1 |
| 108867-01 | Pilot Orifice LP (0.014") | 1 |
| 26482 | Main Burner Orifice (#55) | 1 |
| 108402-02 | Gas Valve Regulator LP | 1 |
| 116635-08 | Conversion Label, English | 1 |
| 116636-08 | Conversion Label, French | 1 |
| 106080-01 | Conversion Information Label | 1 |
| 106739-01 | Registration Gas Conversion | 1 |

Tools Required

- 7/8" Open End Wrench or Adjustable Wrench
- 3/4" Open End Wrench or Adjustable Wrench
- · Torx T20 or Slotted Screwdriver
- 7/16" Open End Wrench
- #2 Short Phillips Screwdriver
- Thread Sealant (Resistant to Propane/LP)

ACCESSING FIREPLACE

The gas control valve is located under the firebox and is accessed by removing the lower louver panel.

The pilot and main burner orifice are accessed by removing the glass door, logs and main burner.

Removing Lower Louver Access Panel

- With your index fingers locate the left and right spring latches found just under the top louver and draw them inward to release the pins holding the panel on the side face (see Figure 1).
- 2. Swing the louver panel out until it clears the fireplace opening.
- 3. Pull the entire panel out until the bottom tabs are free of the slots in the lower face frame.

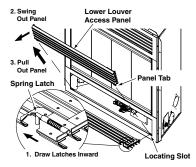


Figure 1 - Removing Lower Louver Access Panel

Removing/Replacing Glass Door

Remove the glass door to access the log and burner assembly as follows:

- 1. Place a screw driver or your finger tips into the gap between the lower glass panel rail and the bottom face frame and lift glass door assembly until the door pins clear the locating holes in the bottom face frame (see **Figure 2**, page 2).
- 2. Swing bottom glass panel assembly out until the door pins on the lower rail clear the bottom face frame (see **Figure 3**, page 2).
- 3. Lower the door down until the upper door pins are free of the locating holes in the spring clips Place glass panel in a safe area.
- 4. Replace glass panel by inserting the top door pins into the spring clips, lifting up at the lower frame rail, and locating the bottom pins in the holes on the lower face frame.

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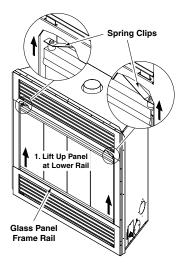


Figure 2 - Removing/Replacing Glass Door

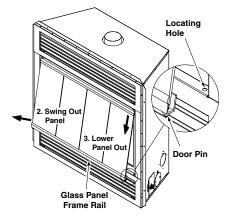


Figure 3 - Removing/Replacing Glass Door

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Burner Orifice Conversion

- 1. Remove top, rear and base logs. See Figure 4.
- 2. Remove two screws holding the pilot bracket to rear of the buner pan. (see **Figure 4**).
- 3. Remove two screws holding the rear log stand to the rear panel of the firebox (see Figure 4).
- 4. Expose the main burner orifice by lifting the burner pan assembly off the orifice mount.
- 5. Use a 1-1/8" back-up wrench on the bulkhead fitting and a 11/16" wrench to remove the main burner orifice (see **Figure 5**, page 3).
- Apply thread sealant to the male end of the #55 main burner orifice included with the kit and remount the orifice into the bulkhead fitting.
- Loosen the set screw on the main burner air shutter, rotate to 3/4" open, and retighten the set screw (see Figure 6, page 3).
- Reposition burner with air shutter placed over the orifice mount and replace two screws on rear log stand and two screws at pilot assembly.

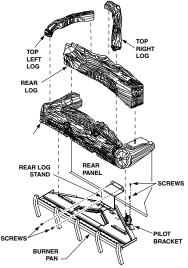


Figure 4 - Removing Logs and Burner Assembly

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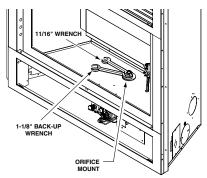


Figure 5 - Removing Main Burner Orifice

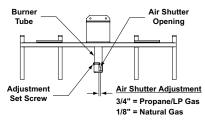


Figure 6 - Adjusting Air Shutter

Gas Control Conversion

Convert the gas control by swapping out the valve regulator portion of the gas valve.

- Using a Torx T20 or slotted screwdriver, remove and discard the three mounting screws, pressure regulator tower, and diaphragm/spring components (see Figure 7).
- Insure that the rubber gasket is properly positioned on the new pressure regulator assembly. Install LP pressure regulator assembly to valve using the new mounting screws supplied with the kit. Tighten screws securely (@ approximately 25 in-lbs.) (see Figure 8).
- Install the identification label enclosed with the gas valve regulator to the valve body, where it can easily be seen (see Figure 8).

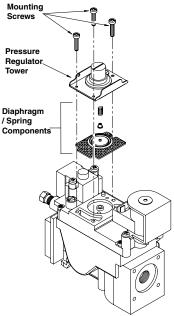


Figure 7 - Removing Mounting Screws, Regulator Tower, and Diaphragm/Spring Components

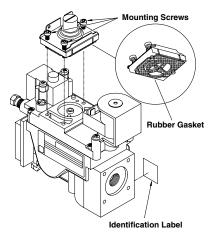


Figure 8 - Installing Pressure Regulator Assembly



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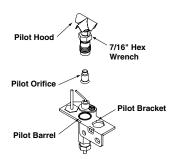
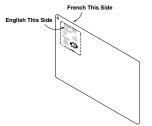
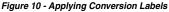


Figure 9 - Converting Pilot Orifice Pilot Orifice Conversion

- 1. Remove the pilot hood assembly from barrel using a 7/16" open end wrench (see Figure 9).
- 2. Remove the pilot orifice from inside the barrel with tweezers or a pair of needle nose pliers.
- Replace pilot orifice with the propane/LP orifice supplied with this kit. The number 14 is stamped on the sleeve for identification. Insert the open end of the new pilot orifice into the barrel and thread the pilot hood back onto the barrel.
- Tighten the pilot hood using the 7/16" open end wrench until the hood is fully seated and in-line with the bracket.

IMPORTANT: Be careful not to bend or kink the aluminum tubing during conversion. Make sure the pilot hood and orifice are properly mated and aligned after finishing the conversion.





Conversion Labeling and Placement

- 1. Apply the English and French conversion labels over existing certification labels (see **Figure 10**). Existing certification labels are located on the lighting instruction plate inside the gas valve compartment area. With permanent ink, print the previous model number on the label in the space provided (see **Figure 11**).
- After filling in the data required on the conversion information label (see Figure 12), affix it to the floor of the appliance where it is easily seen when the lower louver access panel is removed.

| VENTED GAS FIRE | PLACES | |
|--|------------------------|--|
| Conversion Kit Model Type of Gas | PCBE-36C Propane/LP | |
| Minimum Inlet Supply Pressure For Purpose of Input Adjustment | 11.0" w.c. | |
| Manifold Pressure | 10.0" w.c. | |
| Input Rating (0-4500 Ft) | Max. 18,000 Btu/h | |
| Orifice Size: | No. 55 DMS | |
| Electrical Rating: 120 volts / 60HZ / 1 Phase / less than 12 amps | | |
| This Appliance is Equipped with an S.I.T. Nova Model 0.822.072 Valve | | |
| ANS Z21.50a-2003 | 0-T L | |
| Previous Model # | 116635-08 | |

Figure 11 - Print Previous Model Number on Conversion Labels

| CONVERSION INFORMATION LABEL |
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| This appliance was converted on |
| to gas |
| with Kit No |
| by |
| |
| (name and address of organization making this conversion), which accepts the responsibility that this conversion has been properly made. |
| 56060 106080-01 |

Figure 12 - Conversion Information Label



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Final Preparation

- 1. Reinstall logs. Refer to *Installing Logs and Glowing Embers* in owner's manual.
- Leak chack the gas control and any connections you've made before operating appliance. Refer to *Checking Gas Connections* in owner's manual.
- Replace and latch door. Refer to Removing/Replacing Glass Door, page 2.
- 4. Reinstall bottom then top louvers panels.

The conversion is now complete.

To operate your fireplace, refer to *Operating Fireplace* in our appliance owner's manual.

WARNING:Test all gas piping and connections for leaks after installation or servicing. Correct leaks at once.

WARNING: Never use an open flame to check for a leak. Apply noncorrosive leak detection fluid to all joints. Bubbles forming show a leak. Correct all leaks at once. WARNING: This conversion kit shall be installed by a qualified service agency in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and all applicable codes and requirements of the authority having jurisdiction. If the information in these instructions is not followedexactly, a fire, explosion, or production of carbon monoxide may result causing property damage, personal injury, or loss of life.

The qualified service agency is responsible for the proper installation of this kit. The installation is not proper and complete until the operation of the converted appliance is checked as specified in the manufacturer's instructions supplied with the kit.



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WARRANTY AND REPAIR SERVICE

KEEP THIS WARRANTY

| Model |
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Serial No.

Date Purchased

Always specify model and serial numbers when communicating with the factory.

We reserve the right to amend these specifications at any time without notice. The only warranty applicable is our standard written warranty. We make no other warranty, expressed or implied.

LIMITED WARRANTY PCBE-36C PROPANE/LP GAS CONVERSION KIT

DESA warrants this product to be free from defects for one (1) year from the date of first purchase, provided that the product has been properly installed, operated and maintained in accordance with all applicable instructions. To make a claim under this warranty the Bill of Sale or cancelled check must be presented.

This warranty is extended only to the original retail purchaser. This warranty covers the cost of part(s) required to restore this product to proper operating condition and an allowance for labor when provided by a DESA Authorized Service Center. Warranty part(s) MUST be obtained through autorized dealers of this product and/or DESA who will provide original factory replacement parts. Failure to use original factory replacement parts voids this warranty. The product MUST be installed by a qualified installer in accordance with all local codes and instructions furnished with the unit.

This warranty does not apply to parts that are not in original condition because of normal wear and tear or parts that fail or become damaged as a result of misuse, accidents, lack of proper maintenance or defects caused by improper installation. Travel, diagnostic cost. labor, transportation and any and all such other costs related to repairing a defective product will be the responsibility of the owner.

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