

**Britax PMG Limited** 

Bessingby Industrial Estate

Bridlington

East Yorks. YO16 4SJ, England

**Britax Autozubehor GmbH** 

Blaubeurer Str. 71, D-89077 Ulm

Germany

**Britax Signalisation** 

38, rue Pierre Mendes France ZI Est, 69120 Vaulx en Velin

Lvon France

**Britax Automotive Equipment PTY LTD** 

79 Crockford Street Northgate, Queensland

Australia 4013

Telephone: Telefax: e-mail:

+44(0)1262 670161 +44(0)1262 605666 info@britax-pmg.com

www.britax-pmg.com

Telephone:

Website:

+49(0)731 935210 +49(0)731 9352129 info@britaxauto.com

e-mail: Website:

Telefax:

www.britaxauto.com

Telephone: Telefax:

+33(0)478 796 000 +33(0)472 040 157

e-mail:

Website:

britax.signalisation@wanadoo.fr

www.britax-signalisation.com

Telephone: Telefax:

+61 7 3000 1900 +61 7 3000 1999

e-mail:

bae@britaxae.com.au

Website

www.britaxae.com.au

# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR AEROLITE 520, 750, 770, 1000, 1250 & 1500 LIGHT BARS (BELT DRIVEN ROTATING MODULES ONLY)



Electricity can shock, burn and cause damage to your vehicle! Disconnect the battery before wiring up the Light bar.

Drills can be dangerous!

Make sure that the person operating the drill is trained and takes adequate safety precautions.



Electrical cables can melt!

Ensure cable cross sectional area is capable of carrying the required Light bar load.

See electrical wiring section for minimum wire size.



Incorrect fuse ratings can cause cables to over heat and cause fire! See electrical wiring section for correct fuse ratings.



Electrical cables are prone to damage!

Ensure that adequate protection is provided for cables passing through vehicle panels.



Electrical cables can affect other equipment!

Route product supply cables away from sensitive cables (e.g. Radio, aerials, anti-lock braking etc.) If this is not possible, cross the cables at 90°.



This product complies with EMC directive 2008/104/EC This product is approved to EMC directive 2009/19/EC

This product is approved to EMC regulation 10-03

This product is approved to ECE regulation 65 (2 module amber only).



Do not use an automatic rotating brush type car wash on vehicles when light bars are fitted.



The rotating modules in this Light bar will work at either 12 or 24 volts without modification, however it is necessary to fit the correct voltage bulb in the module and sign plate bulb holders if fitted.

## INSTALLATION

The installer is responsible for ensuring that the product, when fitted, meets the requirements of local legislation. The light from the bar should be visible from any point at a reasonable distance from the vehicle. The light bar base should be parallel with the ground and the longer sides perpendicular to the vehicle longitudinal centre line.

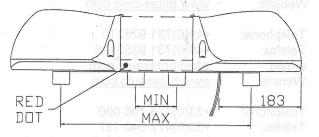
If radio equipment is fitted to the vehicle, a MINIMUM distance of 500mm between the light bar and the antenna is required. The installer is responsible for ensuring that the panel to which the light bar is to be fitted is of sufficient strength for the purpose. If there is any doubt please contact the vehicle manufacturer. Always disconnect the battery before drilling any panels.

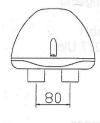
Choose a surface that meets the mounting position requirements.

2515-00

2515.00

ISSUE F MOD 28006 The light bar has variable mounting centres along the length of the bar, however it is recommended for optimum vibration resistance that the mounting centres are between the dimensions given below: -





MIN	MAX
A × 200	300
280	500
300	500
400	650
600	900
800	1050
	200 280 300 400 600

Taking care not to scratch the vehicle paintwork, drill the vehicle panel to centres you require for your length of bar, making sure the holes miss any raised webs, internal trim or existing vehicle cables.

If the electrical wiring is to be installed beneath the light bar, drill an additional hole in panel and fit a suitable grommet prior to fixing the light bar.

IMPORTANT: - If the light bar has the illuminated sign plate option the red dot on the bar must face the rear of the vehicle. From the supplied mounting kit fit the 4 bolts into the mounting channels and slide them to the centres position you have drilled. Fit a washer, then the rubber foot onto the bolt and mount light bar to the panel, underneath the panel fit the remaining washer and nut onto the bolt and tighten to 1.5Nm.

### **ELECTRICAL WIRING**

Check the table below to ensure correct fuse and cable size is used for your light bar (note! cable sizes shown are based on PVC insulated automotive cables to BS6862, should a higher rated insulated cable be used then the cable size can be reduced accordingly as per cable manufactures guidelines in line with the fuse rating).

In keeping with normal automotive wiring practice, light bar functions over 2A should be switched using a suitable relay. This avoids the need to route high current cables to the dashboard or overload existing vehicle cables.

It is essential that the negative should have a secure connection to the battery or vehicle chassis (if the vehicle chassis is negative). Failure to follow fuse and cable size recommendations could result in serious damage to the product and your vehicle. If in any doubt consult an auto electrician.

Always disconnect the battery before making any electrical connections.

On 4 module light bars the inner pair of modules are connected independently from the outer pair and maybe switched as independent pairs.

Light bar electrical connections should be made as follows: -

Outer modules (2 & 4 module bars) Inner modules (4 module only) Positive Positive PURPLE ORANGE BROWN

Illuminated sign plate option
Common return

Positive Negative

legative - BLACK

LIGHT BAR RANGE	CABLE COLOUR	E SIZE (cross sectional area) MIN CABLE SIZE 12V (24V)	FUSE RATING 12V (24V)
520 (2 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Black	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	N/A
750 (2 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Brown (when fitted)	0.65mm² (0.65mm²)	3A (3A)
	Black	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	N/A
770 (4 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Orange	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Black	2.5mm² (1.5mm²)	OS of beyon N/A
1000 (2 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Brown (when fitted)	0.65mm² (0.65mm²)	5A (3A)
	Black	2.0mm² (1.0mm²)	N/A
	Purple ·	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
1000 (4 module)	Orange	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
1000 (4 module)	Brown (when fitted)	0.65mm² (0.65mm²)	3A (3A)
	Black	2.5mm² (2.0mm²)	N/A
1250 (2 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Brown (when fitted)	0.65mm² (0.65mm²)	7.5A (5A)
	Black	2.0mm² (1.0mm²)	N/A
1250 (4 module)	Purple Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Orange of more	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Brown (when fitted)	0.65mm² (0.65mm²)	5A (3A)
	Black	3.0mm² (2.0mm²)	alaidas an N/A
1500 (2 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Brown (when fitted)	1.0mm² (0.65mm²)	10A (5A)
	Black	2.0mm² (1.5mm²)	N/A and and the
1500 (4 module)	Purple	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Orange	1.5mm² (1.0mm²)	15A (10A)
	Brown (when fitted)	0.65mm² (0.65mm²)	7.5A (5A)
A RIVER	Black	3.0mm² (2.0mm²)	N/A

#### MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

	SPARE PARTS	
2 Module lens	10519.22	
4 Module lens	10518.22	
Lens retention strap (sign plate version)	12342.00	
Lens retention strap (non sign plate version)	12343.00	
Sign plate 245mm	12345.03	
Sign plate 495mm	12345.02	
Sign plate 745mm	12345.01	
Sign plate 995mm	12345.00	

13551.04
H448
H466
27031
15214
L382
L241

#### ROTATING MODULE BULB CHANGE

Remove the lens by unscrewing the screws from the lens and lens retention strap.

Squeeze the bulb retaining clip [1] to release it and lift out the bulb [2].

Pull the bulb [2] from the connector [3] and remove the bulb [2] from the clip [1].

Replace with new bulb (H1 type, either 12V-55W or 24V-70W as applicable).

Do not touch bulb glass with bare fingers.

Re-assemble in reverse order.

#### ROTATING MODULE DRIVE BELT CHANGE (Part No. 15214)

Remove the lens by unscrewing the screws from the lens and lens retention strap and remove the broken driving belt.

Lower the new drive belt [5] over the module reflector, take care not to cut the belt on the edge of the reflector [7].

Hook the belt into the top groove on the brass pulley [6] then fit the belt around the black reflector pulley [4].

Check that the belt is fitted correctly and replace the lens and styling section.

## ILLUMINATED SIGN PLATE BULB CHANGE

Remove both lenses by unscrewing the screws from the lens and lens retention strap.

Remove the central logo plates then unhook the sign plate cover from the base and remove.

Remove bulb from bulb holder by pushing and twisting anti-clockwise and replace with new bulb (P21W type).

Re-assemble in reverse order.

DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN SCREWS. MAXIMUM TORQUE IS 1.5Nm

Please retain these instructions for future reference.

