### Installation Instructions

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Locate the arm and degree of opening for this installation. Use the chart below to mark/drill/tap (4) 1/4-20 holes for the door. Also, mark/drill/tap (5) 1/4-20 holes in the frame soffit and/or rabbet.

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**5906,5907,5911,5912, 5956 Heavy Duty Parallel Arm Installation Instructions I-CL00191 Rev 2**

Drop plate may be needed in special situations.
2. ARM AND CLOSER BODY INSTALLATION

- Screw closer body to the door using (4) 1/4-20 x 1 1/2" screws. The speed regulating valves on the closer must face lock stile of door.
- Screw arm bracket to frame soffit using (5) 1/4-20 x 1 1/2" screws. Do not tighten screws all the way to make mounting the arm to the closer easier.

The fifth hole spacer shown above can be used when a narrow soffit prevents normal mounting. Drill/tap a 1/4-20 hole in the frame rabbet. Place the spacer between the bracket and frame and tighten using a 1/4-20 x 2" screw.

OPTIONAL DROP PLATE INSTALLATION

- If using a drop plate, screw the drop plate to the door using 1/4-20 screws. Screw closer to the drop plate using 7/16" long machine screws.

3. MOUNT ARM TO CLOSER

- Use an adjustable wrench to rotate the bottom pinion shaft about 45 degrees in the direction away from the door.
- Place arm on the top pinion shaft so that the “R” or the “L” is in line with the pinion flat as shown in the picture below.
- Attach the arm securely to the closer with the pinion screw. Tighten bracket to the frame if it was left loose during arm installation.
Removable stop can be used for right hand or left hand application (currently shown in right hand application). Stop can only be removed when arm is not attached to the frame. Use a 6mm wrench to unscrew stop and move it. See picture to the left. To engage hold open feature, open door to the stop and rotate adjustment knob clockwise to engage, counterclockwise to release.

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**Install Cover (5200)**

Press pinion cap onto un-used closer body spindle. If installing cover instead of pinion cap, slide cover over closer body and secure by tightening screws.

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(Approx. 5 turns to increase / decrease one size.

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