



PRODUCT SUPPORT BULLETIN BULLETIN NO. 367

DATE: December 1, 2002

MACHINE: Model C, 99C and 99C-03 Spike Driver

SERIAL
NUMBER(S): 410001 - 410404

SUBJECT: Rail Clamp Cylinder Rod Interference with Pivot Bracket

On some machines, the Clamp Cylinder Pivot Bracket may interfere with the Clamp Cylinder Rod during cylinder operation if the bushings are worn. See **Figure 1**. This interference can nick the cylinder rod and can cause a premature failure of the Cylinder Rod Seal.

To prevent the rod from hitting the Pivot Bracket, it is recommended that the bracket be cut away as shown in **Figure 2**. Make sure to either remove the cylinder from the machine or cover the rod to protect it from damage while cutting, especially if using a torch.

For further information, please contact the NORDCO Service Department at 1-800-445-9258.

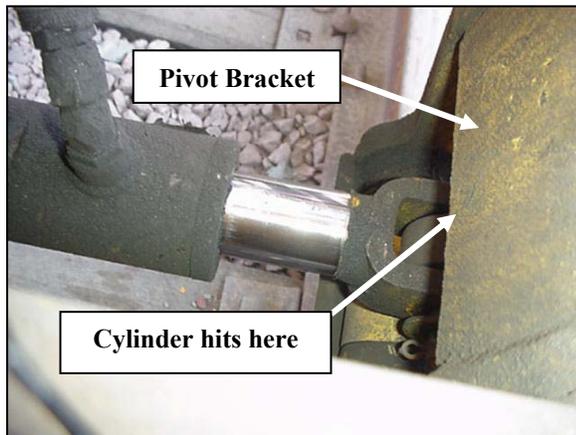


Figure 1

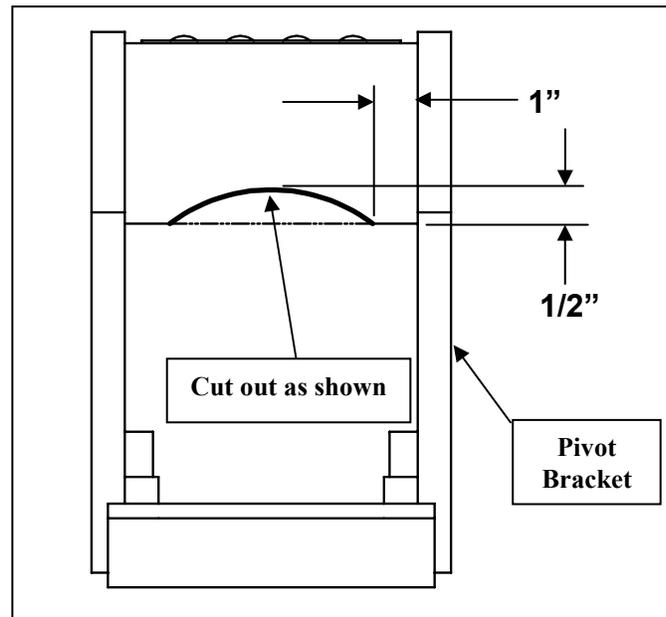


Figure 2