



# Product Support Bulletin 2008-010

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## Maintenance of Way ~ Work Equipment Bulletin

**DATE:** December 8, 2008

**SUBJECT:** Lynch Pin Style Claw Pin Retainer – 53642483

**RATING:**  **DIRECTIVE**  
(Action is required)

**ALERT**  
(Potential Problem)

**INFORMATION**  
(Action is optional)

**PRODUCT IMPROVEMENT**  
(Enhance Product)

**MACHINE MODEL(S):** Super Claws Spike Puller  
Grabber Spike Puller  
SP2R Spike Puller  
Claws Spike Puller

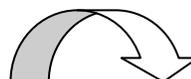
**SERIAL NUMBER(S):** All

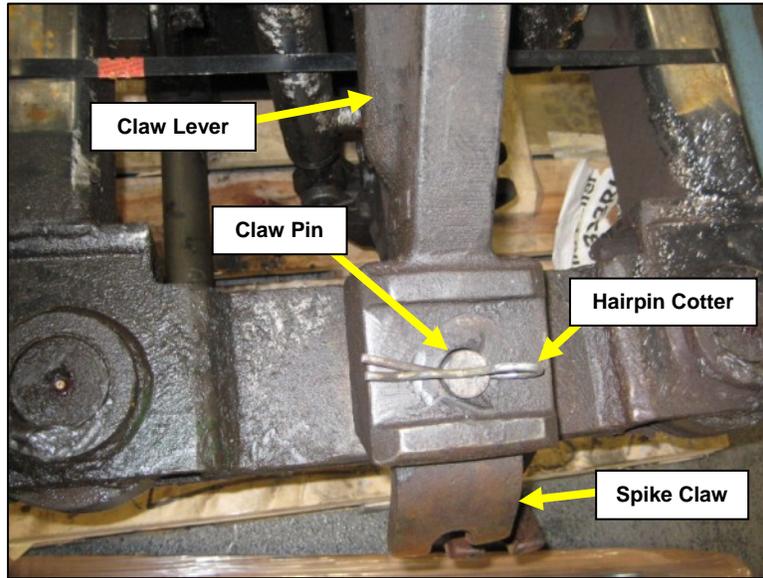
**SUMMARY:** The Hairpin Cotter, p/n 3074220 used to retain the Claw Pin in the end of the Claw Lever has been replaced with a Lynch Pin, p/n 53642483.

**OPERATIONAL IMPACT:** The 3074220 Hairpin Cotter is difficult to remove and can be damaged during machine operation. See Figure 1 on Page 2. The **53642483 Lynch Pin Retainer** is less likely to be damaged during use and is much easier to remove when replacing the Claws. It has a ring that snaps over the Claw Pin to keep the Lynch Pin in place. See Figure 2 on Page 2. When the ring is snapped open, the Lynch Pin is easily removed.

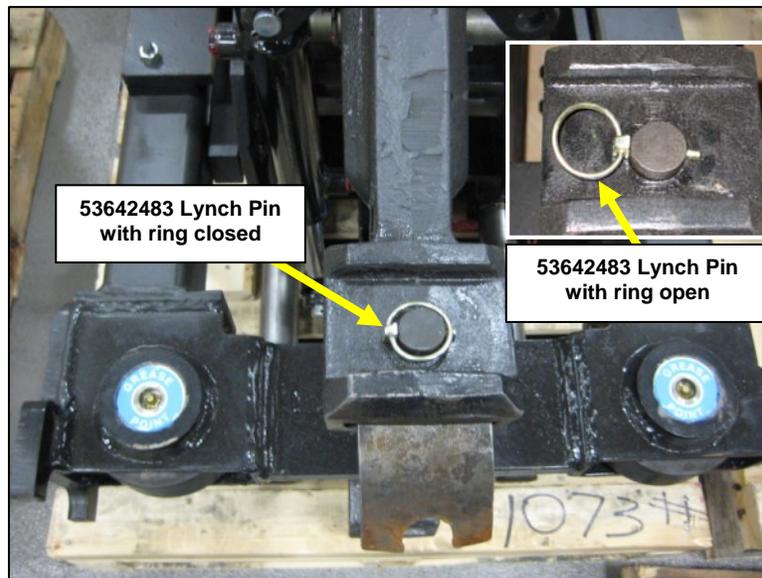
**ACTION:** The 53642483 Lynch Pin is a direct replacement for the 3074220 Hairpin Cotter. No modifications are required to the Claw Lever or Claw Pin.

**WARRANTY:** None





**Figure 1**  
Hairpin Cotter – p/n 3074220



**Figure 2**  
Lynch Pin Claw Pin Retainer – p/n 53642483