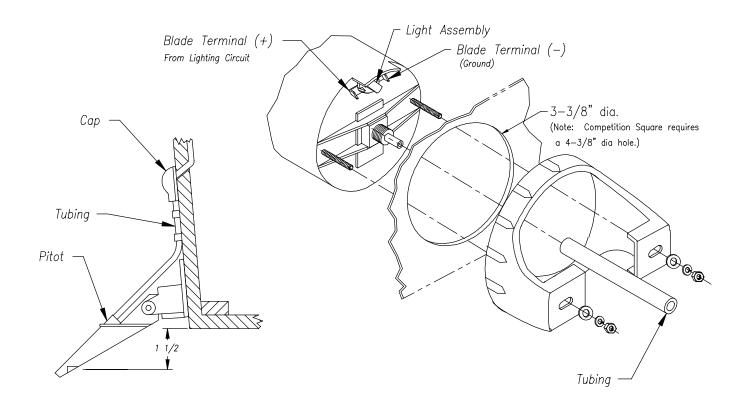


## Installation Instructions Mechanical Speedometer



<u>CAUTION:</u> Disconnect the battery during installation. Tighten nuts on the backclamp only slightly more than you can tighten with your fingers. Six **inch-pounds** of torque is sufficient. Over tightening may result in damage to the instrument and may void your warranty.

- 1. Be certain to use stranded, insulated wire not lighter than 18AWG that is approved for marine use. It is recommended that 1/4" insulated blade terminals be used on lighting connections to the instrument.
- 2. Locate and install the pitot tube assembly on the transom in a vertical position, at least 6" away from the propeller blade tips. The intake hole must also be 1-1/2" or more below the bottom of the hull. Do not place behind any runner or keel as this will affect it's accuracy.
- 3. Locate a convenient place above the water line to bring the tubing through. Drill a 1/4" hole at this location and pull the tubing through. Use a marine sealer on the cap plate and draw the plate tight against the transom using the screws provided. Press the tubing fully onto the male fitting on pitot assembly. Gasket cement or other adhesive is not required to secure tubing to fittings.

- 4. Run the tubing along the inside of the boat's gunwale. Avoid sharp turns, crimping, kinking, or other forces that may reduce the inside diameter of the tubing. Fasten the tubing at regular intervals with small plastic clips supplied (again be careful to not pinch the tubing). A slight downward slope from bow to stern will help avoid trapping water. Do not coil any excess tubing as it should be cut to the desired length.
- 5. Cut a 3-3/8" diameter hole in the dash and mount the speedometer with the backclamp supplied.
- 6. After installing the speedometer in the dash, cut tubing (leave a small amount of slack) and press fully onto male fitting on the back of the speedometer.
- 7. Connect the blade terminals adjacent to the twistout light assembly to the positive (+) and negative (-) sides of the boat's lighting circuit. Reconnect the battery.

**NOTE:** To change light bulb, twist out black socket assembly one-eighth turn counterclockwise until it pops out. Bulb pulls straight out of assembly. It is a *GE* No. 194 instrument lamp.