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Dear Hunter 45 CC Owner,

It is our opinion that a modification is necessary to greatly improve the safety of the aft entrance/boarding ladder to your boat. Installation of the enclosed parts (instructions enclosed), which should help prevent the chances of feet slipping off the treads while boarding your boat.

Hunter's own in-house installation has shown that this modification may be made in less than one hour. We are asking owners to contact their selling dealer to modify the ladder before the boat's next use. If you are not located close to your dealer we then ask that you acquire an estimate from your local repair facility, if you are not comfortable making the installation your self. If estimates are for more than \$130.00 (two hours labor) we ask that you contact Hunter Marine for approval. If estimates are \$130.00 or less please have the work completed and forward the bill to Hunter Marine for reimbursement.

Hull Numbers involved

HUN4C101E506 through HUN4C185H708

Failure to make this modification to your boat's entrance / boarding ladder could lead to the slipping and falling while boarding the boat which may result in bodily harm.

If you have any questions regarding this notice or the installation of the parts please call the Customer Service Department of Hunter Marine at 800-771-5556, 386-462-3077 by fax to 386-462-2862 or email to customerservice@huntermarine.com where we will assist you. For owners or distributors in Europe, please contact our Customer Service office at +44 (0) 1794519200 or email to customerservice@luhrsmarine.co.uk.

Thank You,

The Customer Service Department

45cc Transom Ladder Support Bracket Update (11-17-07)

Brief:

The following information provides the procedures for installing stainless support brackets on the transom ladder of the Hunter 45cc..

Bracket Installation:

The stainless steel support bracket is to be mounted on the underside of the fiberglass step and through bolted with two 5/16" x 1/2" pan head fasteners with lock nuts to the stainless steel rail on the ladder as shown in picture below. (Please note there are **no** fasteners on the underside of the fiberglass step as it appears in the photo, this is just a reflection on the shiny surface of the bracket of the two fasteners holding the bracket to the stainless steel ladder rail.)

1. The step support bracket has two holes pre-drilled in the bracket, holding the bracket on the underside of the fiberglass step use a marker to mark location of the holes on the ladder rail, use a center punch to make a dimple in the center of the marked holes and then use an 1/8" drill bit to drill a pilot hole through the support rail followed by using an 11/32" drill bit. Install the two 5/16" x 1/2" pan heads through the support bracket and step rail and secure with 5/16" lock nuts.

Materials Supplied:

- 3 Ea Stainless Steel Ladder Supports**
- 6 Ea 5/16" x 1/2" Pan Head Fasteners With 5/16" Lock nuts.**
- 2 Ea 1/8" Drill Bits**
- 2 Ea 11/32" Drill Bits**

