INSTRUCTIONS FOR ROTOR DISC SEAL KIT

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Depressurize the Softener:

- **1.** Push the bypass valve handle in to the "bypass" position.
- **2.** Start a manual recharge and let it run for a minimum of 10 minutes, then unplug the softener's transformer from the electrical outlet.

Disassemble the Valve:

- **3.** Remove the softener's salt lid and top cover to get access to the valve.
- Remove the 8 screws around the top of the valve cover. On some models it may be necessary to remove the motor to get access to all cover screws.
- 5. Lift the valve top cover off the valve body.
- **6.** Pull the rotor and disc out of the valve and remove the seals from the lower valve body.

Replace the Seals and Reassemble the Valve:

- **NOTE:** Lubricate all o-rings and seals with FDA-approved silicone grease.
- 7. Install the rotor seal by first placing the seal into the valve groove, oriented as shown in Figure 1. Apply a light coating of silicone grease to the seal crossing ribs. Then carefully center the wear strip on the seal and push it downward onto the seal.
- **8.** Install the figure 8-shaped nozzle venturi seal, making sure the groove side is down and the larger radius is toward the outer edge of the valve head.
- 9. Install the drain seal.
- **10.** Assemble 2 o-rings and the wave washer onto the rotor disc.
- **11.** Center the rotor and disc above the seal in the valve body and lower the rotor and disc into place.
- **12.** Reinstall the 8 cover-holding screws as follows: Before tightening the screws, install the valve cam and gear, then turn the rotor (clockwise only) to "service" position. Tighten the screws using a crisscross pattern. If a torque wrench is available, set it to 30-40 inch pounds.
- **13.** Lubricate the motor's gear and the valve cam gear with Molykote grease or other high quality gear lubricant.
- **14.** Make sure the switch is oriented with the lever toward the valve cam.

Repressurize the Softener:

- **15.** With the valve completely reassembled, plug the softener's transformer back into the electrical outlet.
- 16. Open a few faucets in the house.
- **17.** <u>Slowly</u> pull the bypass valve handle out, moving it to the "service" or soft water position.
- **18.** Allow air in the tank to bleed out through the open faucets, then close them.
- **19.** Check for leaks as the softener completes its recharge cycle.
- **20.** Put the covers back on.



Figure 1