

LIH-HOLINSERTW/SCREW INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

This kit is for use with 1/2" square hollow iron balusters. Before starting the installtion, balusters should already be trimmed to length from the bottom and the cut edge deburred.

- 1. Drill a 3/16" hole into the tread 1-1/2" deep at the baluster centerpoint.
- Install the dowel screw into the hole using vice grips positioned at the bottom of the top threads, or use a power drill runner* until the tread surface just reaches the smooth center portion of the dowel screw.
- **3.** Slide the <u>narrow end</u> of the plastic insert into the bottom of the 1/2" square hollow iron blauster until the insert is flush with the baluster bottom.
- 4. Thread the baluster with insert onto the dowel screw until it contacts the tread/floor on all four corners and is turned to the desired position.

Tools Needed: Power Drill, 3/16" Twist Bit, vice grips or drill runner*

*Suggested drill runner: Item 2496N11 from McMaster-Carr

WARNING: Wear safety goggles. Keep out of children's reach. Read and follow the safety requirements in the owners manual of any power tool used with the Newel Mounting Kit. Failure to heed all warnings could result in serious bodily injury or death.

NOTE: The manufacturer bears no responsibility for the quality or safety of the final installation of the stairway and/or its components.

