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# Maintenance and Service Instructions of Airflex® Magnetic Brake Model SB (Spring Applied)



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#### SB BRAKE -SPRING SET

#### MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE:

There is no adjustment for wear or for torque, on standard units, and therefore no periodic maintenance required on these units, except when oil is used on disc pack. It is then necessary to maintain oil level, or lubricate the pack when operation becomes erratic. Use of oil provides smoother operation, but stopping and holding action is reduced from that of a dry unit. Service life is much improved by oil operation.

### SERVICE OF DISC PACK, WHEN REPLACEMENT IS REQUIRED, IS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. Remove coil housing by removing six screws located on flange of housing. Six springs will protrude from housing and must not be lost.
- 2. Remove pressure plate and slide entire disc pack off gear.
- 3. Replace with new disc pack, putting spring clips (if any) exactly as they were originally on the steel discs and interleave with friction discs, exactly in the order they were originally.
- 4. Add pressure plate and coil housing and check pressure plate travel as coil is turned on. This travel should be visible (approximately 1/64") to ensure free-running disc pack with brake released.

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#### **SB** BRAKE - SPRING SET

#### **GENERAL:**

Construction of these units is basically a fixed coil housing, which pulls a pressure plate away from the disc pack to provide release, when coil is energized. No manual release is provided, on standard units.

When coil is turned off, springs force pressure plate against disc pack, providing stopping and holding of the splined gear, thus braking the shaft on which gear is mounted.

#### **INSTALLING:**

Splined gear is first mounted on shaft, keyed, and fastened securely, either with set screws, or with positive stop on both ends of gear to prevent axial movement.

Entire brake unit then is slipped on over the gear, by indexing teeth of gear with splined discs in brake. Mounting bolts are then secured, coil connected to source of d-c power, and brake is ready to operate.

#### **OPERATING:**

Brake is released by current in coil, and spring-set by the removal of that current. Therefore braking action **cannot** be controlled by the amount of current in the coil; brake is essentially an "ON-OFF" device, built for full release when full rated voltage is applied to coil.

There is a delay between application of voltage to brake and the full release of brake, which is listed as the "Torque Decay" time, by model, in Bulletin MAL-1 71-4. This is important when **shaft** rotation is attempted at the same instant as brake voltage is applied. Brake will delay or prevent **this rotation** until the time period is over, and when this is a major objection, such as in quick-cycle duty, or in clutch-brake drives, an **Airflex** control for SB brakes can be used to shorten this time delay.

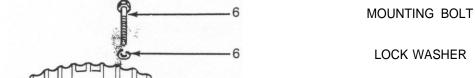
Likewise, there is a delay between removal of voltage and the full setting of the brake, listed as "Torque Build-up" time on above data sheet. This short delay (or coast) before brake fully sets, is seldom objectionable, but if so, can be removed by cutting off brake voltage ahead of time by the amount of this delay.

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#### **SB BRAKE - SPRING SET**

#### **QUANTITY**

#### NAME



ADJUSTING RING (IF USED)

**TORQUE SPRING** 

COIL HOUSING ASSEMBLY 'COIL HOUSING COIL-NON REPLACEABLE NAME PLATE DRIVE SCREW

BRASS SPACER (IF USED)

**ARMATURE** 

DISC PACK STEEL DISC FRICTION DISC RELEASE SPRING (IF USED)

MOUNTING FLANGE ASSEMBLY MOUNTING FLANGE SPACER BLOCK **ROLL PIN** HEX HD CAP SCREW LOCK WASHER

DRIVEN GEAR - Set screw holes optional.

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