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BP SERIES

SAFETY WARNINGS AND INSTRUCTION HANDBOOK

READ CAREFULLY BEFORE USING THIS FIREARM

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BASIC RULES OF FIREARM SAFETY.

1. Treat every firearm as though it were loaded.
2. Be sure the barrel is clear of any obstruction or oil.
3. Store firearms and ammunition separately, locked if possible, and out of reach of children and others unfamiliar with firearms.
4. Be sure of your backstop, target, what is beyond the target, and the safety of any bystander before shooting.
5. Always wear adequate eye and ear protection when shooting.
6. Always use clean, dry, factory-manufactured ammunition with the proper size and caliber for your firearm.
7. Never lend your firearm to anyone unfamiliar with its operation or the basic rules of firearms safety. Make sure anyone using your firearm has read and understood this Instruction and Safety Manual.
8. Never point your firearm at anything you do not intend to shoot!
9. The best safety device is your own common sense. Use it.

HOW TO USE YOUR FIREARM.

REMOVING THE MAGAZINE

Press the magazine release button.

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LOADING THE MAGAZINE

Hold the magazine with one hand, and with the other push down the feeder platform or the round already in the magazine and carefully shove the new cartridge completely back under the lips. Repeat this procedure until the magazine is fully loaded. Damaged or bent magazine lips may cause malfunctions. To empty the magazine push each cartridge until they are no longer held by the magazine lips.

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LOADING THE CHAMBER

Before loading, be sure the muzzle is pointed in a safe direction. Insert the fully loaded magazine into the pistol. Hold the firearm with one hand, and with the thumb and index fingers of the other hand grasp the serrated sides of the slide and pull it back, then

release the slide. The firearm is now loaded and ready to fire.

CAUTION: Always keep your finger off the trigger whenever you do not intend to fire.

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FIRING

After the previous operation of loading the chamber, you can shoot by pulling the trigger, always pointing in a safe direction. If you have a round in the chamber but don't want to continue shooting, stop pressing the trigger and get the trigger finger out of the trigger guard. After the last round has been fired, the slide will remain open. Remove the empty magazine, and press the slide catch bar to close the slide. If you want to continue shooting, after removing the empty magazine, repeat the operations of loading the magazine and feeding the chamber (perform these operations with the fingers outside the trigger guard and pointing the pistol in a safe direction!).

CAUTION: Always keep your finger out of the trigger whenever you do not intend to fire.

SAFETY KEY

Your pistol is provided with an internal locking system operated by a special key. It is located above the trigger in the right side of the slide. In the unlocked position F (Fig. 2) the pistol is ready to fire. In the locked position S (Fig. 1) you can not fire, load a cartridge in the chamber, or disassemble the pistol. Please make sure that your pistol is in the lock position (S) when not in use. To switch the internal locking system to the lock position (S), be sure the trigger is set in the forward position. To set the trigger to it's forward position, remove the magazine, grasp the gun firmly with one hand, with the thumb and forefinger of your other hand, and pull back until the end of the travel; then release the slide from rearwards, without following it's forward movement, allowing the barrel and slide to engage normally. Always store and keep your pistol unloaded and in a safe place away from minors.

Replacement keys can be ordered by calling customer service at 1-732-493-0333 or at www.bera.com

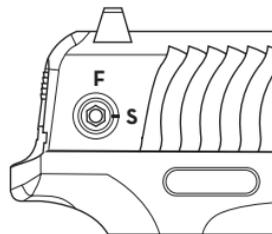


Fig. 1 - internal locking system in locked position

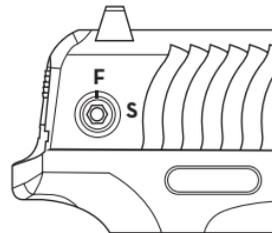


Fig. 1 - internal locking system in fire position

UNLOADING THE PISTOL AND CHAMBERED CARTRIDGE

Press the magazine release button and then grasp the serrated sides of the slide from the rear and draw the slide fully rearward in order to extract any cartridge from the barrel chamber. When sure the chamber is empty and the cartridge has been ejected, release the slide.

LOADED CHAMBER INDICATOR (LCI)

For the BP 9 CC and BP 40 CC models, the LCI protrudes from the slide when there is a bullet in the chamber (Fig. 4), and hides back into the slide when it is empty (Fig. 3). For the BP 380 CC model, a bullet in the chamber can be detected watching the cartridge case through the slot at the top rear of the barrel.

Check if this device works correctly when you clean your gun.

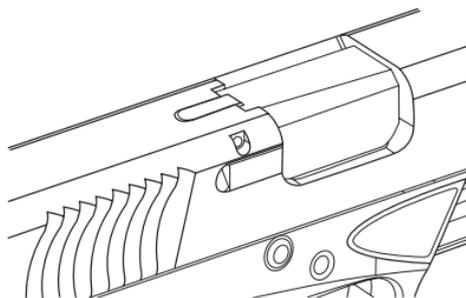


Fig. 3 - unloaded chamber*

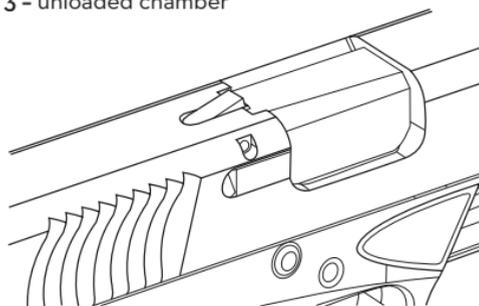


Fig. 4 - loaded chamber*

() only for BP 9 CC and BP 40 CC models.*

MAINTENANCE.

It is recommended to clean and lubricate the pistol every time it is fired.

FIELD STRIPPING

1. First remove the magazine (Fig. 5), then grasp the gun firmly with one hand and with the thumb and forefinger of your other hand hold the slide in the serrated area, pull back until the end of the travel to extract the cartridge from the chamber, if there is one loaded (Fig. 6). Make sure the pistol is unloaded.
2. Release the slide from rearwards, without following its forward movement, allowing the normal engage of barrel and slide (Fig. 7).
3. Depress the magazine release button and completely remove the magazine.
4. *Load an empty magazine (see Figure 8) and, with the pistol unloaded and always pointing in a safe direction, pull the trigger to discharge the firing pin spring (see Figure 9).
5. Remove the empty magazine (see Figure 10) and pull the slide back to align the two notches on the back of the left side (see Fig 11) of the slide and grip catch, simultaneously press the slide catch bar pin located on the right side, above the trigger, until it acquires a new fixed position slightly to the left with respect to the initial setup, and finally completely remove the slide catch bar pulling it from left side (see Figure 12)
6. Move the slide forward to remove the assembly (see Figure 13).
7. Slightly compress the recoil spring assembly and lift it away from the slide-tube barrel (see Figure 14).
CAUTION: Protect eyes when removing the recoil spring assembly. Recoil spring is under tension and may fly off and cause injury.
8. Then remove the barrel, taking first forward and then lifting it as you move it backward (see Figure 15).

The weapon is ready for cleaning. No further disassembly is recommended unless it is done by a competent gunsmith.

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CLEANING AND LUBRICATING

After dismantling, clean the barrel and chamber thoroughly with solvent to clean all exposed internal surfaces. Put special attention on the bolt face (where the firing pin protrudes) and under the extractor hook. Lubricate moving parts sparingly with a light high quality gun oil. Wipe off any excess oil.

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ASSEMBLY

Assemble following the Field Stripping procedure in reverse order. It is advisable to pay attention that the recoil spring guide head is centered on the front face of the barrel base.

CAUTION: before assembling the slide, the sear must be with it's front part, lowered; if the trigger can

move completely forward, before assembling the slide, insert an empty magazine, move the trigger back for lowering the sear, and then remove the magazine.

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Fig. 5. Remove the magazine

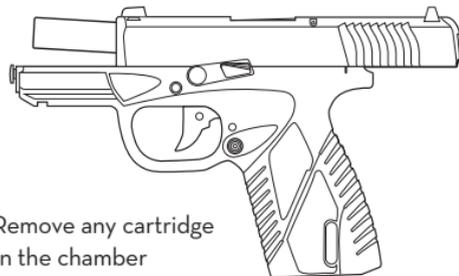


Fig. 6. Remove any cartridge in the chamber

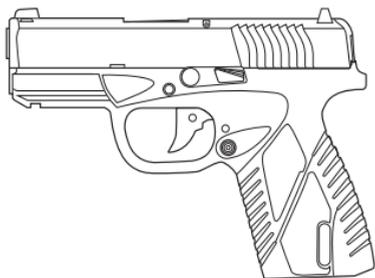


Fig. 7. Engage of barrel and slide



Fig. 8. Load an empty magazine

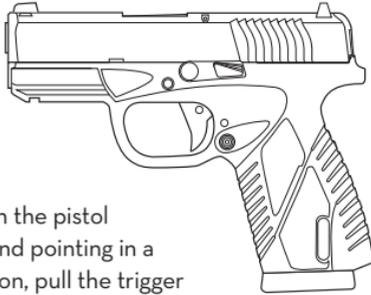


Fig. 9 - With the pistol unloaded and pointing in a safe direction, pull the trigger

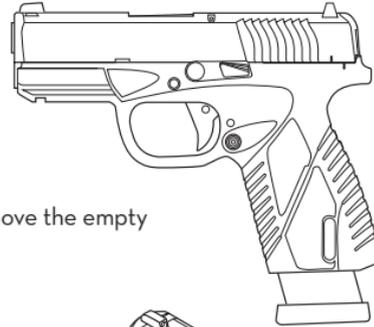


Fig. 10. Remove the empty magazine



Fig. 11. Align the two notches on the back of the left side



Fig. 12. Keeping the slide back, remove the slide catch

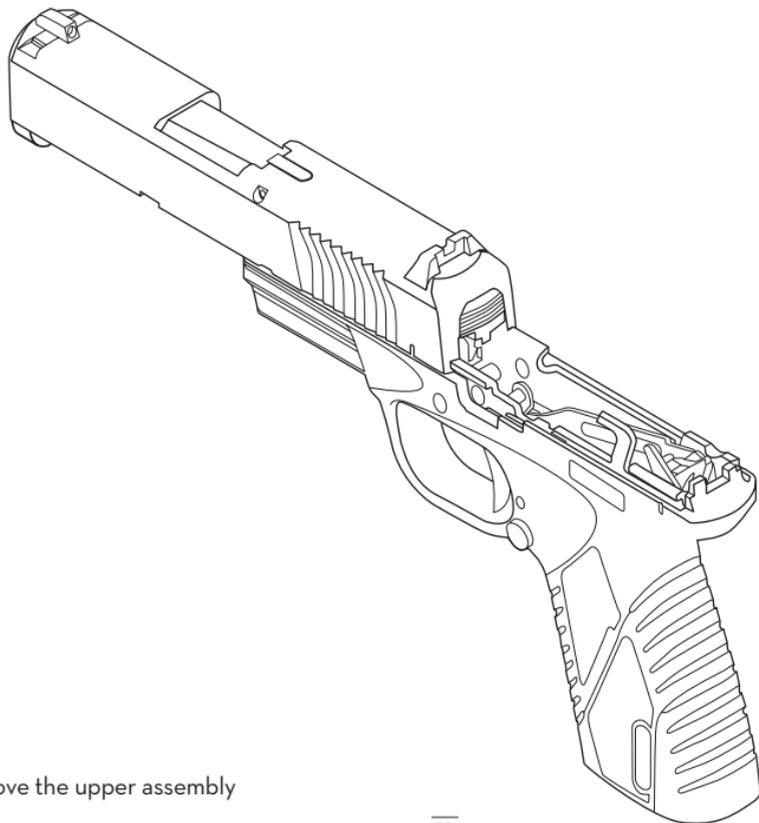


Fig. 13. Remove the upper assembly

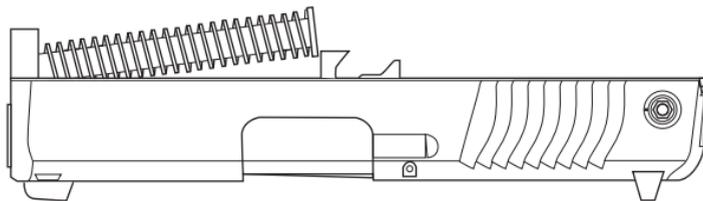


Fig. 14. remove the slide spring

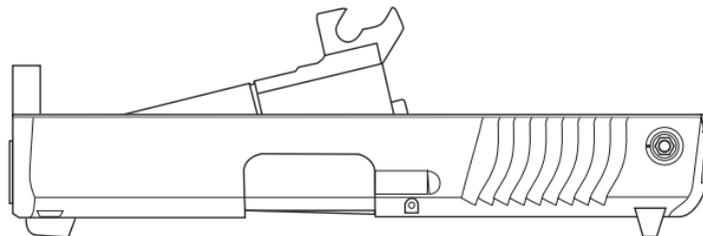


Fig. 15. Remove the barrel

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BP 9 CC

TECHNICAL DATA.

BP 9 CC

Caliber: 9 mm x 19

Operation: semiautomatic

Locking system: link-free design

Action: precocked striker fired

Overall length: 6.35 inches

Width: 0.94 inches

Height: 4.8 inches

Weight: 21.5 ounces

Barrel length: 3.3 inches

Rifling: R.H., 6 grooves (pitch 10 inches)

Magazine capacity: 8

Safety features: trigger safety, magazine safety, automatic firing pin safety, internal locking system.

Rear sight: dovetailed to slide

Front sight: dovetailed to slide

Line of sight: 5 inches

Finish: matte blue / duotone / olive drab

Additional features: loaded chamber indicator (LCI)

BP 40 CC

Caliber: 40 S&W

Rifling: R.H., 6 grooves (pitch 16 inches)

Magazine capacity: 7

BP 380 CC

Caliber: 380ACP

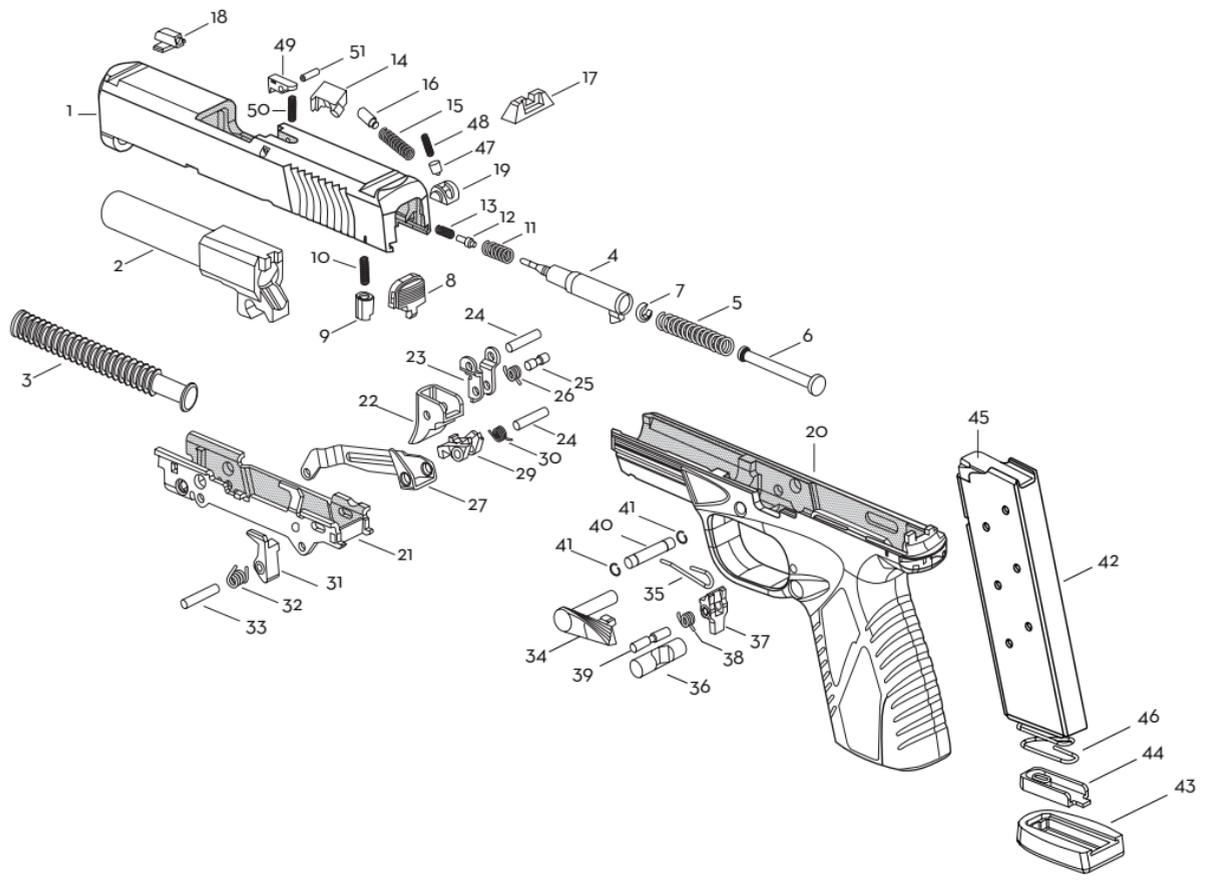
Locking system: blowback

Rifling: R.H., 6 grooves (pitch 16 inches)

Magazine capacity: 8

Safety features: trigger safety, automatic firing pin safety, internal locking system.

Additional features: loaded chamber indicator (LCI)



SPARE PARTS.

BP 9 CC / BP 40 CC / BP 380 CC

1. Slide
2. Barrel
3. Recoil spring
4. Firing pin
5. Internal firing pin spring
6. Firing pin spring guide rod
7. Firing pin spring retainer
8. Firing pin retainer
9. Automatic firing pin safety
10. Automatic firing pin safety spring
11. External firing pin spring
12. Firing pin retainer rod
13. Firing pin retainer spring
14. Extractor
15. Extractor spring
16. Extractor pin
17. Rear sight
18. Front sight
19. Internal locking system body
20. Grip catch
21. Slide guide
22. External trigger body
23. Internal trigger body
24. Sear and trigger pin
25. Trigger safety pin
26. Trigger safety spring
27. Sear pusher
29. Sear
30. Sear spring
31. Sear retainer
32. Sear retainer spring
33. Sear retainer pin
34. Slide catch and disassembly bar
35. Slide catch spring
36. Magazine catch button
37. Magazine catch body
38. Magazine catch spring
39. Magazine catch pin
40. Assembly pin
41. Assembly pin retainer
42. Magazine body
43. Magazine base
44. Magazine base retainer
45. Magazine follower
46. Magazine spring
47. Internal locking system retainer
48. Internal locking system spring
49. Loaded chamber indicator body*
50. Loaded chamber indicator spring*
51. Loaded chamber indicator pin*

() only for BP 9 CC and BP 40 CC models.*

SAFETY WARNINGS.

EAR AND EYE PROTECTION

Use ear plugs or earmuff-type protectors to guard you against cumulative, permanent hearing loss as a result of continuous exposure to shooting noise. Shooting glasses will guard you against powder, gas, carbon residue, lubricant, metallic particles or similar debris that may emanate occasionally from any firearm in normal use. Always make sure that anyone near you is also wearing ear and eye protection.

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SAFETY MECHANISM

1. Your firearm has an effective, well-designed safety mechanism. However, there's no safety mechanism capable of substituting your common sense and good safety procedures. No safety can guard you against horseplay, carelessness, or improper use. It may become ineffective by breakage or malfunction due to abusive use, incorrect assembly, or unauthorized adjustments.

2. While handling any firearm, never allow it to point at any part of your body or at another person. No harm should result if you obey this rule, even if an accidental discharge occurs.
3. The safety mechanism should be on until you are actually aiming at the target ready to shoot.
4. When turning the safety ON or OFF, point the muzzle in a safe direction and keep your finger off the trigger.
5. Be sure to put the safety in the correct position or it will not be effective. Some firearms have a red warning dot next to the safety which should be totally covered when the safety is on.

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LOADING

1. Be sure the muzzle is pointing in a safe direction when loading the firearm.
2. Do not load or unload a firearm in a confined space such as a vehicle or building other than a well constructed shooting range. In an enclosed area there

is not usually a safe direction in which to point the firearm, and if accidentally fired, there is a great risk of causing personal injury or property damage.

3. Clean all oil and grease from the chamber before loading, and be sure nothing is obstructing the barrel. Any obstruction in the barrel may cause the barrel to bulge or burst when firing, or otherwise damage the firearm or injure the shooter and bystanders.

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FIRING

1. When cocking a firearm, keep your finger off the trigger and point the muzzle in a safe direction.
2. Never carry a cocked firearm around or leave it unattended! A cocked firearm will fire with the slightest pressure on the trigger. If you fall or the firearm is dropped, or someone hits it, an accidental firing may occur.
3. When firing a semi-automatic gun, keep your fingers, hand, face and all other parts of your body away from

the ejection port, or any other part of the slide (or bolt) when it is moving. The shooter will not be injured if the firearm is held and fired at arm's length.

4. Be sure no one is standing where they may be struck by an empty cartridge case. Ejected cases are hot and may cause burns, cuts or eye injuries (if no eye protection is worn). Be sure there is a clear, safe, unobstructed path for fire cases to be ejected. And also be sure they will not bounce off a hard object and hit someone.
5. If your firearm has a mechanical malfunction while shooting, or if powder or gas emanates from it, or if a cartridge case is bulged or ruptured, or if the sound of the fire is not quite right, DO NOT CONTINUE SHOOTING. STOP IMMEDIATELY AND UNLOAD THE FIREARM. Then take the firearm and ammunition to your gunsmith.
6. A loaded cartridge case that becomes jammed in a semiautomatic gun between the slide (or bolt) and

the barrel may be removed as follows: Keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction. First, remove the magazine, and then pull the slide or bolt back. Hold it or lock it to the rear. Remove the jammed case by shaking the firearm or pick it out with your fingers.

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UNLOADING

1. Be sure the muzzle is pointed in a safe direction.
2. After removing the magazine, be sure to clear the chamber
3. Do not assume a firearm is unloaded until you have visually checked it.

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TRANSPORTING AND STORING YOUR FIREARM

1. Always keep your firearm unloaded when transporting it to and from shooting activities.
2. Store firearms and ammunition separately, preferably locked and secured. Keep firearms and ammunition out of reach of children, untrained individuals or careless, unauthorized adults.

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SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOLS

Carrying a semi-automatic pistol with a cartridge in

the chamber greatly increases the chances of accidental firing. Doing so may only be justified in cases of clear and present danger. For instance, in cases of self-defense you may have to fire your pistol instantly, however this is not recommended. The safest way to carry a loaded pistol is to have the chamber empty.

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AMMUNITION

1. Use high-quality, original, factory-manufactured ammunition in your firearm. Never use ammunition that is wet, dirty, corroded or damaged. Never oil or lubricate ammunition or let excess aerosol lubricants, preservatives, or cleaners come into contact with cartridges. This may cause dangerous malfunction problems. Be sure your ammunition has the proper caliber, which is engraved on the firearm. Do not use ammunition of any other caliber.
2. Reloading ammunition is a science. Improperly loaded ammunition may cause severe damage to your firearm and severe injury to both the shooter and other individuals. Use ammunition approved by the U.S. Sporting Arms and Ammunition Manufacturers Institute, Inc. (SAAMI). All warranties are void

if you use reloaded, remanufactured, handloaded, or other non-standard ammunition.

3. Excessive pressure inside the chamber or the barrel may cause severe damage to the firearm and/or severe injury to the shooter. This may be caused by obstructions in the barrel, propellant powder overloads, or the use of incorrect, wrongly assembled, dirty, corroded or damaged cartridges.

4. Stop shooting IMMEDIATELY and check the barrel for obstructions if:

- you have difficulties in chambering a cartridge or feel unusual resistance
- a cartridge misfires
- a fired cartridge case is not extracted
- you see unburned grains of powder in the mechanism
- a shot sounds abnormal or weak.

These obstructions may be caused by a bullet lodged way down the barrel. Do not fire another bullet in the obstructed barrel as this may damage the firearm and cause serious injury to both the shooter and bystanders.

5. Bullets lodged in the barrel may be caused by:

- a cartridge loaded without propellant powder, or

with powder failing to ignite (ignition of the cartridge primer without powder will push the bullet out of the cartridge case, but it is usually not enough to eject the bullet from the gun barrel)

- a bullet is not sealed tightly in its cartridge case. If a cartridge with a loose bullet is removed from the chamber without being fired, the bullet may remain in the barrel.

Putting another cartridge in the chamber may push the first bullet further into the barrel

6. If you suspect a bullet is obstructing the barrel, unload the firearm immediately and then look through the bore. Do not simply look inside the chamber as the bullet may be loaded further down the barrel where it cannot be seen easily. **IF A BULLET IS OBSTRUCTING THE BARREL, DO NOT TRY TO SHOOT IT OUT WITH ANOTHER CARTRIDGE, A BLANK CARTRIDGE, OR A CARTRIDGE WITH THE BULLET REMOVED. THIS MAY CAUSE EXCESSIVE PRESSURE AND CAUSE SERIOUS DAMAGE TO THE FIREARM AND INJURY TO THE SHOOTER OR OTHERS.**

Dislodge the bullet by tapping it with a cleaning

rod. Then clean any unburned powder grains in the chamber, mechanism and bore before firing again. If tapping with a cleaning rod does not dislodge the bullet, it will be necessary to have a gunsmith to remove it.

7. Dirty, corrode, oily, damaged or deformed cartridges may not be chambered completely, and the cartridge case may bust when firing.
8. Wipe any oil preservative from the chamber before shooting and do not lubricate the cartridges. Lubricants interfere with the required friction between the cartridge case and the chamber wall. This causes stress similar to excessive pressure.
9. Do not use too much lubricant on your guns moving parts. Do not spray gun care aerosol products where they may come into contact with ammunition. Do not overspray. Lubricants, specially aerosol sprays, may penetrate cartridge primers and cause the ammunition to misfire. Some lubricants may get inside cartridge cases and prevent powder from igniting. If only the primer ignites, the bullet may become lodged in the barrel.

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FIREARM CARE

1. When your firearm is delivered it comes in a factory package and has a light coating of protective grease and oil. Clear all this grease and oil from the bore and exposed mechanism before loading.
2. Double-check your firearm is unloaded before disassembling it for cleaning.
3. After cleaning, make sure you have not left a cleaning patch or any other obstruction in the bore or chamber.

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PARTS

BERSA's distributor has a complete supply of replacement parts. Even though most gunsmiths are highly qualified to make the necessary repairs to your firearm, the workmanship of any particular gunsmith, other than those in our Service Department, is totally beyond our control. Should your firearm ever require service, we strongly recommend that you return it to an Authorized Warranty Center. Unauthorized adjustments or parts replacement can void your warranty.

It is the responsibility of the purchaser to be absolutely certain that any parts ordered from **BERSA®** are

of the correct type and are properly fitted and installed by a competent person. THE IMPROPER FITTING OF PARTS OR IMPROPER MECHANICAL ADJUSTMENT MAY RESULT IN A DANGEROUS MALFUNCTION, DAMAGE TO THE FIREARM, AND POSSIBLE SEVERE INJURY TO THE SHOOTER OR TO OTHERS. Therefore, the purchaser and/or installer of parts must accept full responsibility for the correct adjustment and function of the firearm after such installation has been made or attempted.

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SERVICE POLICY

Your firearm has been carefully inspected and tested before being shipped to ensure it meets our specifications and standards. If your firearm needs adjustments, refinishing or repairs, we highly recommend that you obtain factory service from an Authorized Warranty Center. If you have any questions about your firearms performance, write, call or email to our Service Department and accurately describe the situation.

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RETURNING FIREARMS FOR SERVICE

1. Federal Licensed dealers may ship handguns via U.S. Mail. The Post Office confiscates hand guns mailed by private individuals.
2. Under Federal Law, you may return rifles by U.S. Mail. Other firearms may be returned by common carriers such as United Parcel Services (UPS). State and local gun laws vary greatly. Consult your local prosecuting attorney about any laws in your area that may restrict shipping or receiving firearms. Taking all these facts into account, we strongly recommend that you send your firearm for repairs to our Authorized Warranty Center through a Federal Licensed dealer.
3. All firearms must be sent out by prepaid shipment. WE DO NOT ACCEPT COLLECT SHIPMENTS.
4. Together with the firearm, enclose a letter indicating the serial number, caliber and barrel length, and also the work that is needed or the problem you have experienced with the firearm. Be specific. Do not simply write the words "defective" or "repairs needed". In addition, enclose copies of any previous letters dealing with the repairs. There will be a minimum service charge for repair works that is not covered

by the warranty.

5. YOUR FIREARM MUST BE SHIPPED UNLOADED. Before shipping, double-check the chamber to make sure it is unloaded. By law, BERSA's distributor is required to notify Federal authorities if firearms are sent loaded.
6. When shipping firearms to an Authorized Warranty Center, do not include custom grips or stocks, belts, slings, holsters, telescopic sights, or any other accessory.

LIABILITY

REVOLVERS AND PISTOLS ARE CLASSIFIED AS FIREARMS OR DANGEROUS WEAPONS. BERSA and its Distributors sell them pursuant to the specific understanding that they are not responsible, in any way whatsoever, for the safe handling or resale of the firearm under local laws and regulations.

BERSA® and its Distributors do not assume responsibility for any firearm malfunction, physical injury, or property damage resulting in whole or in part from (1) intentional or negligent discharge, (2) improper or careless handling, (3) unauthorized modifications, (4) defective, improper, reloaded, or handloaded am-

munition, (5) neglect, (6) corrosion, (7) any other circumstances or effects beyond their direct and immediate control.

This limitation is applicable regardless of whether the liability is asserted on the basis of negligence, contract, or strict liability (including any failure to give a warning).

BERSA and its Distributors are not liable under any circumstances for any incidental or consequential damages such as commercial loss, loss for use of property, and/or loss of profits or earnings.

IMPORTANT: Keep this manual with your firearm! the manual must be transferred with change of ownership.

Serial number: _____

Owner: _____ Purchase date: _____

Owner: _____ Purchase date: _____

Owner: _____ Purchase date: _____

Note: This information can be of great value to you for insurance purposes. Please, keep this manual in a secure place.

LIMITED WARRANTY

BERSA S.A., Magallanes 775, - B1704 FLC Ramos Mejía, Argentina, Warrants to the original purchaser that this **BERSA®** firearm will be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use for a period of one year from the date of purchase. Under this warranty, **BERSA S.A.** shall repair or replace any defective part, or at our option, exchange the firearm within a reasonable time and without charge. Claim under this warranty should be submitted in writing the state one year period, together with proof of the date of purchase and the firearm (insurance and shipment prepaid by the purchase) to an authorized warranty center indentified on the enclosed list. Return shipment and insurance shall be paid by **BERSA®** provided the claim is covered by this warranty.

This warranty shall be waived if the claimed defect or malfunction was caused by neglect, abuse, careless handling, unauthorized adjustment, alterations

or modifications, improper ammunition, or unreasonable use.

BERSA S.A. SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGE FOR BODILY INJURY PROPERTY DAMAGE OR ECONOMIC LOSS UNDER THIS WARRANTY OR OTHER GROUNDS. SOME STATES DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL.

This warranty gives you specific legal right, and you may also have other right which vary from state to state if you require assistance in connetion with this warranty, contact

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LIFE TIME SERVICE CONTRACT

Please visit our website for current warranty center locations.

Upon the expiration of the one-year Warranty, and for as long as this **BERSA®** firearm is owned by the original purchaser, **BERSA S.A.** offers to service and repair any defects or malfunction in this **BERSA®** firearm, excluding the finish, grips, sight or magazine, without charge. Requests for service should be submitted in writing, together with proof of purchase and the firearm (insurance and shipment prepaid by the purchaser), to an authorized service center identified on the enclosed list. Return shipment and insurance shall be paid by **BERSA®** provided the service is covered by this service contract.

This service contract is extended only to the original purchaser, is not transferable, and shall be waived if the defect or malfunction was caused by neglect, abuse careless handling, willful damage, damage caused by overpressure ammunition, or unauthorized ammunition, ordinary wear and tear, unreasonable use, or failure to provide reasonable and

necessary maintenance as set forth in the instruction manual. Moreover, this agreement will not apply to those parts of you **BERSA**® firearm which have been “tuned” or “gunsmithed” for performance other than customized tuning and other services provided by an authorized service center.

Please complete and return the enclosed original purchaser registration card, found in your firearm’s box, to assist us in providing this service to you. If you require assistance in connection with this service contract, please contact:

www.beresa.com

NOTICE: It is illegal to, among other things, ship firearms with ammunition in the firearm or in the same packaging. Firearm and ammunition must be shipped separately. Make sure you are in compliance with all local and federal laws when shipping a firearm for repair under this service contract to any authorized service center. You are solely responsible for understanding and complying with all state, federal, or other applicable laws or regulations regarding the shipment of firearms and/or ammunition.

THE USE OF A LOCKING DEVICE OR SAFETY LOCK IS ONLY ONE ASPECT OF RESPONSIBLE FIREARM STORAGE. FIREARM SHOULD BE STORED UNLOADED AND LOCKED IN A LOCATION THAT IS BOTH SEPARATE FROM THEIR AMMUNITION AND INACCESSIBLE TO CHILDREN AND OTHER UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS.

WARNING

Children are attracted and can operate firearms that can cause severe injuries or death. Prevent child access by always keeping guns locked away and unloaded when not in use. If you keep a loaded firearm where a child obtains and improperly uses it, you may be fined or sent to prison.

ATENCIÓN

A los niños les atrae las armas de fuego y pueden manipularlas pudiendo causarles heridas graves o la muerte. Impida el acceso de los niños manteniendo las armas guardadas con llave y descargadas cuando no estén en uso. Si usted mantiene un arma de fuego cargada al alcance de un niño o la usa inapropiadamente, puede ser multado o enviado a prisión.

EXHIBIT F-2

DISCHARGING FIREARMS IN POORLY VENTILATED AREAS, CLEANING FIREARMS, OR HANDING AMMUNITION MAY RESULT IN EXPOSURE TO LEAD AND OTHER SUBSTANCE KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE BIRTH DEFECTS, REPRODUCTIVE HARM, AND OTHER SERIOUS PHYSICAL INJURY. HAVE ADEQUATE VENTILATION AT ALL TIMES. WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY AFTER EXPOSURE.

WARNING FROM THE MASSACHUSETTS ATTORNEY GENERAL

This handgun is not equipped with a device that fully blocks use by unauthorized user. More than 200,000 firearms like this one are stolen from their owners every year in the United States. In addition, there are more than a thousand suicides each year by younger children and teenagers who get access to firearms.

Hundreds more die from accidental discharge. It is likely that many more children sustain serious wounds, or inflict such wounds accidentally on another. In order to limit the chance of such misuse, it is imperative that you keep this weapon locked in a secure place and take other steps necessary to limit the possibility of theft or accident. Failure to take reasonable preventive steps may result in innocent lives being lost, and in some circumstances may result in your liability for these deaths.

