

# LOCKSTATE

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## **OPERATING INSTRUCTION for LockState Safe LS-52-EN**

**CAUTION:** Do not keep the keys in the safe.

Thank you for purchasing the Lockstate LS-52-EN wall safe. This safe will retrofit easily between existing standard wall studs. This easy quick-start guide will help you through the installation and programming process.

### **1. OPENING THE SAFE FOR THE FIRST TIME**

To open the safe for the first time, remove the small central sticker on the front panel that has a picture of a key on it (see "Z" in diagram 2 below). This will reveal a keyhole underneath. Insert the key into the lock and turn it counter-clockwise, at the same time, turn the doorknob clockwise and pull the safe door open.

### **2. INSTALLING THE BATTERIES**

The safe requires 4 size "AA"(1.5V) batteries. The battery compartment (see diagram 1) is located on the back of the door. Remove the battery cover and install the batteries into the compartment, ensuring the batteries are fitted with the correct corresponding polarity. Once the batteries are installed, close the battery compartment.

### **3. PROGRAMMING THE CODE**

A. Press the red button "X" (see diagram 1) on the back of the door near the hinge, release it and you will hear two beeps.

B. Now enter a code (3 to 8 digits) that you wish to use as a combination, and confirm by pressing the "B" button within 15 seconds. If you wait too long before pressing the "B" button you will need to start over.

C. Write down your new combination immediately and test your new combination to ensure that it has been programmed.

### **4. INSTALLING YOUR SAFE**

A. To install your safe in an existing wall, select the location on the wall where you want to mount the safe. In the selected space, locate the studs between which the safe will be mounted. The studs have to be 16" on center and have a minimum of 14 1/4" open space between them for this safe to fit easily.

B. Draw a line with a pencil between the studs marking where you want the bottom of the safe and drill a hole a little above this line (the hole will create a space where you can insert your saw).

C. Cut along the line between the studs with your saw. If you hit any obstructions, stop immediately and check the cut to make sure you have not caused any unintended damage.

D. Measure 20 7/8 inches from the bottom line upward and draw a vertical line straight up on both sides of the bottom cut.

E. Draw a straight line that connects the tops of the two vertical lines. To ensure that you have traced the lines at the proper distance, hold the safe up to the wall aligned with the traced lines and the bottom cut line. The trace should be outline the back of the safe (not including the front flange).

F. Cut along all the lines you have just traced and remove the rectangular wall cutout that results.

G. Straighten and place the safe in the hole positioned at the height you want.

H. At each of the four holes on the sides of the safe wall, drill a hole for the bolt anchors. Place the bolt anchors in the drilled holes and insert one bolt in each bolt anchor, securing the safe.

## **5. USING YOUR SAFE**

To open the safe, enter your combination code and confirm by pressing the “A” button. You will hear a beep and the green light will light up. Within 5 seconds, open the door using the knob.

If an incorrect combination is used 3 times consecutively, you must wait for 20 seconds before reattempting to open the safe. If again, after the 20 second wait, an incorrect combination is entered 3 times consecutively, you must wait approximately 5 minutes before reattempting access.

## **6. BATTERY REPLACEMENT WARNING**

If the batteries are low, the red light (on the left) will warn you immediately upon an access attempt. To test the batteries, simply input your combination to open the door. If the batteries are low, the red light will light up. If there is no red light when accessing the safe then the batteries are in good condition.

## **7. REPLACING THE BATTERIES**

The safe requires 4 size “AA” (1.5V) batteries. Open the safe, then open the battery cover plate (see “Y” in diagram 1) on the back of the door and replace the old batteries. \*\*Upon replacing the batteries you must reprogram your combination using Step 3 above. Use of alkaline batteries is recommended.

## **8. OVERRIDE INSTRUCTION TO OPEN THE SAFE**

Your safe comes with a manual override system. If you forget or misplace your combination, remove the small central sticker on the front panel with the key picture on it (see “Z” in diagram 2). Insert the key into the keyhole and turn it counter-clockwise, then turn the knob clockwise (towards the right). This will manually open your safe.

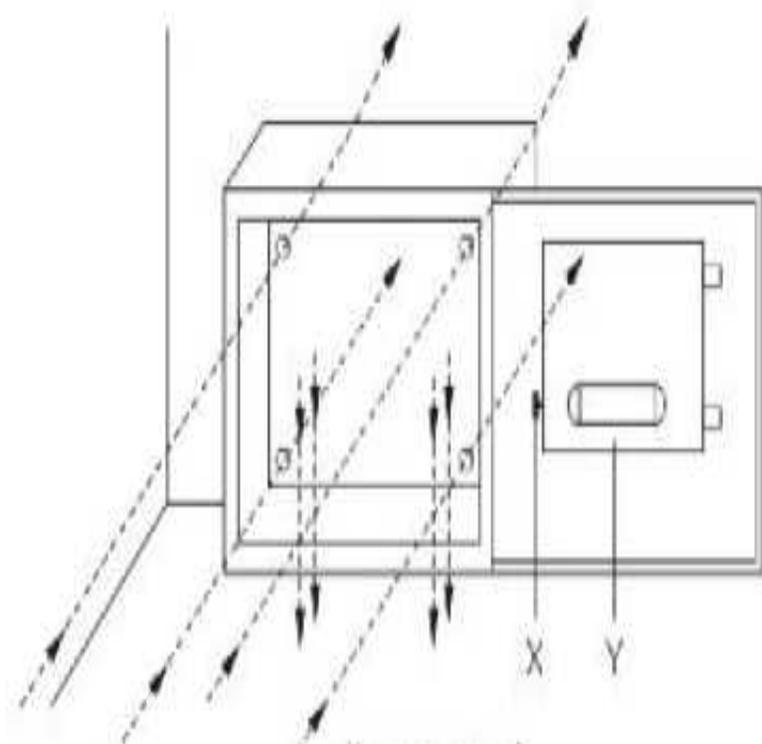


diagram 1

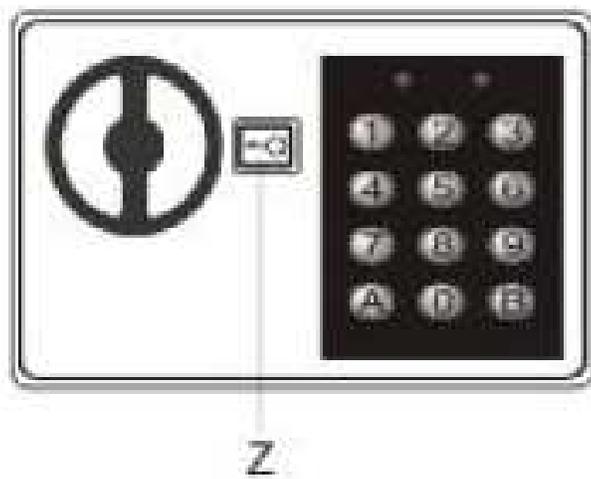


diagram 2