General Purpose Knee Lift

→ **NOTE** This Turbo Drive is configured as if the feed were going to be mounted on the right hand end of a mill table. The lead screw pitch is 5 turns per inch. See **CAUTION** below before changing anything!

CAUTION

The Turbo Drive power cable should be left **unplugged** until the drive is properly installed on the lead screw.

See the *Operation* manual to reverse the direction of travel or to change the lead screw pitch default. Turn **off** the Turbo Drive and **remove** the power plug from the wall before you attempt to change any jumpers or reverse the top housing.

WARNINGS

DO NOT install and operate this power feed without the 8" safety handwheel Servo #1685-1 for the knee feed. This is required to prevent injury.

Check handwheel clearances before operation.

Clearances between the surfaces of the handwheel and the non-moving parts of the equipment on which the handwheel is installed must be at least one-fourth inch (1/4") to prevent injury.

Do not operate without proper clearance!

Prevent contact during fast traverses.

WARRANTY CAUTION

There are *NO* user-serviceable parts inside the center or bottom housings. Removal of the motor, keyboard, or bottom housing screws *voids* the warranty.

REFERENCE DRAWINGS ENCLOSED

NA-58496 Bevel Gear Installation NB-58620 (3 sheets) Turbo Drive Installation 0800-80678 Turbo Drive Operation manual

PREPARATION

→ NOTE Carefully study all three sheets of the installation drawing NB-58620 to determine the best configuration for your machine. Features of different configurations can be combined, if required.

Step 1: Remove nut, handle, dial assembly and key (or similar parts on the feed screw shaft) from the lead screw such that a

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- machined flat and square mounting face and screw support bearing are exposed. Save all parts, as they may be needed for modification and/or installation later.
- Step 2: Take all necessary measurements. Shaft diameters and keyway widths must be measured accurately so that the bearing race, gear and keys can be fit snugly.
- Step 3: Make all necessary modifications of existing parts and/or new parts following tolerance requirements noted on the installation drawing.
- *** TIP** A simple layout can be very helpful.
- Step 4: Select two of the eight holes on the feed housing for mounting of the unit.
- Step 5: Referencing drawing NB-58620 for hole locations, drill and tap mounting face of the machine $1/4-20 \times .75$ " deep. The two holes must be perpendicular to the mounting face and located within $\pm .010$ " from true position.
 - IF: If there is a bearing retaining plate, drill two clearance holes through at the same locations or even bolt the feed down to the bearing retainer itself. For the latter case, a good evaluation of the bearing retainer strength is strongly recommended.

TURBO DRIVE INSTALLATION

- Step 1: Thoroughly clean the jack shaft and mounting area. Apply a thin coat of high pressure grease to the shaft and bare metal surfaces.
 - *IF*: If required, fabricate and install a shaft extension. Then pin the shaft extension to the jack shaft using the appropriate size roll pin from among those provided.
- * TIP To thread the end of the jack shaft, pull it out of the mill after removing its front support bearing retainer. Use a slide hammer puller if necessary. Mount the jack shaft in a lathe to drill and tap concentrically.
- Step 2: Slide the shaft spacer (if any) then the bearing race #0857 (.787" diameter), #0774 (.630" diameter) or #0470 (.625" diameter) onto the jack shaft.
- Step 3: Install the spacer ring (if any) and Turbo Drive onto the lead screw. Tighten the two 1/4-20 mounting screws. Make sure that the bearing race is not binding with the needle bearing.

BEVEL GEAR INSTALLATION

- *IF:* If needed, modify the bevel gear. See drawing NB-58620 for dimensions and Notes 1 and 3.
- Step 1: See drawing NA-58496.

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- Step 2: Apply high pressure grease to the screw shaft. Install key and slide bevel gear onto shaft.
- Step 3: Shim bevel gear to obtain backlash of .015/.025".

DIAL AND HANDWHEEL INSTALLATION

- IF: If needed, modify the dial. See drawing NB-58620 for dimensions.
- Step 1: The dial should be adjusted to obtain .005" spacing from the face of the Turbo Drive.
- → NOTE This is important in order to keep chips from entering the gear train. Three plastic (.030" thick) and five brass (.005" thick) washers are provided for this. Shim as required.
- Step 2: Secure dial using dial nut #2255.
- Step 3: Slide handcrank onto the end of the shaft and tighten with 1/2-20 lock nut #01115.

TURBO DRIVE OPERATION

See the separate **Servo Turbo Drive Operation** manual for complete operating instructions. Plug the unit into a properly grounded threewire outlet supplying 110 volt single phase 50/60 Hz 6 amp power. Turn the control switch ON and follow the instructions in the manual or on the **Quick Reference** sheet for setting limits.

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