

ELITE SIDE RAILS

FITTING INSTRUCTIONS



FORD EVEREST 2015–2018

PK402FE15E/FE18E

Fitting Time: approx. 1 hours



BRSUH RAIL SAFETY NOTICE:

INSTALLATION SHOULD ONLY BE DONE BY APPROPRIATELY QUALIFIED OR EXPERIENCED PERSONS IN ACCORD- ANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INSTALLER TO ENSURE THAT THE PRODUCT IS CORRECTLY FITTED.

WARNING:

Do not attach Vehicle Frontal Protection System (VFPS) to the vehicle using anchorages not intended for this purpose. (e.g. engine mounting bolts)

Do not use this product for any vehicle make or model, other than those specified by the VFPS manufact turer.

Do not remove the plaque or label from the VFPS.

Do not modify the structure of the VFPS in any way.

The VFPS has been produced to provide continued functionality of parking sensors and other "driver as- sist" features as closely as possible to Original Equipment. However, as all possible road conditions and combination of other accessories fitted to the vehicle which may affect functionality characteristics cannot be anticipated, *the driver remains responsible at all times for properly controlling the vehi-cle, monitoring all "driver assist" features and intervening where required to ensure the vehicle is safely operated.*

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Before installing the VFPS:

Check that all components, as listed in the assembly table, are available.

Thoroughly read all instructions.

This product or its fasteners must not be modified in any way.

These instructions are accurate as at the revision date and do not take into account any changes made by the vehicle manufacturer to vehicle design after the revision date or other accessories that are or have been fitted to the vehicle. Piak cannot be held responsible for such changes and appropriate enquiries should be made before installation.

Before installing, inspecting and/or maintaining the VFPS, the work space should be safe and clear of fuel, debris, electrical or other components.

During installation:

It is the responsibility of the installer to confirm correct operation/clearance of all components. All holes drilled shall have all burrs and swarf removed then coated with a suitable rust preventa-tive paint.

Ensure that all hardware is fastened to torque list as detailed in these instructions.



MAINTENANCE AND CARE:

To ensure continued safety and correct operation of the product, the VFPS must be routinely inspected and regularly serviced (including bolt torque checked for correct tension) by an appropriately qualified or experi- enced person.

The high tensile fasteners supplied with this product were used to achieve the specified rating. If replacement of the fasteners is required, fasfggteners of the same rating and quality must be used.

If this VFPS is fitted with a hinged number plate bracket, extra care must be taken when returning back to public roads following the use of the winch or conducting a deep water crossing.

The driver must ensure that the number plate bracket is returned back to the down position allowing full visi- bility of the number plate when returning to public roads.

EQUIPMENT:

These safety products should, at a minimum, be used when fitting or working on the product.





Protective Glasses

Hearing Protection

Installation in accordance with these instructions and adherence to warnings will ensure compliance with relevant regulatory and safety standards as at the revision date.

Failure to adhere to these instructions may affect the roadworthiness of the vehicle or cause personal injury, death or damage to property.

BY USING THIS PRODUCT YOU ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW PIAK WILL NOT ACCEPT LEGAL OR OTHER LIABILITY FOR ANY LOSS, INJURY OR DAMAGE CAUSED BY INCORRECT OR INAPPROPRIATE INSTALLATION OR USE OF THE PRODUCT.



TOOLS REQUIRED

- Torque, Socket wrench
- 2. Screw driver
- 3. Open spanner



Important: Check contents of fitting kit before commencing fitment and report any discrepancies.

Steel Brush Rail					
Item	Component Name	Q'ty	Remarks		
1	Side Rail (RH)	1			
2	Side Rail (LH)	1	2		
Connector Side Rail					
Item	Component Name	Q'ty	Remarks		
3	Side rail clamp 83 degree (LH,RH)	2			
4	Rubber Cover 2 in	2	_ 5		
5	Botton Head Bolt M8x1.25x70	6	3 4		
6	Hex Bolt M8x1.25x30	4			
7	Flat Washer M8 OD20	8			
8	Spring Washer M8	4			
9	Flange Nut M8x1.25	4			
10	Flat Washer M8 OD16	12			
11	Nut Lock M8x1.25	6			
12	Piak Logo Sticker Mylar 23x61 mm.	2			

TORQUE SETTING OF FASTENER

Mounting bolts must be tightened to torque's specified following;

Bolt Diameter (mm.)	Torque (Nm)	Torque (ft.lb)
M6	9	7
M8	22	16
M10	44	32
M12	77	57



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Locate the vehicle in a suitable area. Remove any existing steps installed on vehicle and discard.



Remove head side step to install side rails and retain the four M8 bolts, washers and nuts .



If it exists with a pair of pliers break off the step in-fill piece and file of any sharp edges.



Connect the side rail into the side step.



Secure the side rail to the side step with a M8 x 20mm hex bolt, M8 flat washer and M8 flange nut removed from the side step.



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Drill a hole through the side step bracket using the hole in the side rail bottom flange as a guide.

De-burr and treat with rust preventative.



5 Clamp the side rail to the bullbar.



Drill three holes through the side rail using the holes in the side rail as a guide.



- Secure with three M8 hex socket button head, flat washers and nyloc nut.
 - Tighten all bolts with the correct torque.
- 8 Repeat in step 2-7 for the LH side.



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