# **GETTING STARTED**





## LOADING WIRE ON THE SUPER G



1. The reel can be loaded while attached to the lasher or by removing the reel and loading it on a flat surface. The reel is removed by turning the knob on the hub and the reel cover is re-



2. If the lashing wire is wrapped with wire ties, rotate the head of the wire tie attached to the looped end of the lashing wire to the center of the coil



**3.** Cut the looped end of the wire on the inside diameter of the wire coil. This step will help in the loading of the coil onto the hub and subsequent steps.



**4.** Slide the lashing wire coil over the hub and onto the reel making sure that it spools out to the rear of the lasher as shown by arrow.



**5.** Cut and remove the 3 wire ties that were not rotated.



**6.** Install the wire reel cover and thread (CCW) completely onto the reel until snug against the wire coil. It is important to ensure that the reel cover is tight against the wire coil to prevent the lashing wire from "snagging" on itself.



7. Cut and remove the remaining cable tie and then continue to snug the reel cover against the wire coil ensuring a tight fit.



8. Remove the remaining cable tie.



**9.** The reel brake can be depressed into cutout on rear flange to hold the reel stationary as you tighten the reel cover.

#### **ROUTING THE WIRE FOR PROPER OPERATION**







WIRE ROUTING RIGHT SIDE

# Caution:

Do not pull the lasher backwards along the strand. Serious damage can occur to the front roller as it's designed to turn only in the forward direction when the lasher is pulled.

- 1. Once the lashing wire is loaded onto the Super G lasher, route the wire through the machine for proper operation. Pull enough wire off the reel to make the termination of the wire to the strand. Pass the wire over the tension adjustment roller then over the guide roller.
- 2. Wrap the wire around the drive roller in a counter clockwise direction then pass the wire through the extension roller. If more wire is needed unwrap the wire from the drive roller and pull additional wire off the reel then rewrap the wire around the driver roller.

## **OPERATING THE LASHER**

- 1. Lower the rear rollers to their lowest position by pressing on the release tabs and slide the rollers down to their lowest position. Open the rear gate assembly by pressing the latch release. Swing the gate open and latch it in the open position.
- Open both the front and rear strand locks by pulling up on the release knob. There should be an audible "click" when the locks travel from the locked position to the open position.
- 3. Open the front gate by pushing the release lever towards the front of the lashing machine. The roller on the front gate will pivot 180 degrees and out of the way.
- Attach a handline to the lasher handle and raise the lasher to the strand. Attach one of the lasher bridle snap hooks to one of the lasher towing eyes. Attach the other snap hook to the strand to serve as a tether.
- Place the lasher on the strand and ensure that the strand is centered in the grooves of both of the front and rear rollers.
- 7. Close the front strand locks by depressing simultaneously on both hooks until audibly and visibly locked.
- 8. Close the rear strand locks by simultaneously depressing on both hooks until audibly and visibly locked. The lasher is now secured to the strand.
- Using the proper cable raising procedure for your application, lift the cable or cables up to the strand, close the front gate and let the cable(s) rest on the horizontal roller.
- 10. Close the rear gate by pressing on the release latch and swing the gate closed until it locks in its closed position.
- 11. Adjust the rollers on the rear gate by raising the rollers so the rollers barely touch the cable(s). It is not necessary to press on the tabs in order to raise the rear rollers. This step will have to be done every time the bundle size changes.
- 12. Now the final steps. Secure the lashing wire to the strand by using a GMP D or E lashing wire clamp. Attach the bridle assembly to the towing eyes on the Super G lasher. Unlock the rotating drum by pulling back on the release pin and swing the pin over so it locks in the unlocked position and you are ready to lash.

