

# BARRACUDA®, GOPHER, AND SL: NEW CARTRIDGE SWIVEL ASSEMBLY

A design change has been made to the cartridge of the BC-H9-C Barracuda® to improve the seal life. The new cartridge part number is BC 505-S, which replaces the BC 505 cartridge. The cartridge assembly is interchangeable with all the existing Barracuda®, Gophers and SL swivels that use the cartridge, but some internal parts of the cartridge have changed. The Inlet Seat (BC 522-001) and the Spring (BC 524) are different. All of the other parts are interchangeable- refer to the exploded views below comparing the cartridges and be sure to use the correct part number for the new parts, assemblies and kits. Externally, the cartridge assemblies can be distinguished by pushing on the seat face; the new cartridge is spring loaded and the seat face will spring out, while the old one does not. When replacing the cartridge, inspect the end of the shaft in the swivel for damage such as galling or erosion- we recommend replacing damaged shafts. All kits include either the complete new cartridge or all the parts needed to rebuild the cartridge.

