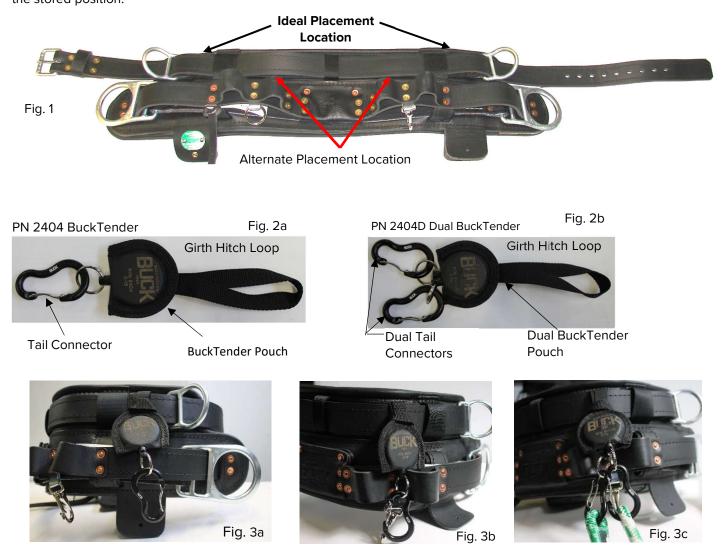
# **BUCKINGHAM MFG.**

## PN 2404 BuckTender

# WPFRD / APL (Secondary Lanyard) Tail Minder

Warning: Do not use this product if you cannot understand and follow the instructions and warnings that come with it and complete all necessary functions.

This Wood Pole Fall Restriction Device (WPFRD) / Adjustable Positioning Lanyard (APL) (Secondary Lanyard) tail minder (Fig. 2a) is designed to store the tail end of your WPFRD or APL (Secondary lanyard) keeping the excess material stored out of the way. The dual tail minder (Fig. 2b) is designed to hold the tail of your WPFRD and APL (Secondary Lanyard) at the same time. The unique design allows full adjustment without disconnecting the tail of the device, by simply adjusting as you normally would, and when finished, the tail will automatically return to the stored position.



# Installation Instructions:

Note: The ideal location for the BuckTender is on the belt strap behind the D-rings (Fig. 1 & 3a), if using a stacked D-ring belt the ideal location is on the upper belt strap behind the D-rings. If installation of the BuckTender in the ideal location will interfere with tools or accessories attached to the belt the BuckTender can be installed in the alternate location (Fig. 1, 3b and 3c).

- 1. Place the girth hitch loop of the BuckTender behind the belt strap (Fig. 4).
- 2. Insert the BuckTender pouch through the girth hitch (Fig. 5-6).





3. Pull the pouch through the girth hitch loop until tight (Fig. 7)



WPFRD / APL (Secondary Lanyard) Tail Attachment Instructions:

1. Connect the tail end of the WPFRD, APL or both to the BuckTender Tail Connector as shown in Fig. 8-11)





WPFRD rope



WPFRD web tail

Fig. 10

APL tail

Fig. 11



WPFRD/APL rope tail

# Adjusting the Inner Strap length of the WPFRD or APL length (Secondary Lanyard):

When adjusting the inner strap length of the WPFRD or APL length there is no need to disconnect from the BuckTender. Simply adjust as you normally would and when finished with the adjustment, the BuckTender returns the tail to the stored position. WPFRD Shown below (Fig. 12 – 14).



WPFRD and APL tails returned to the stored position (Fig. 15)



#### Warnings:

- Know the job and the regulations governing performance requirements and select the proper equipment.
- It is the employer / user's responsibility to ensure that they are properly trained in the use, care and limitations of this product.
- Employer instruct employee as to proper use and warnings before use of equipment.
- This equipment is intended for use by properly trained professionals only.
- Please consult with your physician prior to using this product. Do not use this product under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Read carefully, understand and heed these instructions and warnings before using this equipment. Failure to do so could result in your serious injury or death. Should questions arise concerning the proper use or condition of your equipment, consult your Supervisor, Safety Director or contact Buckingham Manufacturing Co. at 1-800-937-2825.
- This product is designed to be used to control the excess tail length of the inner strap of your Wood Pole Fall Restriction Device (WPFRD) or Adjustable Positioning Lanyard (APL) only.
- This product must never be used as a fall arrest, fall restraint or work positioning attachment.
- Never install the BuckTender onto the D-rings or anywhere it can interfere with the operation of the hardware or connection points of the body belt or harness.
- Never attach a handline or handline block to the BuckTender. For attachment of a handline or handline block use Buckingham Mfg. PN 2402 or PN 6109 handline carriers.
- The BuckTender is not designed to be used as a tool tether. Attaching a tool to this device could result in the loss / damage of the tool or serious injury or death.
- Only Buckingham Mfg. Co., or those authorized in writing by Buckingham Mfg. Co., may make repairs to this equipment.

**NOTE:** This product <u>cannot</u> be returned unless it is in new / unused condition.

# STATEMENT of OBSOLESCENCE:

Precise "useful life expectancy" or "shelf life" for this product is not specified, as the degree of use, conditions of use, and the degree of care and storage determines useful life. All users maintain responsibility to select proper equipment for the job, be properly trained in its use, and ensure all personnel support equipment passes inspection before each use. Upon evidence of defects, damage or deterioration, all equipment shall be removed from service immediately and tagged or marked as unusable or destroyed. Additionally, all equipment shall be inspected on a regular basis not to exceed one year by a Competent Person, as defined by OSHA/ANSI, to verify that the equipment is safe for use. In the event of any question or concern regarding the condition of such equipment, users shall remove the equipment from service for further inspection. All users must comply with OSHA/ANSI/ASTM standards prior to and in using such equipment. For more information regarding safe and appropriate use of equipment, please contact Buckingham Manufacturing at 1-800-937-2825.

# INTERNATIONAL USERS:

Notwithstanding the above, please know that certain international jurisdictions require manufacturers of equipment to provide customers with a maximum useful lifespan (sometimes referred to as a "Statement of Obsolescence"). To the extent required, Buckingham personal protective equipment manufactured from synthetic fiber materials including but not limited to items such as webbing and/or rope are subject to a maximum useful lifespan of ten (10) years from the date of manufacture. As stated above proper usage, storage, maintenance, and care impacts the useful lifespan of equipment. Extreme circumstances may require that product must be retired after only one use. This statement is made in conformance and compliance with BS EN 365:2004. International users must ensure that product inspections are completed by Competent Persons as defined by international standards including but not limited to British Standard ("BS"). If equipment fails any inspections, it must be immediately withdrawn from service and destroyed. For more information regarding safe and appropriate use of equipment, please contact Buckingham Manufacturing at 1-800-937-2825.

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We guarantee the equipment we manufacture to be free from defects in material and workmanship. We will repair any equipment deemed to be defective which is returned to us by the original purchaser. However, this guarantee is void if any product is changed or altered in any way, or if the product is used in a manner other than for which it is intended. This express guarantee supersedes all other expressed or implied guarantees, obligations or liabilities. There are no implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose and as such, all implied warranties are specifically disclaimed.

# LIMITATION ON LIABILITY:

In no event will Buckingham or buyer be liable to the other for lost revenues, lost profits or any other indirect, consequential, special or punitive losses or damages, however caused, whether in action for breach of contract, strict liability, tort, or otherwise, even if advised of the possibility of such losses or damages. In no event will Buckingham's liability exceed the total amount paid by the buyer to Buckingham for the product or equipment giving rise to such claim(s).

Please see other terms and conditions relating to this product at https://buckinghammfg.com/terms-conditions/

#### **REGISTRATION:**

Before use of the product, ensure to register and confirm the product at www.buckinghammfg.com/register.

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