# **Acumen Model FDC-500**

# **Fireplace Remote Control Operating Instructions For The Homeowner**

The Acumen Model FDC-500 Remote Control is designed for use with decorative gas fireplace and wall heaters using a Millivolt gas valve.

## **BEFORE YOU BEGIN:**

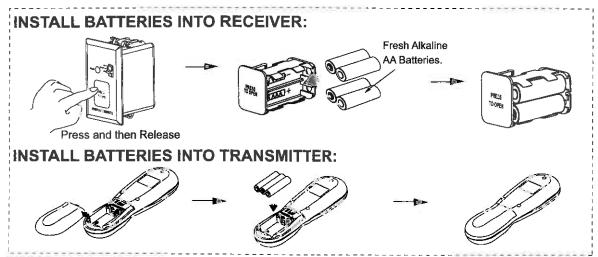
### Warning:

The pilot flame must be lit, with the gas control valve turned to "ON", for the remote to work correctly. Read all of the safety precautions in the owner's manual included with your fireplace before using this remote control. The thermostat is not intended for unattended use.

## **INSTALLING FRESH BATTERIES:**

Note: It is not necessary to re-set your private code when Installing Fresh Batteries.

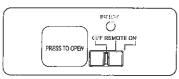
The fireplace MUST be OFF before replacing transmitter batteries.



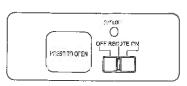
# Change Batteries At Least Every 6 Months:

WARNING: THE REMOTE TRANSMITTER WILL AUTOMATICALLY SWITCH OFF THE FIREPLACE WHEN THE BATTERIES IN THE REMOTE TRANSMITTER ARE LOW.

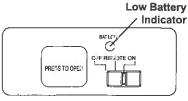
### RECEIVER OPERATION:



Fireplace Off



Fireplace Controlled by Remote



Fireplace On

# TRANSMITTER OPERATION:

### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

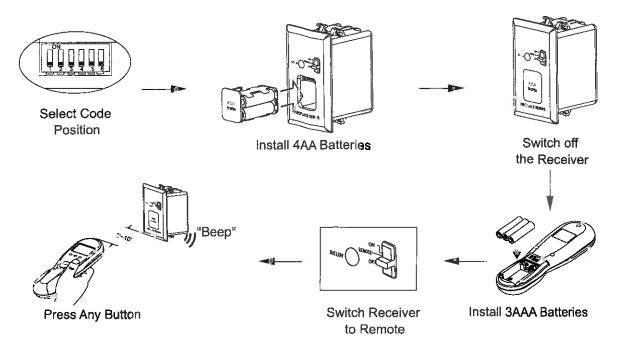
The fireplace will automatically shut off after 6 hours of Continuous operation.

- Press the ON button once to turn on the fireplace.
- Press the OFF button once to turn off the fireplace.

ON button
OFF button

WARNING: IT TAKES SOME TIME FOR THE RECEIVER TO RESPOND TO THE TRANSMITTER. DO NOT PRESS THE ON/OFF BUTTONS MORE THAN ONCE WITH 2 SECONDS FOR CORRECT OPERATION.

### **SET PRIVATE CODE:**



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- Reorient or relocate the receiver antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio TV technician for help.

#### **Canadian Equipment Requirements**

This digital apparatus does not exceed the (class A/Class B)\* limits for radio noise emissions from digital apparatus set out in the Radio Interference Regulations of the Canadian Department of Communications. Le present appareil numerique n'emet pas de bruits radioelectriques depassant les limites applicables aux appareils numeriques (de la class A/de la class B)\* prescrites dans le Reglement sur le brouillage radioelectrique edicte par le ministere des Communications du Canada.

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The Model FDC-500 Transmitter is a Two-button hand held transmitter, which turns the gas on/off.

### Installation Precautions:

The Model FDC-500 Remote Control is tested safe when installed in accordance with this installation manual. It is your responsibility to read all instructions before starting installation and to follow these instructions carefully during installation.

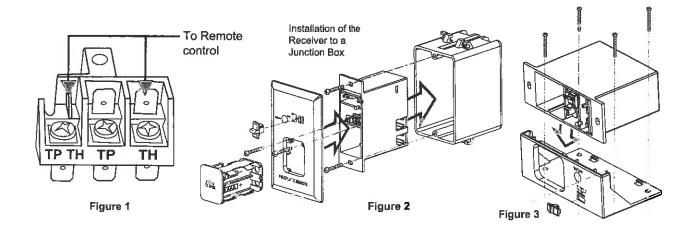
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The Model FDC-500 Remote Control is carefully engineered and MUST be installed only as specified. If you modify it or any of its components, you may possibly cause a fire hazard.

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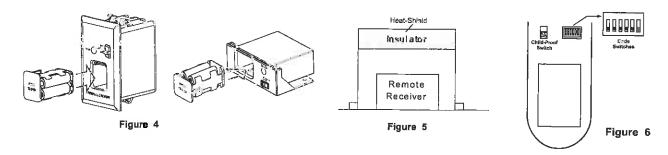
## 1.0 Installing the Receiver

- 1. Make sure the slide switch on the Remote Receiver is at the OFF position.
- 2. Connect the wires to the TH and TPTH terminals of the Millivolt valve. See Figure 1.
- 3. Installing the Remote Receiver to a Wall Mount:
  - Secure the Remote Receiver to the wall mount.
  - Use the screws provided to secure the face blade to the Remote Receiver. See Figure 2.



- 4. Installing the Remote Receiver to a Fireplace:
  - Secure the Fireplace Mounting plate to the base pan of the fireplace.
  - Slide the Remote Receiver into the fireplace mounting plate. See Figure 3.
- 5. Put the switch cap to the slide switch.
- 6. Slide the battery compartment into the Remote Receiver. See Figure 4.

7. In order to prevent the Remote Receiver (fireplace installation only) from overheating, put a heat shield (option item) above the Remote Receiver. See *Figure 5*.



### 2.0 IMPORTANT SAFETY FEATURE:

You can set a private code into your system to prevent accidental operation by another transmitter nearby. See *Figure 6*.

## 2.1 Coding Instructions:

- Remove the cover on the back of the Remote Transmitter to expose the code switches. Slide the code switches to your choice of ON or OFF positions. FACTORY SETTING IS ALL "OFF".
- 2. Make sure the slide switch on the Remote Receiver is at OFF position.
- 3. Keep the Remote Transmitter and the Remote Receiver within 2-10 feet.
- 4. Slide the slide switch on the Remote Receiver to REMOTE position.
- 5. Install fresh AAA alkaline batteries into the Remote Transmitter.
- 6. Press any button on the Remote Transmitter, the Remote Receiver will produce a 'beep' sound when it receives the code from the Remote Transmitter.
- 7. If you do not hear a 'beep' sound from the Remote Receiver, remove the batteries from the Remote Transmitter and slide the slide switch on the remote receiver to OFF position, Wait for 1 minute, and repeat step 2 to 6.
- 8. Replace the cover of the Remote Transmitter and the Receiver. The system is now ready to operate.

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