



Power Equipment

CODE: CC-273

DATE: MARCH 8, 1994

SUBJECT: LIFT ASSIST SPRING CHANGED ON 2000 SERIES TRACTORS (MODELS 2160-2165-2185) SERIAL NUMBERS 242707-244932.

We have received information from the field concerning the lift assist springs on the above mentioned tractors.

Currently we are using springs that tend to give too much lift assist, which may cause the deck to lift at an improper angle.

To help overcome this problem two new springs have been designed and will be included with the respective mower decks, one with 190-300-100 46" deck and two with 190-301-100 48" deck. All lift assist springs have been removed from the above tractors after the serial number listed above. Mower decks produced after, March 1, 1994, have the springs included with decks. The date code on the mower deck box will read C014G5. To be assured you are using the proper lift assist springs, we suggest the following.

- 1) 190-300-100 46" decks. Remove the lift assist spring from the tractor, 2160-2165-2185, and install a new spring, part number 732-3120A. You will need to order this spring from the part's depot. See page 2 for a discription of this spring.
- 2) 190-301-100 48" decks. Remove the lift assist spring from the tractor, 2160-2165-2185, and the lift assist spring from the mower deck, those decks made BEFORE the date codes listed above. Replace both of these springs with part number springs 732-0594A. Both of the above springs may be obtained from the part's depot. See page 2 for a description of this spring.

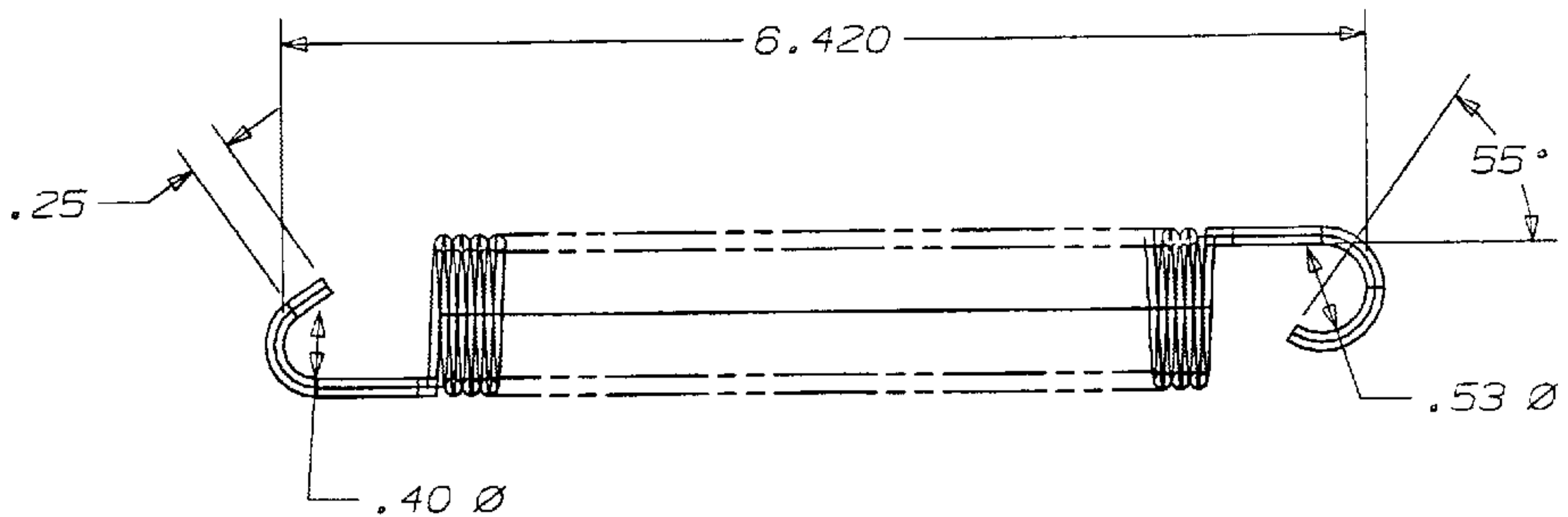
Submit a warranty claim for springs only, no labor. Installation of lift assist springs is part of normal tractor\mower deck set-up.

P & D of 25.00 will be allowed if unit has been sold and registered.

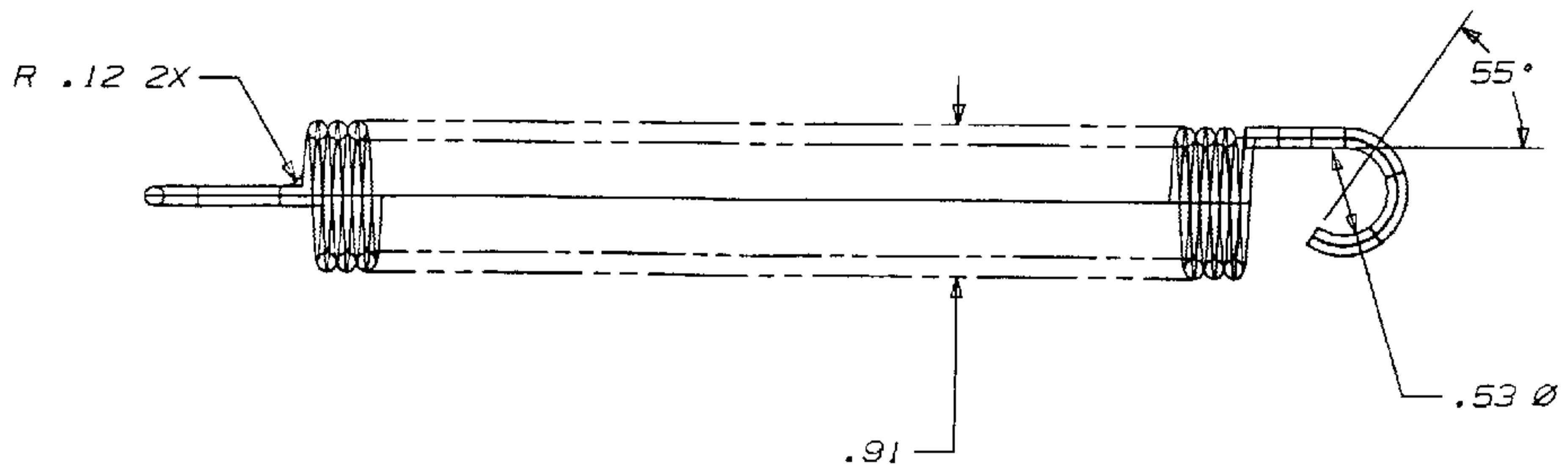
You may submit up to six tractors per claim.

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SPRING 732-3120A 1.0" O.D. X 6.420 LG. WIRE DIA. .105 43 COILS



SPRING 732-0594A .91" O.D. X 7.33 LG. WIRE DIA. .120 46 COILS

NOTE: In the future, spring 732-0594A will be changed to part no. 732-3126. Until that time use the spring suggested and bend one end as shown in the drawing, before installing spring. The parts book will reflect the new spring part number.