

Print Head Installation Guide (Intermec™ 8646/8636)

CAUTION:

The printhead is sensitive to static electricity, which can damage the printhead or reduce its life. Ground yourself by touching some metal, such as printer's metal base, before touching the printhead. Clean the printhead to remove any salt or oil left from handling prior to operation.

- 1- Turn power switch off, unplug power-cord.
- 2- Open the printer compartment cover.
- 3- Remove ribbon and label socket.
- 4- Open the printhead-mounting module by pushing the printhead lever counterclockwise.
- 5- Remove ribbon from printhead mounting module.
- 6- Disconnect printhead cable.
- 7- Release printhead by unscrewing two printhead mounting screws located on top of the printhead-mounting bracket.
- 8- Attach a new printhead to the printhead-mounting bracket with two printhead mounting holes matching two pins on the printhead-mounting bracket.
- 9- Tighten two screws to secure the printhead.
- 10-Connect cable to the printhead.
- 11-Reload the ribbon roll and label stock.
- 12-Close printhead-mounting module by pushing the printhead lever clockwise.
- 13-Close printer compartment cover.
- 14-Plug power cord, turn power switch on.

NOTE: Normally, mechanical adjustment is not necessary when replacing the printhead. Mounting screws on the mount assembly automatically locate the printhead. However, if the new print head performs poorly, some adjustment may be necessary.