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Upgraded push rod for “Single Fold” folding doors.

There have been a few instances of the push rod breaking in single folding door systems. This has not been a problem on the 4 panel bi-folding systems. I believe this is because the longer rod in a 4 panel system is able to flex slightly, thus relieving strains under severe loading. The short rod in a single folding unit is so short that it apparently is unable to relieve this strain.

I have come up with an upgraded push rod for singles that should cure this problem. This rod is now being shipped on all new single fold units being built. If you have an older unit with the welded “pipe” style of push rod, you may upgrade by ordering **Part No. 215898**.

This part is identifiable by its hexagonal body as opposed to the round “pipe” body of the previous part. It should be adjusted to a center to center length of 8" for all single fold units.

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