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LEYMAN LIFT GATES ASSISTS WITH INNOVATIVE TRAILER LIFT GATE INSTALLATION

Engineering Design Will Enable National Company to Utilize Large Platform Lift Gates with Swing Door Trailers

CINCINNATI - Product engineers at Leyman Lift Gates have assisted the engineering staff at a major trailer manufacturer with the design of a factory installed threshold plate (rear buck plate) that will better accommodate Leyman's aluminum platform Hide-A-Way™ lift gates. Now, the Leyman LAH and LHLP Hide-A-Way™ lift gates can be installed on trailers with swing doors with no door alteration and on 53 foot trailers with no added length.

The design was created for a national company with a large private fleet who had ordered Wabash National dry vans and the Leyman LHLP Hide-A-Way™ 4400 lb. capacity lift gates with 63 inch deep aluminum platforms. The threshold plate has been notched for the lifting arms, ensuring that the LHLP lift gates will be able to be raised to the top of the trailer floor.

In addition, the lift gate installer will not have to cut into the threshold plate when installing the gates. The new design is both aesthetically pleasing and will strengthen and stabilize the threshold plate.

“We are tremendously pleased with the results of this project,” said John McHenry, president of Leyman Lift Gates. “Working together for the benefit of the end user has created a winning situation for all companies involved.”

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Innovative Trailer Lift Gate Installation

For additional information regarding the LAH or LHLP series or other innovative products from Leyman Lift Gates, contact your Leyman supplier, call **(513) 891-6210** or e-mail your request to **sales@leymanlift.com**. Product information also is available on Leyman's website, **www.leymanlift.com**.

Leyman produced its first all-hydraulic rail gate in the early 1960s. The company today offers 12 primary lift gate styles through 450 distributors across the United States. Leyman also is a leading supplier to major trailer and truck body manufacturers nationwide and operates product distribution facilities in Ohio and New Jersey.

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