



# *Deluxe* Remote Trainer

*Owners Manual*



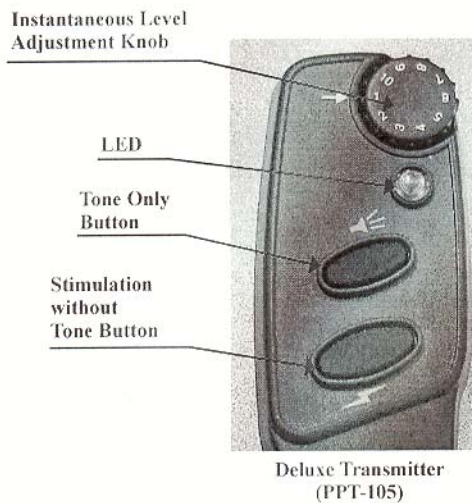
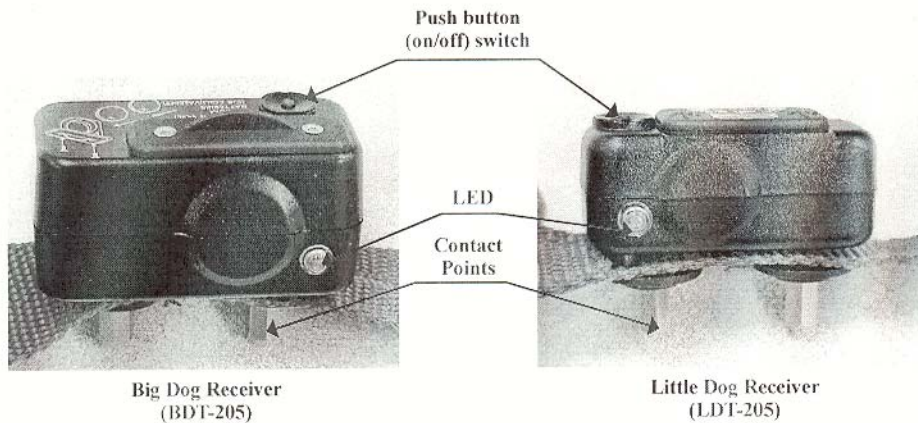
## INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Thank you for purchasing your Deluxe Remote Trainer, one of the finest training systems available for training your dog. Due to the similarities between the Big and Little dog receivers, both are discussed in this manual. Two simple steps will prepare your unit for use.

Step I – Insert the Batteries in the handheld transmitter and receiver collar.

Step II – Activate the receiver.

Please remember to fill out your warranty card before continuing. Either mail the enclosed card or register at [www.petsafe.net](http://www.petsafe.net).



**Step I — Insert Batteries into the Transmitter and Receiver for the****Receiver for the PDLDT-305 Little Dog Trainer**

- Use a Philips screwdriver to remove the two screws on the receiver.
- Press the battery door in the direction of the arrows on the door. It will move slightly.
- Insert two, 3-volt lithium batteries per the diagram on the receiver.
- Replace the battery door.
- Tighten the screws.

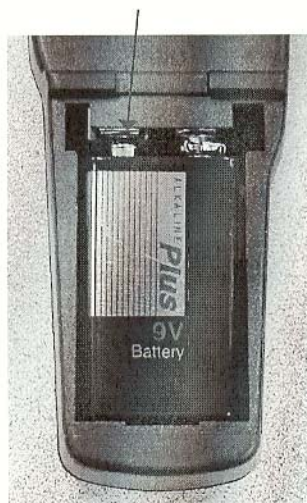
**Receiver for the PDLDT-305 Big Dog Trainer**

- Use a Philips screwdriver to remove the two screws on the receiver and remove the battery door.
- Remove the battery door.
- Insert two, 3-volt lithium batteries per the diagram on the battery door.
- Replace the battery door. Press and snap into the receiver.
- Tighten the screws.

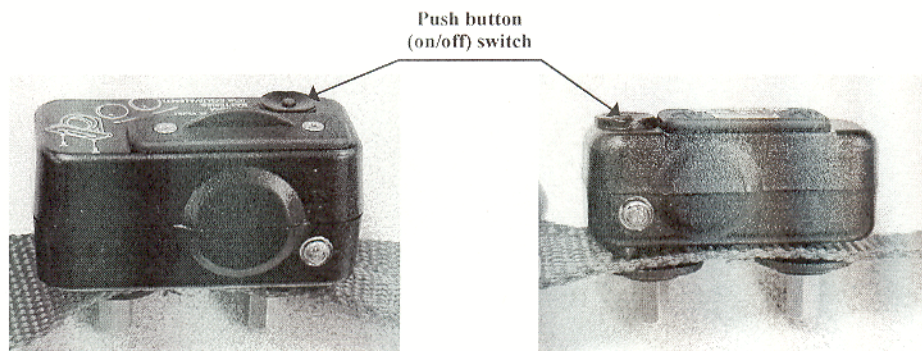
**Transmitter for both Remote Trainers.**

- Pull the battery door open at the top.
  - Insert the 9V battery according to the diagram in the transmitter. It will only fit one way.
  - Replace the battery door by positioning the bottom edge and snapping door into place.
  - Activate the transmitter by pressing either button.
- + ➤ Ensure the receiver is not on the dog.  
The transmitter LED will light.

Positive "+" polarity of battery







### Step II — Activate the Receiver

- To activate the receiver, press and release the receiver's on/off button.
- The receiver LED light will flash once, indicating that the receiver is ready to receive signals.
- To turn off the receiver, press and release the on/off button. The LED light will flash twice, indicating that the unit has been turned off.

### TESTING YOUR UNIT BEFORE USING

- Turn off the receiver by pressing the on/off button. The receiver LED will blink twice.
- Loosen the two contact points on the collar until the threading is exposed.
- Bend the wire ends of the test light and twist them around the exposed threading.
- Securely hand-tighten the contact points over the test wires.
- Activate the receiver by pressing the on/off button. The LED will blink once.
- Turn the adjustment knob on the transmitter to level 5.
- Press the Stimulation button. ⚡
- The test light will illuminate, indicating that the unit is operational.
- The higher the intensity level that is set on the transmitter, the brighter the light will shine.
- Loosen the contact points, remove the test wires, and securely tighten the contact points. Do not over tighten.

### USING YOUR TRAINING SYSTEM

#### To train using tone: 🔊

- Press the tone button on the transmitter.
- To indicate that tone is being activated, the red LED light on the transmitter will remain illuminated as long as the button is pressed. If the LED light begins flashing every four seconds or does not illuminate, the transmitter battery should be replaced.

**To train using stimulation:**

- Turn the intensity adjustment knob clockwise to control the intensity of the stimulation. Align the intensity level desired with the arrow. Stimulation intensity levels vary from 1 (lowest) to 10 (highest).
- Press the stimulation button on the transmitter.
- To indicate that stimulation is being delivered, the red LED light on the transmitter will remain illuminated for as long as the button is pressed. If the LED light begins flashing every four seconds or does not illuminate, the battery should be replaced.

*NOTE: The stimulation will transmit for no more than five continuous seconds no matter how long the button is pressed. To re-activate, release and re-press the button.*

Your dog responds to the transmitter's stimulation through two contact points on the waterproof receiver that touch the dog's neck. Therefore, it is important that the receiver is fitted properly onto your dog.

Your unit comes equipped with two sets of contact points, medium and long. The medium should be used with dogs having short hair; the long should be used with dogs having long hair.

**Fitting your Receiver Collar**

1. Wash both your dog's neck and the contact points on the receiver collar.
2. Activate the receiver as described previously.
3. Center the receiver high on your dog's neck with the LED light facing up and visible.
4. Buckle the collar snugly on your dog, allowing enough room so that you can comfortably place one finger between the contact points and your dog's neck.

*NOTE: Do not buckle the collar too tightly. Doing so can cause Pressure Necrosis, a condition that results in skin deterioration. Check your dog's collar regularly. Remove the collar weekly and wash your dog's neck and contact points with a mild soap that is approved by a veterinarian. If a rash appears or sores form, remove the collar for a few days. When placing the collar back onto your dog, make sure that it is secured properly.*

**FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

*Q #1: What is the range of my trainer?*

A: Your trainer will operate up to 100 yards. However, weather and environmental factors such as terrain may affect its range.

*Q #2: These products use what type of batteries?*

- A. Your receiver requires two, replaceable, 3-volt lithium batteries (CR2032). A set is included. Your transmitter requires one, 9-V alkaline battery, which is included. Both types of batteries are widely available at retail outlets.

*Q #3: How much training time can I expect from my unit?*

- A. If your receiver is continuously turned on, you can expect having approximately two weeks of training time before needing to replace the batteries. **You can prolong the life of your batteries by turning off the receiver when it is not being use.** Your transmitter should provide you with approximately two to four months of training time. These estimates may vary depending upon type and frequency of use.

*Q #4: How will I know if a battery needs replacing?*

- A: The LED lights on your transmitter and receiver will tell you when you have a low battery. When the batteries are low on either unit, its LED light will flash every four seconds.

*Q #5: How should I store the transmitter and receiver when I am not using them?*

- A. If you do not plan to use for two weeks or more, turn off the receiver. Store both at room temperature.

### **TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE**

Please refer to the guide below if you are experiencing problems with your Remote Trainer. Please call the Customer Care Center at 1-800-732-2677 with additional questions.

**Problem: My dog is not responding when I press the stimulation button.**

1. Check to see if the receiver is turned on.
2. Increase the level of intensity. As you turn the intensity knob on the transmitter, watch your dog to determine his "recognition" level of the signal. As he feels the signal, he will scratch his neck or ears.
3. Make sure that the collar's contact points are placed snugly against your dog's skin.
4. Make sure that the contact points on the receiver are not too short for your dog's hair length. If so, remove the medium length contact points and replace them with the longer length contact points.
5. Check to see if either the transmitter or receiver batteries need replacing.

**Problem: The range of my unit is less than 100 yards. My training system's range does not go to 100 yards.**

1. Check to see if the receiver is turned on.
2. Check to see if either the transmitter or receiver batteries need replacing.
3. Make sure that you and your dog's immediate surroundings are free from metal obstructions that can reduce the unit's operational range.



**Problem: The receiver collar will not turn on.**

1. Replace the batteries.

**Problem: The receiver is not responding to the transmitter.**

1. Check to see if the receiver is turned on.
2. Check to see if either the transmitter or receiver batteries need replacing.
3. Make sure that the stimulation button on the transmitter is not being pressed for more than five seconds. After five seconds, the transmitter will stop sending signals until the button is released and again pressed.

**Problem: The receiver is not delivering stimulation.**

1. Check to see if the receiver is turned on.
2. Check if the receiver beeps when the tone button is pressed.
3. Use the test light to verify whether the unit is operational.
4. Verify ID codes are matched:
  - Put intensity knob at level (1).
  - Stand 3 or more feet away from receiver.
  - Press  and  at the same time for 10 seconds or until receiver beeps.

**PRODUCT WARRANTY**

Please register your product by mailing in the warranty card or registering online at [www.petsafe.net](http://www.petsafe.net).

All parts are covered under warranty for the life of the product. Labor is covered for the first year of ownership. Thereafter, there is a minimum service charge for the repair or replacement of the product. Misuse, loss, or improper handling is not covered. Radio Systems Corporation will not pay for loss of time, inconvenience, loss of use of your product, loss of your product, or any incidental or consequential damages.

**SERVICE**

If you need service, please contact the Customer Care Center at 800-732-2677 for help in troubleshooting and, if needed, to arrange a repair for your product (a service charge may apply). Also, please visit our website [www.petsafe.net](http://www.petsafe.net) for more Frequently Asked Questions and Troubleshooting Tips.

**RETURNS**

Return your product to the address listed below with a brief description as to why you are returning the product. No prior authorization from Radio Systems Corporation is required. Include a legible return address.

We recommend your shipping your return using a carrier that offers tracking capabilities. You must pay the return shipping or freight charges.

Ship your return to:  
 Radio Systems Corporation  
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 Knoxville, TN 37932



**FCC COMPLIANCE**

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC rules. Unauthorized changes or modifications to the equipment that are not approved by Radio Systems Corporation are in violation of FCC regulations and could void the user's authority to operate the equipment and void the product warranty.

FCC limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a residential environment. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy. If not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, the equipment may cause harmful interference to radio communications. There is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a practical installation. However, if this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by taking the following actions:

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