

Product Code: EL00002

# **DOOR HANDLE ALARM**

Portable Alarm for Metal Door Handles

#### Introduction

The Defender Door Handle Alarm is a safety device to be used at home, work or for travel. The alarm is designed to be hung on a metal door handle and has adjustable hanging cord size for versatility. The alarm produces a 125dBs siren when someone touches or attempts to touch the metal door handle. The siren will last for a short period: you will not need to silence the alarm.

### Operation of the alarm

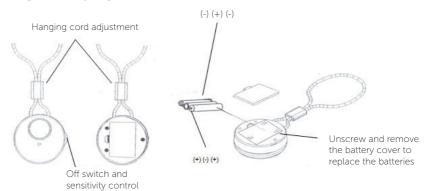
After hanging the alarm on the metal door handle, turn the alarm on by turning the control on the side of the unit upwards. For maximum sensitivity turn to •••, for medium sensitivity turn to ••, and for minimum sensitivity turn to •. The red LED will illuminate and the alarm will be active. An exit delay of 6 seconds will allow you to exit the door without the alarm sounding. To switch off the alarm turn the dial to 0.

## Sensitivity control

The sensitivity required will depend on the composition of the door handle, the objects surrounding the handle (such as keys, chains etc) and the size of the handle. You can test this by setting to the lowest sensitivity and attempt to open the door after 6 seconds. If the siren sounds before your touch the handle then this is the advised level. If not, try again at a higher level.

# **Battery installation**

The alarm requires 3 x AAA batteries (supplied and fitted). Before use, remove the protective plastic strip to activate the batteries. To change the batteries, you will require a small screwdriver to unscrew and open the battery cover at the back of the unit. You can then replace the old batteries, noting the polarity diagram below.



### WARNING

The high output siren fitted to this quality personal alarm may cause ear damage if used at close range for a prolonged period of time. Keep away from children and pets ears. This product is designed for use as a deterrent; it does not guarantee protection or personal safety.

### **CAUTION**

- When testing the alarm, make sure you hold it at least at arm's length away from your ear.
- The power source or propellant has a finite / limited life.
- DO NOT MODIFY THE ALARM.
- The alarm should be kept out of reach and audible range of children and pets.

#### Note:

Performance may be adversely affected following prolonged exposure to extreme temperatures.



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