

## Talon strip & reassembly

1. Split side plates by removing screws
2. Remove the guide tube, old spring and latch. The guide tube/handle is retained by a tag clamped between the side plates.



3. Wipe the components and smear a little grease or vaseline on the latch pivot to aid a smooth operation.
4. Place latch onto rear side plate
5. Fit new spring by locating tang into small hole



6. Load spring by rotating anti-clockwise and engaging under the extended tail section.  
\*Make sure spring tang is fully pushed in and hold spring in if necessary
7. Refit guide tube by carefully positioning onto spacer and aligning the operating latch \*Be careful not to knock latch or spring can release



8. Carefully holding the rear plate and assembled components in palm of hand, position front plate and refit screws
9. Tighten screws with allen key by gently nipping up with finger pressure. \*Do not over tighten
10. Check latch functions smoothly