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## Compact Rotary Chain Roman Blind Safety Instructions

This product is fully compliant with: BS EN 13120, BS EN 16433, BS EN 16434.

It is a legal requirement that these instructions are followed.



HRCOM180R Shown

This blind system is fitted with a chain breakaway device; for child safety this device must remain fitted to the chain. The correct position of the breakaway device is just below the chain drive, on the down side of the chain, when the blind is fully up. This ensures that the operating load on the chain breakaway device is the least possible because the weight of the blind is working with the breakaway device.

Should the chain breakaway device not be in the correct position, remove the chain drive end cap, reposition the chain and replace the end cap. The bottom of the chain must be no lower than 60cm from the floor. Shorten the chain if necessary.

This system is fitted with a standard chain drive for blind weights up to maximum 2kg. For heavier weights, up to maximum of 6kg, replace the standard chain drive with a heavy duty chain drive. The chain breakaway device now cannot be used as the heavy duty chain drive requires a continuous chain that passes through the chain drive more than once.

A chain without a breakaway device must be retained by a safety tensioning device, screwed to the wall. The continuous chain must be the correct length to ensure that the tensioning device can be installed no lower than 1.5m from the floor. These additional items are available from Merrick & Day.

Ensure that the warning labels supplied with the pack are fitted with the large warning label attached to the chain and the smaller label attached to an orb breakaway connector (if the blind is a stock blind and not made to measure). When using a tensioning device this must be attached to the chain with a tensioning device warning label. These labels must be supplied in this way to your customer.

The rear cords on the blind must be connected to the blind using the orb safety breakaway system.

(see overleaf...)

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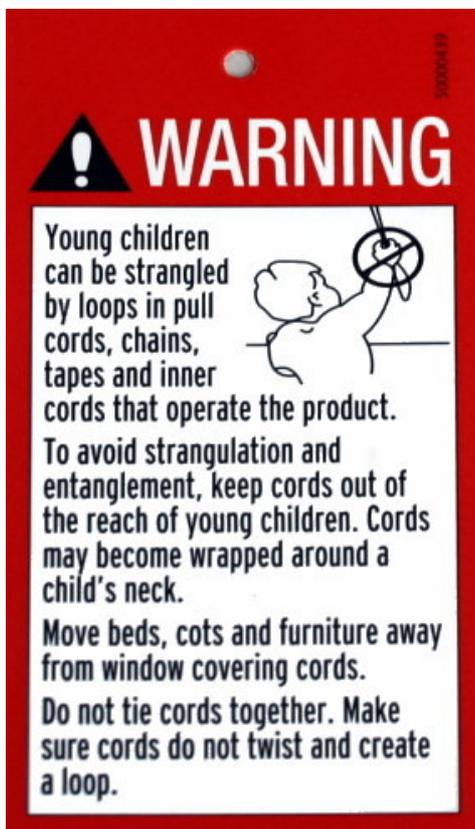
The rear cords or tape on the blind should be connected to the blind using a safety breakaway system.

The Orb safety breakaway system should be installed by sewing the Orb to the bottom fiberglass rod, using the ring attached to the Orb, thread the cord or tape through the Orb as shown in the picture. Adjust the cord or tape length by pressing the button and moving the Orb to the required position.

DO NOT knot or heat seal the cord or tape as it must pass through the Orb and give way when the cord or tape is under any undue load.

## Three steps to ensure your blind is compliant

1. Have all the warning labels been attached?
2. Have the breakaway devices been fitted?
3. Have the cable ties been attached to the orb and ring?



General Warning Label



Tensioning Device  
Warning Label



Orb Warning Label  
Only for stock blinds  
(Not made-to-measure)