

# OWNER'S MANUAL



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For bumper crane models SR3, SR4, SR5A, SR5T, SR6A, SR6T, SR7 & SR8  
Also includes CSR315, CSR515, CSR520, CSR615, CSR620, & CSR725

**SERIAL NUMBER:**  
**LB. LIFTING CAPACITY**  
**INSTALLED BY:**  
**PHONE NUMBER:**

**NOTE: Warranty card must be sent to STO-AWAY POWER  
CRANES before warranty is valid, found on page 49.**

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## PREFACE

**STO-AWAY POWER CRANES, INC.** has designed, engineered and continued to develop to provide dependable service for many years if properly used and maintained.

It is specifically recommended that all operating and service personnel consider this manual as mandatory material for reading and study before operating or servicing of **STO-AWAY** power crane.

The current printing of this **STO-AWAY** manual is printed only in English. If you currently employ people who can't read or has difficulty in understanding English, please do not let them use the **STO-AWAY** Power Crane until you, the owner have taken the time to completely read or translate this manual to these people.

The owner's manual and any labels attached to the bumper crane, were intended to be used as a general format in operating, installing, and maintaining the current **STO-AWAY** product line. If you have a **STO-AWAY** mounted on a non-standard application please consult the owner or the factory for addendum that may cover your specific model. We do reserve the right to update any of our manuals without notice. If you have questions concerning your **STO-AWAY** please feel free to call the factory at **219-942-9797**.

As the owner of the **STO-AWAY** power crane it is your responsibility to keep the owners manual available at all times. Should any manual become illegible or missing pages and/or warning decals immediately call the factory for additional copies of manuals and replacement decals.

All **Sto-Away** bumper cranes have been designed with safety in mind, and are manufactured and tested according to the standards of ANSI B30.5 for mobile cranes.

Care should be taken not to overload the vehicle. Keep in mind that the **STO-AWAY** bumper crane adds weight to the vehicle in an average of 260 lb. and this will change the driving and riding characteristics of the vehicle on which it is mounted.

**STO-AWAY** Power Cranes are covered under a (3) three year limited warranty that you will find in detail in the warranty section of the manual. If any of our bumper cranes are found to contain inferior material or workmanship immediate action will be taken. If it is found that any bumper crane has been overloaded, misused, abused, or has been altered in any way then any warranty will be null and void. The **Sto-Away** Power crane is designed and built to be safe and efficient and only the factory or authorized service centers under the written directions from the factory are allowed to perform any changes, modifications or improvements.

The majority of time a simple telephone call to the factory's Customer Service department will solve the majority of any technical service problems. But should additional service work become necessary through no fault of **STO-AWAY** Power Cranes or their representatives then the customer will become liable for any and all fair market charges that may incur.

Federal law states that every employer is responsible to provide a hazard free work place. If the **STO-AWAY** Power Crane has become a tool to help provide a safer work place then it is also the responsibility of the employer/owner to make sure that the equipment is installed, operated, and maintained in compliance with all federal, state, and local regulations and that the **STO-AWAY** Power Crane is the appropriate equipment.

### RECEIVING AND UNPACKING

By now it is obvious that you have received your **STO-AWAY** bumper crane, because this manual was found inside the crate. This does not change the fact that this is an important first section.

It is your responsibility to notify the trucking company if you have sustained any damage to the bumper crane during shipping. You have a limited (under federal law) time to notify the trucking line that delivered the bumper crane to you. Make sure you have located all shipping documents and have them ready should you be asked for information on them. Document anything that was discussed, the time of the call, and who you talked to.

Take any necessary photographs, also save the shipping crate, because you may need to validate your claim. The trucking company has the right to refuse any claim if you cannot produce the necessary documentation.

Also, check the crate for a packing slip and double check the packing slip matches what you ordered, and what you received in the crate. If it doesn't, notify the trucking company and you are welcome to call **STO-AWAY** to help you get what you paid for.

ILLUSTRATIONS

Use this illustration as a reference until you become familiar with the operation of your Sto-Away Power Crane.

