

## Intrepid II 1990 Service Procedure

## REPLACING THE PRIMARY AIR THERMOSTAT, BALL CHAIN, JUMP RING AND/OR DAMPER ACTUATOR ROD

**Materials needed:** Thermostat assembly or damper rod parts as needed.

**Tools:** Phillips screwdriver; 5/32" Allen wrench; needle nose pliers.

**Time needed:** Approximately 1 hour.

## **Procedure**

1. Place the damper in the open (updraft) position.

- 2. Disconnect the ball chain at the lower ball chain fitting which is riveted to the primary air valve (flap).
- 3. Remove the primary air thermostat housing. Once the two bolts are removed, slide the housing from right to left off of the damper actuator rod.
- 4. Remove the jump ring, ball chain fitting, and ball chain from the thermostat clip by opening the jump ring with needle nose pliers.
- Remove the thermostat from the housing by unscrewing it. You will have to bend the thermostat lever slightly in order to unscrew it. Save the two #10 washers and the compression spring.
- 6. Pull the damper actuator rod out of its pocket in the rear left and through the thermostat housing pocket.

After making the required repairs and/or replacements, **re-assemble** in reverse order. Be sure to bend the thermostat lever to its original position before reinstalling the re-assembled thermostat housing. See Fig. 1 and Fig. 2. Ensure the end of the damper rod inserts into the pocket in the rear left.

Fig. 1 Primary air thermostat and housing showing proper positioning of the thermostat tab, jump ring, ball chain fitting and ball chain. Detail in lower left corner shows assembly sequence.

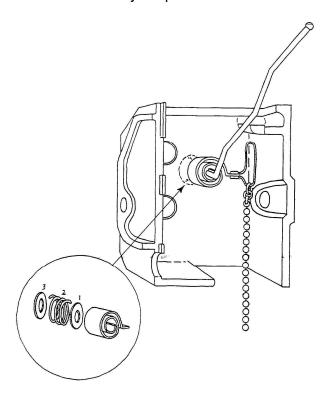


Fig. 2 Primary air thermostat housing assembled. The bold line (1) shows the lever in its proper position for assembly. The dot-dash line (2) shows the lever in its proper position for installation on the stove back.

