

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Identification Signs

Catalog Nos. 837P, 837PH, 837PS, 839P, 840P, 893PA

INTRODUCTION

SIRCHIE offers a variety of identification signs from state-of-the-art digital to the more simplistic felt surface signs for use in mugshots. A number of these signs can either be hung around the suspect's neck with a neck chain mounting or attached to the No. 827P Universal Photo I.D. Stand depending on what your department prefers.

893PA ELECTRONIC DIGITAL I.D. SIGN

Designed and engineered by SIRCHIE, No. 893PA Electronic Digital I.D. Sign offers convenience and reliability. The unit features a dual bank of liquid crystal displays known for their photographic compatibility—6 digits in the I.D. No. bank and 6 for the date (MM/DD/YY).



No. 893PA

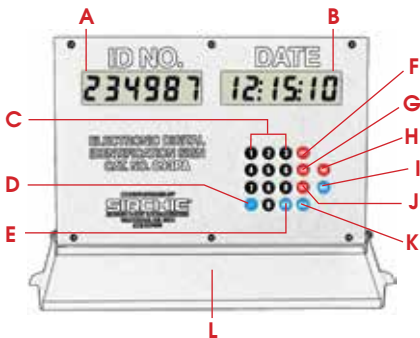
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Control Panel

The sign features a swing-down front panel for rapid access to the entry keyboard. Simply touch the key number desired—there are no knobs to turn and no numbers to insert.

- A. ID No...displays last entry
- B. Date...displays late entry
- C. 0-9...numeric entry keys
- D. "-"...inserts hyphen into current field during edit session
- E. SPC...(space key) inserts empty space into digit currently selected
- F. EDT...(edit date) enables date entry
- G. EID...(edit ID) enables ID entry
- H. ON...turns power on
- I. OFF...turns power off
- J. SET...ends either edit functions (EDT, EID)
- K. ADV...(advance key) moves cursor or flashing digit one space right in either edit functions
- L. Swing-down front panel cover



Data Entry

When the 893PA is first turned ON, the displays will show all zeroes (0's). Data entered into the display fields will be stored in the unit's memory even when the power is OFF. Once the unit is turned ON again, the last data entered will be displayed in these fields.

Entering The ID Number

1. With the 893PA facing you, open the swing-down front panel and press the ON button.
2. Press the EID (Edit ID No.) button. The leftmost digit in the ID No. field should begin to flash. This indicates you are in the entry session.
3. Press the desired number button and it should appear in the ID No. field. The flashing digit, or cursor, will move to the next digit. Continue entering until the desired number is produced. Note: Enter numbers slowly—too quickly and the cursor may skip a digit.
4. A hyphen can be entered into the ID No. field by pressing the “-” button. To enter a space in this field, use the SPC (Space) button.
5. To advance to the next field without changing anything, press the ADV (Advance) button. This moves the cursor one space to the right.
6. To end the entry session, press the SET button. The session will be ended and the cursor will stop flashing. The stored information will remain unchanged (even when the unit is turned OFF) until new data is entered or until the batteries die or are removed.

Entering The Date

The date is entered by pressing the EDT (Edit Date) button to start the data entry session. End the session by pressing the SET button. Note: The SET button must be pressed to exit either data entry session.

Battery Installation

Note: The 893PA requires 4 AAA-batteries. Battery life depends on amount of usage.

1. Make sure the power is turned OFF.



2. Turn the unit over and remove the two screws in the battery compartment cover.
3. Open the hinged battery cover (see inset) and replace batteries according to the illustration provided on the battery holder.
4. Close the cover making sure not to pinch the battery wires.
5. Replace and tighten the two screws.

MOUNTING OPTIONS—include detachable neck chain and camera stand bracket (see Mounting Instructions).



837P ROTARY I.D. SIGN

This is SIRCHIE's most popular identification sign—more than 10,000 are in use throughout the law enforcement community worldwide. The ruggedly constructed sign features replaceable year and number bands for years of continuous service.

Each identification band is independently positioned by an indented thumbwheel control (see inset) conveniently located in the rear of the unit. ID numbers range from 1-999999;



month from 01-12; and day from 01-31. The year band is current + 9 years.

MOUNTING OPTIONS—detachable neck chain and camera stand bracket (see Mounting Instructions).

837PS ROTARY I.D. SIGN (SSN FORMAT)

This is the rotary sign to use when the subject's social security number is desired as well as the day, month and year. The sign includes two bands with alphabetical designators (one band has A-M and the other has N-Z).



ID numbers range of sixteen places is independently positioned by an indented thumbwheel control

conveniently located in the rear of the unit. The month/day/year is controlled by 6 indented positive locking discs located in the top of the unit (see inset).

Month ranges from 01-12 and day from 01-31. The year disc is current + 9 years.

MOUNTING OPTIONS—detachable neck chain and camera stand bracket (see Mounting Instructions).



837PH HAND-HELD ROTARY I.D. SIGN

This is a hand-held version of the 839P identification sign. It features rugged, aluminum hand grips and is ideal for processing a large number of subjects. Use it with any type of photo identification system.

Each identification band is independently positioned by an indented thumbwheel control conve-

niently located in the rear of the unit. ID numbers range from 1-999999; month from 01-12; and day from 01-31. The year band is current + 9 years.



839P REGULAR I.D. SIGN

The regular identification sign is an economical, popular photo identification sign. It features a grooved, black felt surface that permits rapid interchanging of arrest numbers and dates. A neck chain mounting is supplied (#6 ball chain 24" long). It is attached to the sign by 2 chain retention clips (mounted) and allows for adjustment in chain length.

840P BUREAU I.D. SIGN

This is a large identification sign that measures 6" x 10" and provides ample space for additional personal identification fields that may be needed. A grooved, jet black felt surface permits the rapid interchanging of numbers and dates (extra numbers may be ordered). A #6 ball chain 24" long neck chain



mounting is supplied. It is attached to the sign by 2 mounted chain retention clips (see inset) and allows for adjustment in chain length.

MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS

Neck Chain Mounting

1. Carefully remove all items from the Neck Chain Package and compare to the contents list shown to the right.



- Remove the 2 uppermost screws from the sides of the I.D. Sign (these screws are already removed from No. 893PA).
- Place one of the shoulder washers onto one of the Pan Head Screws with the shoulder (larger diameter) against the screw head. Insert this screw into one of the holes in the I.D. Sign opened in previous step. Tighten until the shoulder washer touches the side of the sign—do not overtighten.
- Place the other shoulder washer onto the remaining Pan Head Screw as described in Step 3. Insert this screw through the hole in the black tab on the end of the neck chain (the other neck chain tab has a slotted hole).
- Insert the screw (with neck chain tab in place) into the other open hole on the other side of the I.D. Sign and tighten. Note: If the tab spins too freely, tighten slightly more.
- The I.D. Sign is now ready for use. Place the Neck Chain around the neck of the subject and hook the tab on the other end of the neck chain over the shoulder washer on the other side of the I.D. Sign.

**Neck Chain Pkg.
Contents:**

- 1- #6 Ball Chain 24" long*
- 2- #6 Shoulder Washers*
- 2- 6-32 x 3/8" Pan Head Screws*

Camera Stand Bracket Installation

- Carefully remove all items from the Camera Stand Bracket Package and compare to contents list shown to the right.
- Lay the I.D. Sign face up on the working surface with the bottom towards you. You will notice 3 holes in the bottom of the unit in a triangular pattern.
- Locate the Mounting Bracket—the same triangular hole pattern appears on the bracket that is on the bottom of the unit. Position

**Camera Stand
Bracket Pkg.
Contents:**

- 1- L-Shaped Camera Stand Bracket*
- 3- 6-32 x 3/8" Pan Head Screws*

the bracket against the bottom of the unit with the tab pointing down away from the unit and line up the holes in the 2 parts.

4. Insert the 3 Pan Head Screws in the holes and tighten.
5. The I.D. Sign is now ready to be mounted to the No. 827P Universal Photo I.D. Stand using the screws provided with the stand.