

# TOMAHAWK™ LE

## TACTICAL LIGHT

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### TOMAHAWK LE (Multi Color) TACTICAL LIGHT INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for purchasing the Tomahawk LE Tactical Light. We are confident that your new Tomahawk will provide you many years of exceptional lighting performance. Please carefully review this manual prior to use.

#### IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ FIRST

- This product should not be operated by anyone who has not reviewed this manual. Not for use by children.
- The intense white light emitted by the LED may cause momentary blinding, regardless of the brightness level used. Use caution during operation; do not point light directly into eyes at any distance.

#### LITHIUM BATTERY WARNING

**Always use standard CR123 Lithium batteries with this product.** Lithium batteries can be dangerous if used improperly. Never disassemble, short circuit, recharge or expose to water, fire or high temperatures. Never use batteries of different ages, capacities or brands together. Store separately and properly dispose after use. Keep away from children.

#### LOCKOUT MODE

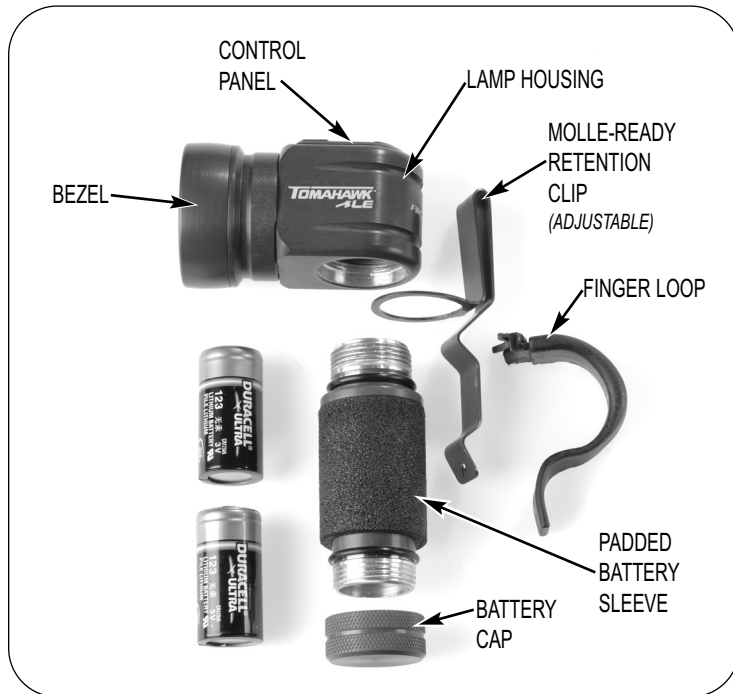
Lockout Mode prevents accidental illumination. To go from Lockout to Ready Mode, depress the Constant-On and Cycle Controls simultaneously. The green “unlock” indicator will illuminate.

To enter Lockout Mode, depress and hold the Constant-On and Cycle Controls simultaneously for 1.5 seconds. The red “lock” indicator will illuminate.

**NOTE: Always put light in Lockout Mode when not in use or during transport.**

#### FINGER LOOP INSTALLATION/ADJUSTMENT

Your Tomahawk comes with a large Finger Loop installed. To adjust the position of the Finger Loop, hold the lamp housing in place with one hand, then rotate the battery housing by turning the padded battery housing sleeve counterclockwise. Loosen the battery housing to the point at which the Finger Loop can be rotated to the desired position. Retighten the Finger Loop by rotating the battery housing clockwise. Make sure that the battery housing is firmly tightened to lock the Finger Loop in place.



#### BATTERY INSTALLATION

**STEP 1.** Hold on to the padded battery housing sleeve with one hand and rotate the battery cap counterclockwise to remove. Insert two batteries “+” terminals first (towards lamp housing).

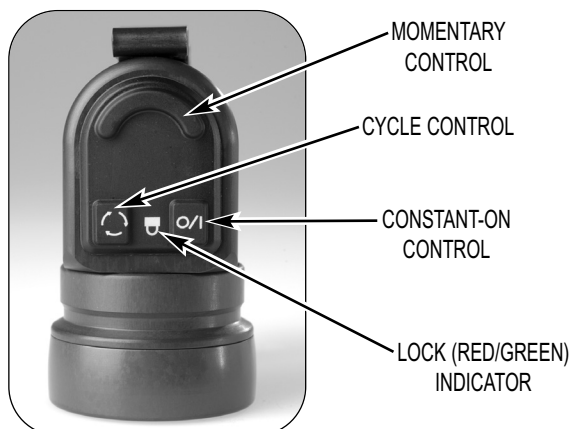
**STEP 2.** Reattach battery cap by rotating it clockwise. Hand-tighten until snug.

**STEP 3.** Ensure batteries are properly installed by depressing any button on control panel; the red LED “lock” indicator should illuminate. If it does not, repeat Steps 1&2, ensuring both “+” terminals are facing up.



To remove the Finger Loop, loosen the battery housing to the point at which the Finger Loop can be removed from the groove located at the top of the battery housing. To reinstall, push the top tab of the Finger Loop into the groove and retighten the battery housing.

#### CONTROL PANEL OPERATION



## **MOMENTARY MODE**

To operate at maximum brightness, depress and hold the elongated Momentary Control. When released, the light will turn OFF.

## **COLOR CYCLE CONTROL**

To select the desired color, ensure that the light is OFF, but in Ready Mode. Rapidly and repeatedly depress and release the Cycle Control until the desired color of light flashes.

To operate the light in Constant-On Mode in the desired color, press and release the Constant-On Control. The Cycle Control will then allow for brightness level selection while operating in the selected color.

The light can also be cycled between light colors by turning the light OFF and then depressing and holding the Cycle Control while pressing and releasing the elongated Momentary Control. When the desired light color is activated, the light will then operate in the selected color while in Constant-On Mode.

## **CONSTANT-ON MODE – WHITE LIGHT**

To operate in White Light Constant-on Mode, depress and HOLD the Constant-On Control until the light emits white light then release. To turn off the light, press and release the Constant-On Control again.

The Cycle Control will allow for brightness level adjustment while operating in White-Light Constant-On mode.

**PRESS AND RELEASE THE CONSTANT-ON CONTROL FOR THE DESIRED COLOR, PRESS AND HOLD THE CONSTANT-ON CONTROL FOR WHITE LIGHT.**

**WHILE OPERATING IN CONSTANT-ON MODE (IN ANY COLOR AND BRIGHTNESS SETTING), PRESSING THE ELONGATED MOMENTARY CONTROL WILL OVERRIDE COLOR WITH WHITE LIGHT AT MAXIMUM BRIGHTNESS.**

When the elongated Momentary Control is released, the light will return to the previously selected color and brightness level.

## **READY STROBE CONTROL**

Tomahawk's Ready Strobe function is designed to be intuitive and ergonomic to provide easy functionality under stress.

The Ready Strobe function can be activated ONLY as a momentary function and cannot be locked on.

With the light in Ready Mode, but not on, activate the strobe by depressing and holding the Momentary Control with the base of the thumb then simultaneously pressing the Cycle Control with the front portion of the same thumb. The Momentary Control must be depressed and held while the Cycle Control is depressed to activate the Ready Strobe. This control sequence is designed for one-hand, one-thumb operation. This allows the operator to easily activate and deactivate the strobe while operating the Momentary Control.

## **RED, BLUE, WHITE SAFETY STROBE**

The Tomahawk LE features a red, blue and white Safety Strobe. With the light in Ready Mode, but not on, activate the Safety Strobe by depressing and holding the Constant-On Control. As the Constant-On Control is held, the light will enter Constant-On Mode and will then enter the Safety Strobe Mode. Once the Safety Strobe is activated, release the Constant-On Control. Press and release the Constant-On Control again to turn the light OFF.

## **POWER MANAGEMENT**

The Tomahawk Tactical Light features three brightness settings to extend battery life.

**HIGH CONSTANT-ON WHITE OUTPUT – 2 hours**

**MEDIUM CONSTANT-ON WHITE OUTPUT – 10 hours**

**LOW CONSTANT-ON WHITE OUTPUT – 60 hours**

Runtimes are approximate – runtimes may vary depending on usage conditions and quality of batteries used.

## **CLIP ADJUSTMENT**

To adjust the MOLLE-ready Retention Clip, loosen the battery housing by rotating it until the clip moves freely around. Once the clip has been adjusted to the desired position, re-tighten the battery housing.

### **FIRST-LIGHT USA, LLC LIMITED WARRANTY**

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