CUP WATERING SYSTEM INSTRUCTIONS

MOUNTING

Fasten the cup hanger to the fourth vertical wire from the cage divider partition, so the divider is at the middle of the cup bowl, allowing birds from two sections to drink from one cup. The pressure reducing valve must be placed on the top cage. Use cable-tie to mount cup hanger to top horizontal cage wire. Position so top of cup is level with middle horizontal wire as illustrated.

OPERATION

Turn on the water, go to each cup and press the yellow valve stem. Allow water to fill about half of the cup. This will attract the birds and train them to peck the valve for water. After the birds drink the water in the cup, refill again. Birds should begin pecking for their water after this. To confirm this, fill a few cups the following day and watch the birds reaction to the water. If they rush to it they need more training. If so, repeat above procedure.

NOTICE: The cups do not fill themselves nor will they maintain a level of water in the bowl. It is the pecking action of the birds that will put the proper amount of water in the cup.

NOTE: To mount to wall or post, use two No. 6 or smaller wood screws at points “A”. To mount to ½” PVC pipe, use kit No. 4096 and 4087. Drill ½” holes 8” apart in side of PVC pipe and attach brackets with PVC adhesive.

To keep birds from perching on cups, tack a short length of wire or coat hanger, on an angle, above the center of the drink cup.

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