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Emtek Tribeca 86428 Cabinet Pull User Manual

Installation and Care Guide for the 3-1/2 Inch Center to Center Bar Cabinet Pull

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, care, and maintenance of your Emtek Tribeca 86428 Cabinet Pull. Designed for durability and ease of use, this 3-1/2 inch center to center bar pull is crafted from solid brass with a polished nickel finish, enhancing the aesthetic and functionality of your cabinetry.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read all instructions carefully before beginning installation. Failure to follow these guidelines may result in damage to the product or injury. Keep small parts, such as screws, out of reach of children. Always wear appropriate safety gear, such as eye protection, when using power tools.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present before starting installation.

- 1 x Emtek Tribeca 86428 Cabinet Pull (Polished Nickel)
- 2 x Mounting Screws (appropriate length for standard cabinet doors/drawers)

4. TOOLS REQUIRED

The following tools are recommended for a smooth installation:

- Phillips Head Screwdriver
- Drill with appropriate drill bit (typically 3/16" or 5mm for pilot holes, consult cabinet material for best size)
- Measuring Tape or Ruler
- Pencil or Marker
- Awl or Center Punch (optional, for marking drill points)
- Painter's Tape (optional, to prevent wood splitting)

5. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to properly install your cabinet pull:

1. **Prepare the Surface:** Ensure the cabinet door or drawer front is clean and free of debris. If replacing existing hardware, remove the old pull and clean the area.
2. **Mark Drill Points:** Using a measuring tape or ruler, carefully measure and mark the desired location for your pull. The Emtek Tribeca 86428 pull has a 3-1/2 inch (89mm) center-to-center spacing. Mark two points precisely 3-1/2 inches apart. For accuracy, consider using a cabinet hardware jig.
3. **Drill Pilot Holes:** Using a drill with an appropriate drill bit (e.g., 3/16" or 5mm), carefully drill pilot holes through the marked points. If drilling through wood, apply painter's tape over the drill area to minimize splintering. Drill from the front of the cabinet door/drawer.
4. **Attach the Pull:** Align the pull with the drilled holes. Insert the mounting screws from the inside of the cabinet door/drawer through the pilot holes and into the threaded posts of the pull.
5. **Tighten Screws:** Using a Phillips head screwdriver, gently tighten the screws until the pull is secure. **Do not overtighten**, as this can strip the threads or damage the cabinet material.



Image: Emtek Tribeca 86428 Cabinet Pulls shown in multiple finishes, including polished nickel, oil-rubbed bronze, and satin nickel. This image illustrates the design and form of the pull for installation reference.

6. OPERATION

The Emtek Tribeca 86428 Cabinet Pull is designed for straightforward use. Simply grasp the bar pull to open and close cabinet doors or drawers. Ensure the pull is securely fastened to prevent loosening during regular use.

7. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

To maintain the finish and longevity of your Emtek cabinet pull:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe regularly with a soft, damp cloth. Avoid abrasive cleaners, harsh chemicals, or polishes that may damage the polished nickel finish.
- **Inspection:** Periodically check the mounting screws for tightness. If the pull feels loose, gently retighten the screws with a Phillips head screwdriver.
- **Avoid Impact:** Protect the pull from sharp impacts or scratches that could mar the finish.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

Issue	Possible Cause	Solution
Pull feels loose	Mounting screws are loose.	Gently tighten the mounting screws from the inside of the cabinet door/drawer. Do not overtighten.
Pull is crooked	Improper alignment during installation or uneven tightening.	Loosen screws slightly, adjust the pull to be level, then retighten evenly. If holes were drilled incorrectly, consider using a backplate or filling and redrilling.
Scratches or finish damage	Abrasive cleaning, impact, or improper handling.	Unfortunately, finish damage is often permanent. Prevent future damage by following care instructions.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	86428 (Tribeca)
Brand	Emtek
Material	Solid Brass
Finish	Polished Nickel
Center to Center Spacing	3-1/2 inches (89 mm)
Projection Distance	1.25 inches (32 mm)
Included Components	Mounting Screws
UPC	600139358432

10. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Emtek products are manufactured to high standards. For specific warranty details regarding your Tribeca 86428 Cabinet Pull, please refer to the official Emtek website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

11. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

If you have any questions, require assistance with installation, or need to report a missing part, please contact Emtek customer support. Visit the official Emtek website for contact information and additional resources.



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