RECOMMENDED PROCEDURE: CUT OUT OLD BLADES WITH GRINDING WHEEL (DO NOT USE TORCH). WRAP/BACKFILL WELD TECHNIQUE: CLEAN UP POCKET AREA BY GRINDING SMOOTH REMAINING WELDS. ON WELD AREA "A" ONLY! INSTALL NEW BLADES INTO POCKET AREA AND TACK IN PLACE. CENTER THE STRESS BARS IN WELD LOCATION (B), MAKING SURE THEY ARE TIGHT AGAINST THE SHOES AND BLADES AND TACK IN PLACE. PRE-HEAT "A" & "B" WELD AREA'S TOGETHER. WELD "A" AREA. WELD "B" AREA (MAKE SURE TO USE STRESS BARS TO FILL GAP!)
WELD "D" AREA AT BOTTOM REAR OF SHOE AS SHOWN (NO PRE OR POST 3 HEAT REQUIRED)-NOT A CRITICAL STRESS AREA OF THE BLADE. 2 (WELD AREA: WELD RIGHT & LEFT SIDES 1/2" WELD 1/2 ✓ B USING (4) SM-STRESS BAR-CR IN THIS SECTION ONLY) VIEW FOCUS PRE-HEAT TEMP STICK CHECK AREA (WELD AREA: WELD RIGHT & LEFT SIDES 3/4" WELD. 3/4 / A USE WRAP/BACKFILL WELD TECHNIQUE ON ENDS OF THESE WELDS) ш SIDE

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(4) SM-STRESS BAR-CR ( $\frac{1}{2}$ " X  $\frac{5}{8}$ " X 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " CR 1018)

PRE-HEAT PROCEDURE:

THE PREHEAT TEMPERATURE SHOULD BE ABOVE 600° F & NOT TO EXCEED 850° F, TO **AVOID THIS:** 

CENTER IN FORK 3/8" WELD)

USE A SOFT FLAME AND DO NOT LEAVE UNATTENDED

(WELD AREA:

USE A 600° F TEMP STICK FREQUENTLY ON HEATED SURFACE UNTIL IT MELTS.

## **WELD PROCEDURE:**

- WELD WITH METI 10 or MC 100 IN AREA'S SHOWN (7018LH or 11018LH WELDING ROD IS PERMISSIBLE)
- INTERPASS TEMPERATURES NOT TO EXCEED 850° F
- DO NOT LET COOL UNDER 600° F

## **POST-HEAT PROCEDURE:**

- USE SOFT FLAME ON WELDED AREA KEEPING TEMPERATURE BETWEEN 600° F & 850° F FOR 1 1/2 HOURS
- WRAP WELDED AREA WITH BLANKET & ALLOW TO COOL SLOWLY FOR 4-5 HOURS

BLADE THICKNESS	Α	В	С	D
2 1/2"	5''	4 1/2"	3"	2"
3"	9''	4''	3"	2"
3 1/2"	11"	4''	2"	2"
4''	14"	3 1/2"	2"	2"

SOMETIMES A SPACER BAR IS REQUIRED TO TAKE UP THE SIDE SPACE IN THE FORK TO THE SHOE RELATIONSHIP IF GAP IS LARGER THAN A  $\frac{1}{8}$ ". USUALLY ONLY ONE BAR IS REQUIRED PER FORK. PLACE THE ONE BAR TO THE INSIDE OF EACH FORK (R &L) \*EXAMPLE SIZE: (3/16"x1/2"x9")

BLADE THICKNESS

KEEP WELD AT LEAST 1/2" FROM TOP OF BLADES (X4)

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