



## WilkinsCLIP Adjustment Notes

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The **WilkinsCLIP** is made from 1mm spring tempered stainless steel. I do not recommend trying to drill these clips. Chances are you will damage the clip beyond repair.

Use only 2-56 UNC screws to attach the clips.

Before doing a final install of your new clip, install it on one grip panel alone to test the screw length and to see if the clip tension is to your liking. (**Top photo right**) Some folks like minimal spring tension to avoid damaging their clothing, while other users like more tension to make sure their knife won't get lost.

This all means you may have to bend the new clip slightly to obtain the spring tension you prefer. Don't panic, if you follow a few simple pointers, it isn't hard to do.

First big point is: **Do NOT try and bend the clip when it is attached to the knife!**

Take a good look at the middle photo to the right.

Never bend the clip by squeezing it together in the direction of the **Red Arrows**. If you do the clip will not fit over the hem of your pants and it is difficult to bend the clip back to where it was when you received it.

To correctly adjust the clip tension, gently bend the clip at the bend indicated in the photo at right by the **Green Arrow**.

To bend the clip, place the clip with the bend on the edge of a sturdy table so that part of the clip is on the table and the other part is unsupported. **See the lower photo to the right**. Position the clip as shown, then simply push *gently* down on the top of the clip as indicated by the **Red Arrow**. Proceed slowly, a little bending goes a long way, then test install until you get the clip tension like you want it.

Don't bend it into a horseshoe. Remember, easy does it! **Don't use pliers!**

And never let your spouse catch you doing this on the edge of that antique dining table you never liked.

**The WilkinsCLIP fits the Benchmade standard 3 hole pattern, it will NOT fit Spyderco knives... no matter how much you bend it!**

