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SUBJ: Difficulty in Playfield Glass Removal

Symptom:

The **Playfield Glass** is extremely difficult to remove. *Note:* Some resistance is preferred, as you do not want the glass to slide out too easily with the Front Molding removed.

Explanation:

The Cabinet Width Dimensions *(in the center)* may vary slightly due to different types of wood used and changes in humidity & temperature. A variance of just **1mm** can create tightness along the left & right side **Glass Channels**.

We compensate for these variances in the factory and adjust the **Side Armor** as it is installed. However, shipping the game across the country or overseas can subject it to extreme temperature changes which can then affect the game **after it leaves** the factory.

Solution:

Slightly loosen the Side Armor.

Step 1: With the Playfield Glass and Front Molding installed, loosen the four (4) Phillips-Head Screws on the Side Armor one revolution (counter-clockwise). See "#1 arrows" above.

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Step 2: Remove the **Front Molding** (access latch through open Coin Door) and check to see if the glass has lossened up. Ensure that it not too loose and won't slide out on it's own. *If glass is still too tight repeat Step 1.*

Note: If loosening the four (4) Phillips-Head Screws is not working, you should then loosen the nuts on the carriage bolts 1/2 turn. See "#2 arrows" above; nut located inside the cabinet. If this does not work, remove the glass; take a small to medium flat blade screw driver and "shave" the inside of the **Glass Channel** by running the screw driver up and down the channel. Excersise care when doing so; reinsert the Playfield Glass after each pass to check for proper glass movement.

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