# How to Install Rota-Spike®

Thank you for choosing Jacksons Fencing. Our high quality fencing products will last for years and give you trouble-free service if you follow the installation instructions below, which are offered as a general guide.

### **Tools required:**

Battery drill Selection of spanners Selection of drill bits Rivet gun Tape measure Tek screw driver

## **Materials required:**

Rawl plugs Pop rivets Zinc rich paint Coach or self-drilling/tapping screws

#### Method:

Rota-Spike® may be fitted either to existing fencing or to the top/side of a wall, and will need fixings to suit application.

- **1.** Plan and measure security topping route carefully, support brackets are required at 3m centres when fixed on top of a wall or 2m centres when fixed to the face of a wall.
- 2. Carefully mark through the existing fixing holes in the Rota-Spike<sup>®</sup> brackets.
- **3.** Drill masonry using a suitable size and appropriate drill.
- **4.** Fit rawl plugs.
- **5.** Fix using suitable coach screws (usually M8). Alternatively fit in place using self-drilling/tapping screws and special driver bit for steelwork.
- **6.** Armour rings may be added to the screw heads for extra security.
- **7.** The tube rail may now be inserted and the spikes added (70 per 6 meters) as the tube is pushed through the brackets. End brackets have a tube welded in place, in order to pop rivet the tube rail in position.
- **8.** Pop rivet fixings should be added at all ends and changes of direction.
- **9.** Any cut ends of tube should be painted with a zinc rich paint.

#### Note:

This type of security device must not be hidden from view. We recommend 'Warning Signs' are used every 8-10 metres and at changes of direction along any run of security topping.



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