Laoko THROTTLE STABILIZERS

KAOKO ™ THROTTLE STABILIZER KITS:

For Models BUELL
ULYSSES XB12X • XB12SS • XB12R • XB12XT • 1125R (2008-)
(with or without OEM handguards)

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Items Included in your kit

Left & Right hand side bar-end weights • Friction Nut • Thrust Washer/s • 2mm

Allen Key

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Plastic Thrust Washer

Friction Nut & Grub Screw

— Kaoko bar-end weight

Central Retaining Bolt

Assembly without Hand Guards fitted

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Left Hand bar-end weight

Right Hand throttle control

DISCLAIMER: NO RESPONSIBILITY ACCEPTED FOR NON-ADHERENCE TO THESE INSTRUCTIONS

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KAOKO™ Safety Warning:

The KAOKO™ Throttle Stabilizer is an aftermarket accessory. Any misunderstood, abused or incorrectly installed motorcycle accessory is a safety hazard that could cause injury or death. It's the rider's responsibility to understand the operation and purpose for which the KAOKO™ Throttle Stabilizer is designed, namely, for cruising, only when safe to do so. At all other times the control should be disengaged. The KAOKO™ Throttle Stabilizers are to be used only by experienced and responsible riders. See reverse of page for full indemnity.

Note: An adjustment to throttle assembly position may be necessary to suit KAOKO™ Throttle Stabilizers. The throttle assembly position on aftermarket bars, and some OEM bars, is adjustable. The assembly can marginally be re-positioned along the handle bars slightly loosening the throttle assembly clamp screws, and then sliding the throttle assembly along the handle bars (left or right). Once done, firmly tighten the clamp screws to OEM torque specifications. This adjustment is generally not necessary.

Fitting Instructions

Step 1

For the above models, the OEM plastic plugs must be pulled out of each end of the handle bar in order to fit the KAOKO ™Kit (No dismantling of hand grips is necessary). For the Ulysses model, install kit typically as shown in **picture 1** & for non-hand guard models, install typically per **picture 2**. Note that the 8mm washers are not required in this case (**picture 2**)

Step 2

Fully insert LHS Bar Weight into handle bar end and firmly tighten the central retaining screw (5mm Allen Key). Retighten after first few rides.

Step 3

Fully insert Throttle Control Kit (RHS) with the thrust washer similarly as described per step 2.

Note: To enable improved functionality, it is recommended (not essential) to apply very light smear of Automotive grease or Petroleum jelly to the friction face of the thrust washer(See Figure 3 at the back of the page)

Step 4

Back off the Friction Nut against body of Bar Weight to disengage the Throttle Control.

VERY IMPORTANT!! -- The throttle should open and snap closed freely when correctly disengaged.

Step 5

Carefully set rotational resistance of the friction nut by tightening/loosening the grub screw by small adjustments using the 2mm allen key provided in the Kaoko Kit. Take care not to over tighten risking damage to threads. The nut should have fairly firm rotational resistance.

See under **Maintenance below.**

Operating Instructions

The Friction Nut has a left hand thread. In readiness for engagement, the Friction Nut must be adjusted so that it makes light contact against the thrust washer.

<u>To Engage:</u> While rolling on the throttle, the Friction Nut can be gripped between the small finger and palm of hand. This action tightens the nut and provides sufficient friction to set the throttle to the desired opening.

 $(The \ friction \ is \ such \ that \ the \ rider \ may \ still \ open \ and \ close \ the \ throttle. \ The \ throttle \ simply \ has \ a \ slight \ rotational \ stiffness.)$

To Disengage: While rolling off the throttle, grip the Friction Nut between small finger and palm of hand.

VERY IMPORTANT!! The throttle should open and snap closed freely when correctly disengaged.

Note: The Grub Screw needs to be set to provide the necessary resistance on the thread of the friction nut (only small adjustments need to be made as to not damage the friction nut threads). This may be adjusted periodically to take up wear.

<u>Maintenance:</u> Remove kit annually. Unscrew Friction Nut and brush clean threads with a mild soap. Apply petroleum jelly to threads and assemble. Adjust grub screw to desired operating resistance. (O-Ring cushion: 19.6mm I.D. x 2.4mm section — if replacement is required)

