

## PERDIX Grey Squirrel Trapping Tunnel Instructions

The PERDIX® Grey Squirrel trapping tunnel has been design to improve trapping efficiency and humaneness and also prevent non-target captures. Using a unique combination of wire mesh baffles, a pre-baiting system and two powerful KORO large rodent traps, our Grey Squirrel trapping tunnel is ideal for controlling Grey Squirrels in any environment. This tunnel and trap combination can also be used to trap rats.

## **How it works**

The central area of the tunnel is designed to be used as a bait dispenser to allow prebaiting prior to settings the traps. The bait, we recommend whole maize or wheat, is dispensed via the gap at the bottom of the two wooden walls. Once Grey Squirrels are taking the bait, the two KORO large rodent traps can be placed in the tunnel to quickly catch the visiting animals. By pre-baiting and then being able to set two traps in the same set, the PERDIX® Grey Squirrel trapping tunnel can vastly improve trapping efficiency (Figure 1).

## **Trapping**

To prevent non-target captures, each trapping tunnel is equipped with guards at each end. The tunnels also have an internal baffle in front of each trap to ensure Grey Squirrels are positioned correctly when stuck by the trap and therefore killed humanely. Make sure the treadle plate of the trap is positioned in front of the opening in the baffle (Figure 3). When pre-baiting, the both the external and internal baffles can be removed to encourage initial use of the tunnel, especially when rats are the target species.

## **Access & Security**

A double hinged lid allows for quick and easy access to the bait compartment and traps. The lid is securely closed using a strong hasp and carbine hook. For additional security, a padlock (not supplied) could be used.



Figure 1.

Tunnel and Traps set for capture.



Figure 2.

Baiting compartment in centre of tunnel.



Figure 3.

Treadle plate located in front of baffle opening.



Figure 4.

Ensure tunnel is securely closed when in use.

If you require any further assistance please do not hesitate to contact us.