Electronic Piano Notes

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SYMPTOM: Sustain pedal will not stay in adjustment.

CAUSE: Black covering on sustain cable causes slippage.

CORRECTION:

1. Be sure piano is disconnected from AC outlet.

2. Remove the four (4) Phillips head screws across the top of the lower front panel and remove the panel.

3. Remove the two (2) Phillips head screws that secure the clamp against the bottom portion of the damper lift cable. Remove about 1 1/2 to two inches of the black plastic covering on the cable.

4. Replace clamp.

5. Grasp the cable with the right hand, lift as far as possible while tightening the two screws evenly and as tight as possible with a large Phillips head screwdriver.

6. Use the same procedure at the top of the cable but remove four to five inches of the black covering on the cable.

7. Put cable back in place, start the two Phillips head screws that were removed and pull down on the cable so the slack in the cable passes through the clamp. When the slack is removed it will start to pull hard (you are trying to lift all the dampers). Let the cable go up 1/16" (about one wrapping of the cable) and tighten both screws as evenly and tight as possible.

8. Plug piano into AC outlet, turn it on to see that all notes dampen properly. If one or more notes have a tendency to sustain longer than normal (with the pedal in the "up" position) loosen the screws enough to push the cable up about another 1/16 of an inch. Tighten screws tight.

9. Replace lower front panel.