

Rub Remover for Stock Antenna

The stock antenna meets my RF operational needs however the tip of the antenna is abrasive and would rub and jab my side below my armpit whenever I would wear the talkie on my belt.

To fix the problem I applied Liquid Electrical Tape to the antenna tip. This leaves a much smoother finish allowing it to slide around on my shirt, greatly reducing the discomfort to my side.

To apply, clean the antenna tip with alcohol and dip it about 1 inch (2.54cm) into the liquid. Let most of the liquid drip back into the can, then roll the antenna around for a few minutes to keep the results symmetrical. Hang the antenna upside down and allow to dry overnight.