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### **INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

QA1 P/N 52605 Trailing Arm Relocation Brackets '63-'72 Chevrolet C10/ GMC C15, C1500

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# **TOOLS AND SUPPLIES REQUIRED**

- Floor Jack
- Drill with 3/8" drill bit
- SAE Wrench Set
- Ratchet & SAE Socket Set

- Four (4) Jack Stands T114W or T115W Spanner Wrench Torque Wrench
- Grinder or Air Chisel

### **Pre-Installation Note**

A grinder or air chisel is recommended for removal of the factory rivets.

Installation of the relocation brackets and/or changing the ride height of the vehicle will change the pinion angle and may require shims between the truck arms and axle to correct this.

#### **Disassembly Instructions**

- 1. Raise the vehicle and support the frame with jack stands on a stable surface.
- 2. Support the axle with another set of jack stands and remove the wheels.
- 3. For ease of installation, the driveshaft should be disconnected from the rear differential.



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- 4. Unbolt the truck arm front attachment bolts. Lower the arms down and support with stands. Caution: Do not kink or allow the axle to pull on the brake hose.
- 5. Using an air chisel or grinder, remove the six (6) rivets retaining the each truck arm mounting bracket and remove the brackets from the cross member.

## **Installation Instructions**

- 1. Install the QA1 truck arm mounts on the factory cross member using the supplied 3/8" x 1 1/4" bolts washers and nuts. Torque to 30 lb. ft. See Figure 2.
- 2. Attach the truck arms to the cross member mounts using the supplied ¾" x 4 ½" bolts, washers and nuts. Stock to 2" lower will use the lower set of holes. 2"-4" lower will use the center set of holes and 4"-6" lower trucks will use the upper set of holes.



- 3. Reinstall the driveshaft if removed.
- 4. With the rear suspension at ride height, torque the truck arm mounting bolts to 145 lb. ft.
- 5. Check and adjust the pinion angle as needed. Installation of the relocation brackets and/or changing the ride height of the vehicle will change the pinion angle and may require shims between the truck arms and axle to correct this.

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