

**VEHICLE APPLICATION(S):** 2009+ **DODGE RAM 1500** 

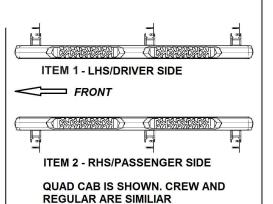
## **Tools Required:**

Torque Wrench 10mm, 13mm socket 3/8" drive ratchet 3" 3/8" drive extension

# **Torque Table:**

M8 - 16Nm, or 12FT-LBS

Parts List			<b>Quantity</b>		
<u>Item</u>	Description	Regular	Quad	Crew	
1	Tube Assembly Driver Side	1	1	1	
2	Tube Assembly Passenger Side	1	1	1	
3	M8 Hexagon bodied riv-nut	4	6	6	
4	M8 X 30 mm Bolt	16	24	24	
5	M8 Flange Nut	4	6	6	
6	Riv-nut Installation Tool*	1	1	1	







ITEM 3

ITEM 4



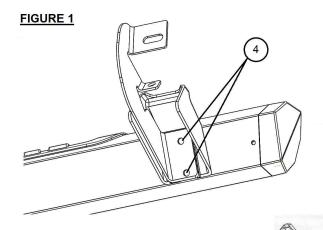


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ITEM 6

### **Tubular Assist Step Installation Procedure**

Install bracket covers and mounting brackets to tube using M8 bolts (Item 4). Install bolts only finger tight at this time.



- 2. Determine left hand and right hand tubular assist step by identification labels on bottom of steps.
- Hold tube up to inner rocker and note installation hole locations. Install Riv-nuts (Item 3) into rocker panel at appropriate location using Riv-nut Installation Tool (Item 6). \*Some vehicles may have pre-installed weld-nuts in frame and do not require riv-nuts. Discard extra if necessary.

Lubricate riv-nut tool using soapy water before each use. Rotate the tool 3.5 turns +/- 0.25 turns to ensure rivnut is totally collapsed. Do not overtorque.

# FIGURE 2

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# **GEM** TUBE PRODUCTS 4. Install tube to vehicle using M8 bolts at upper bracket hole locations into vehicle mounted riv-nuts / weld nuts, finger tight 5. Using M8 bolts and M8 flange nuts, mount bracket to lower rocker panel, finger tight. Tighten all mounting bolts to 16NM or 12FT-LBS 7. Verify correct torque on all hardware. FIGURE 3 FIGURE 4

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