

# TOSHIBA

## OWNER'S MANUAL

**900MHz**

CORDLESS TELEPHONE

# FT-3806



**TOLL FREE CUSTOMER SERVICE**  
**1-800-631-3811**

Should your unit require service, please refer to the  
"Toshiba service procedure" in your owner's manual.



# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

**When using your telephone equipment, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury to persons, including the following:**

1. Read and understand all instructions.
2. Follow all warnings and instructions marked on the product.
3. Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners. Use a dry cloth for cleaning.
4. Do not use this product near water, for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink, or laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming pool.
5. Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, or table. The telephone may fall, causing serious damage to the telephone.
6. Slots and openings in the cabinet and the back or bottom are provided for ventilation, to protect it from overheating, these openings must not be blocked or covered. The openings should never be blocked by placing the product on the bed, sofa, rug, or other similar surface. This product should never be placed near or over a radiator or heat register. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation unless proper ventilation is provided.
7. This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your dealer or local power company.
8. Do not allow anything to rest on the power cord. Do not locate this product where the cord will be abused by persons walking on it.
9. Do not overload wall outlets and extension cords as this can result in the risk of fire or electric shock.
10. Never push objects of any kind into this product through cabinet slots as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short out parts that could result in a risk of fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.
11. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble this product, but take it to qualified service personnel when some service or repair work is required. Opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltages or other risks. Incorrect reassembly can cause electric shock when the appliance is subsequently used.

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12. Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following condition:

- A. When the power supply cord plug is damaged or frayed.
  - B. If liquid has been spilled into the product.
  - C. If the product has been exposed to rain or water.
  - D. If the product does not operate normally by following the operating instructions. Adjust only those controls, that are covered by the operating instructions because improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the product to normal operation.
  - E. If the product has been dropped or the cabinet has been damaged.
  - F. If the product exhibits a distinct change in performance.
13. Do not use the telephone to report a gas leak in the vicinity of the leak.

**CAUTION: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR INJURY TO PERSONS BY BATTERY, READ AND FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS.**

1. Use only the appropriate type and size battery pack specified in the instruction manual provided for this product.
2. Do not dispose of the battery pack in a fire. The cell may explode. Check with State and local codes for possible special disposal instructions.
3. Do not open or mutilate the battery pack. Released electrolyte is corrosive and may cause damage to the eyes or skin. It may be toxic if swallowed.
4. Exercise care in handling battery in order not to short the battery with conducting materials such as rings, bracelets, and keys. The battery or conductor may overheat and cause burns.
5. Change the battery pack provided with or identified for use with this product only in accordance with the instructions and limitations specified in the instructions manual provided for this product.
6. Observe proper polarity orientation between the battery pack and battery charger.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

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# 1 INTRODUCTION

Toshiba America Consumer Products INC. takes pride in presenting the **FT-3806**, one of the finest telephones available. Intelligent design, superb craftsmanship, and the latest technological advances have been combined to provide you with a telephone that is easy to operate and will provide you with years of dependable service. Please take the time now to read your Owner's Manual carefully, so that you may enjoy the many convenient features of your **FT-3806** telephone.

## FEATURES

- 900 MHz transmission
- 65,536 automatically set digital security codes
- 10 numbers speed dial memory
- 10 channels of operation
- Automatic search for available channel
- Manual channel change on handset
- PAGE from base to handset
- REDIAL feature
- Programmable ringer types
- Low battery detect and warning indicator
- Hearing-aid compatible receiver
- Any-key answer-when the phone rings simply press any key on the handset to answer.
- Removable battery pack
- Extra battery charger in the base unit
- Touch tone and pulse dialing
- Temporary tone mode
- Long standby battery life (7 days)
- Compandor noise reduction system

## IMPORTANT

Before using your new phone please follow these instructions:

1. Connect the AC adaptor plug into AC outlet of home electricity in an area where the unit will not be disturbed and power will not be interrupted for 24 hours.

When replacing the battery pack, please follow the same procedure.

The Digital Security Code, which enables the handset and the base unit to communicate with each other, will not activate unless the handset's battery pack is charged in the base unit.

## PRECAUTIONS

- **Before initial use, charge the battery pack in the handset for approximately 24 hours without any interruption of the charge cycle whatsoever.**  
(For details, refer to page 11 "CHARGING THE HANDSET'S BATTERY PACK")
- Operate the AC adaptor on 120V AC, 60 Hz.
- Use the AC adaptor supplied for this unit. Do not use any other AC adaptor.
- Unplug the AC adaptor from the wall outlet when the cordless telephone system is not to be used for an extended period of time. To disconnect the AC adaptor, pull it out by grasping the body. Never pull it by the cord.

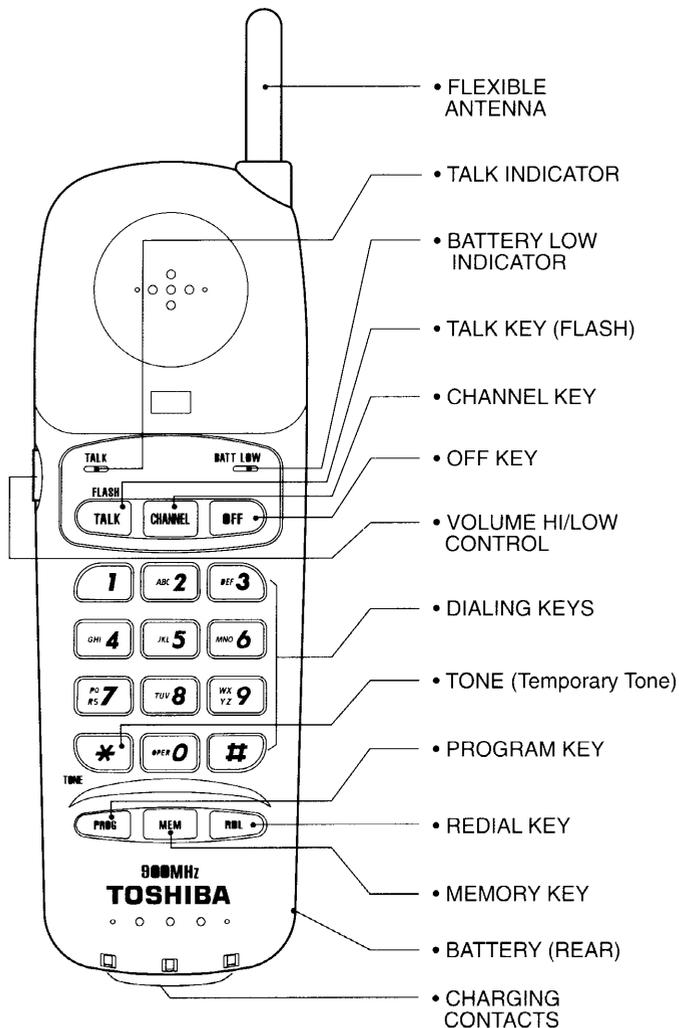
- Do not install the base unit in a location near a heat source such as radiators or airducts, or in a place subject to direct sunlight, excessive dust, moisture, rain, mechanical vibration, or shock.
- Do not place the units on or near a TV set or a personal computer, as these units may interfere with each other.
- Should any liquid or solid object fall into the base unit, unplug the unit and have it checked by qualified service personnel before operating the unit any further.
- This unit is designed and approved for single lines only. It should not be connected to multiple lines or a coin telephone or party lines.

If you have any question or problem concerning your set that is not covered in this manual, please consult the nearest Toshiba Service Station authorized to service telephone terminal equipment.

For Customer Service, Call **1-800-631-3811**.

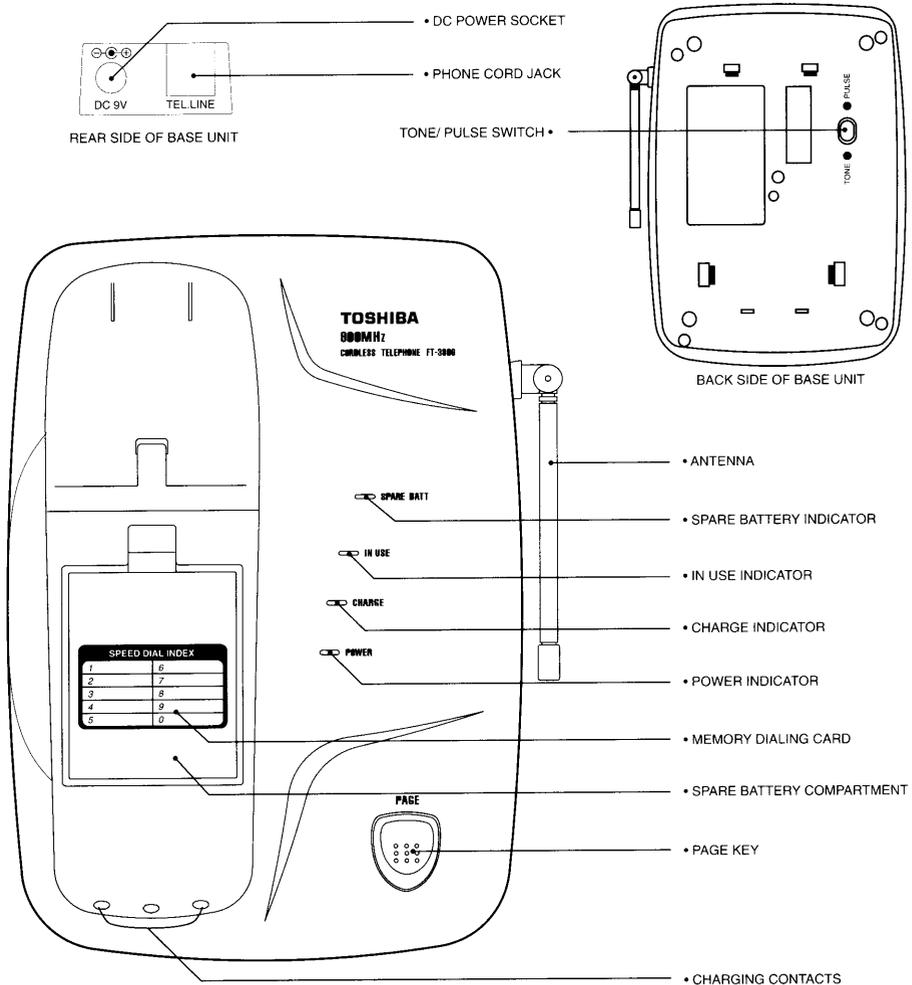
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## HANDSET CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONS



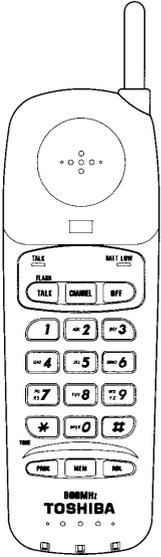
MAIN FEATURES ON HANDSET

## BASE UNIT CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONS

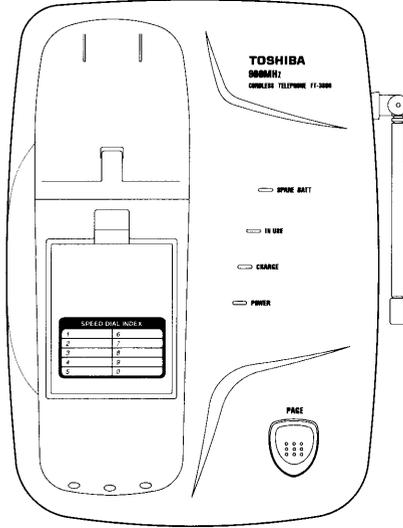


## MAIN FEATURES ON BASE UNIT

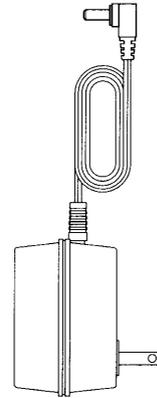
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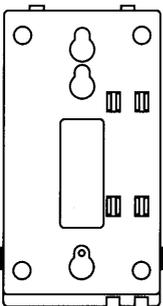
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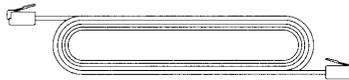
BASE UNIT



AC ADAPTOR AND POWER CORD



WALL MOUNTING BRACKET



PHONE CORD

SPEED DIAL INDEX	
1	0
2	7
3	8
4	9
5	0

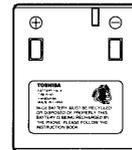
(2) MEMORY DIALING CARD



SCREW CAP



WALL MOUNTING SCREW



BATTERY PACK

# 3 INSTALLATION

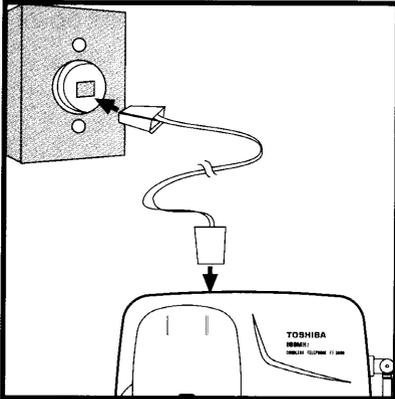
## CONNECTING

There are three basic types of phone wall outlets you may find in your home:

- (1) Modular USOC: RJ11C jack,
- (2) 4-prong jack, or
- (3) hard-wired type

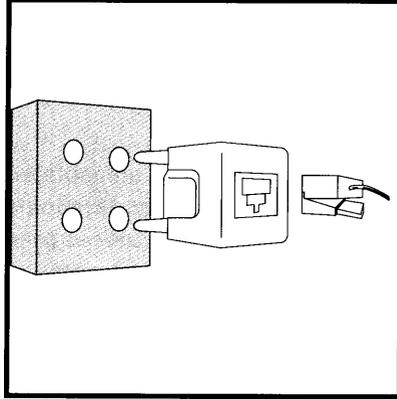
### (1) If you have a modular wall jack,

- 1 Plug one end of the telephone line cord into the base modular jack on the rear of the base unit.
- 2 Plug the other end of the telephone line cord into the modular wall jack.

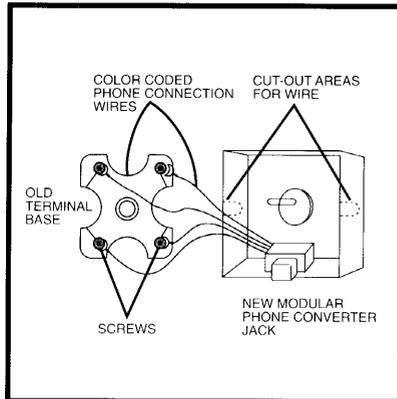


### (2) If the existing receptacle is a 4-prong jack,

An adaptor (not included) is required. The adaptor plugs into the 4-prong jack and the phone's modular plug plugs into the adaptor.



(3) If your phone cord is hard-wired into an outlet and you have no jack, a modular jack converter (not included) is required, entailing some rewiring (namely, making color-coded connections).



### Note

The dealer from whom you purchased your telephone or a telephone supply store can advise you regarding the proper adaptor or converter.

### Notes

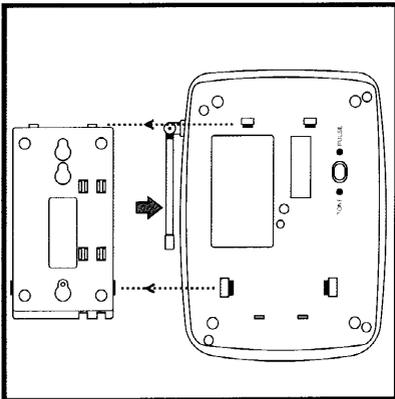
- Never install telephone wiring during a lightning storm.

- Never install telephone jacks in wet locations unless the jack is specifically designed for wet locations.
- Never touch uninsulated telephone wires or terminals unless the telephone line has been disconnected at the network interface.
- Use caution when installing or modifying telephone lines.
- If you experience an excessive amount of noise or static, try relocating the base away from the interference source i.e. TV, radio, appliances.

### USING THE WALL MOUNT BRACKET

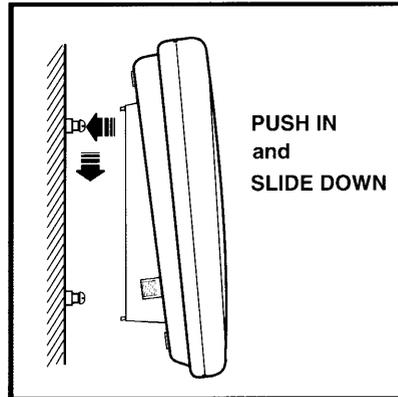
#### 1. Position the wall mount bracket on the base.

Line up the tabs on the wall mount bracket with the holes on the bottom of the base. Snap the wall mount bracket firmly in place.



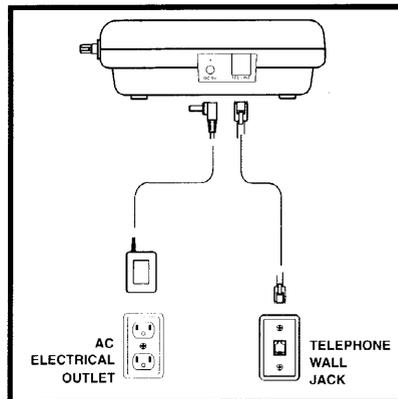
#### 2. Mount the base on the wall.

Position the base so the mounting studs will fit into the holes on the bottom of the base. Position the power cord to extend down the wall the phone is to be mounted on. Slide the base down on the mounting studs until it locks into place.

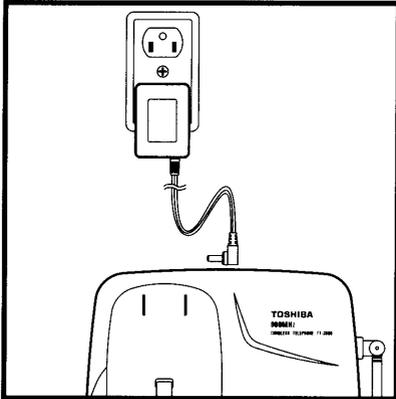


#### 3. Connect the telephone line cord.

The telephone line cord has a snap-in plug at each end. Insert one of the plugs into the jack on the bottom of the base. Insert the other end of the plug into the wall jack.

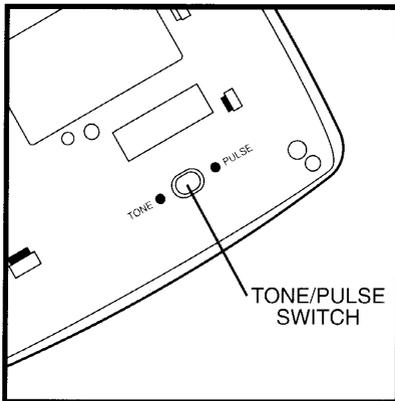


4. Plug the AC adaptor on the power cord into an electrical outlet and DC connector to the back of the base unit.



5. Set the TONE/PULSE SWITCH on the base unit.

If you have touch tone service on your phone line, set the switch to TONE. If you have rotary service, set the switch to PULSE.



### CONNECTING THE AC POWER

Plug the AC power adaptor into an electrical outlet and the DC connector to the back of the base unit.

Make sure to route the AC adaptor cord where it will not create a trip hazard, or where it could become chafed and create fire or other electrical hazards.

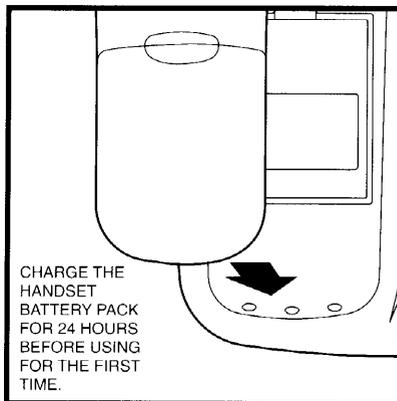
Connect power to the base unit before placing handset in the cradle.

### Notes

- Do not attach the AC power supply cord to building surfaces using metal fittings.
- Use only with Toshiba AC ADAPTOR for FT-3806.

### CHARGE THE HANDSET BATTERY PACK BEFORE USE

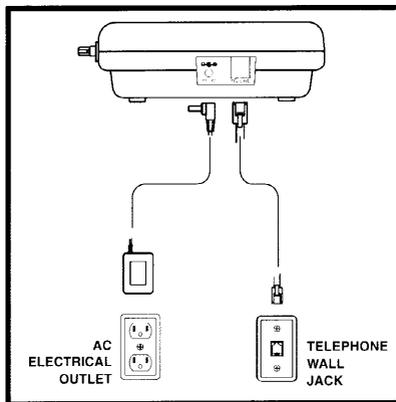
The battery pack recharges automatically whenever the handset is in the base unit. The batteries must be charged for 24 hours before using your phone for the first time.



Place the handset on the base unit. The CHARGE LED lights as the battery pack charges. If the LED does not light, be sure that the AC adaptor is plugged in and the handset is firmly placed on the base unit.

### Notes

- The handset's battery pack does not charge properly if the charging contacts are dirty or tarnished. Clean the contacts occasionally with a dry cloth.
- The supplied rechargeable battery pack should last for several year, however, it eventually loses its ability to fully charge and you will need to replace it with a new one. You can order a replacement rechargeable battery pack at your local Toshiba dealer or authorized parts distributor. Call 1-800-631-3811.

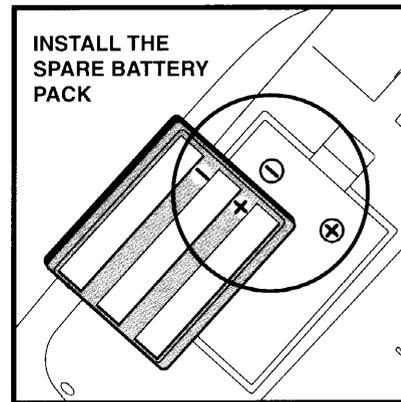


### SPARE BATTERY CHARGER

Your FT-3806 is equipped with a spare battery charger built-in to the base unit. The spare battery charger allows you to always have a charged battery available, should your handset battery discharge during normal use.

### To install the Spare Battery Pack (NOT INCLUDED):

1. Open the base unit battery compartment cover.
2. Place the spare battery pack in the battery compartment. Make sure the metal contacts on the underside of the battery are aligned with charging contacts in battery compartment.



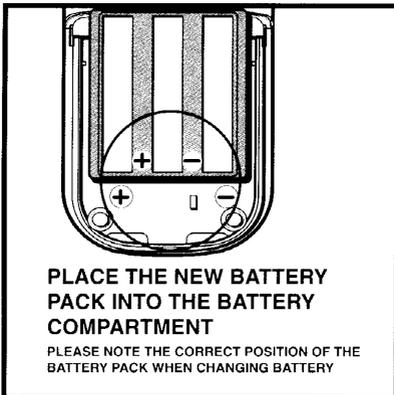
3. Replace the battery compartment cover.
4. When the battery is installed properly, the spare battery LED on the base unit will be illuminated.

## REPLACING THE HANDSET BATTERIES

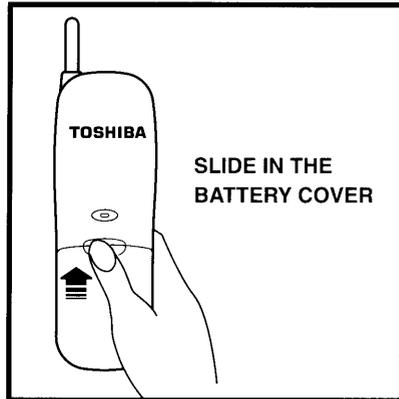
1. Remove the battery case by pressing on the ridged lines and sliding downward.



2. Discard the old battery pack. Don't put the old battery pack in a trash compactor or a fire - it could burst.
3. Place the new battery pack in the battery compartment. Make sure the metal contacts on the underside of the battery are aligned with charging contacts in battery compartment.



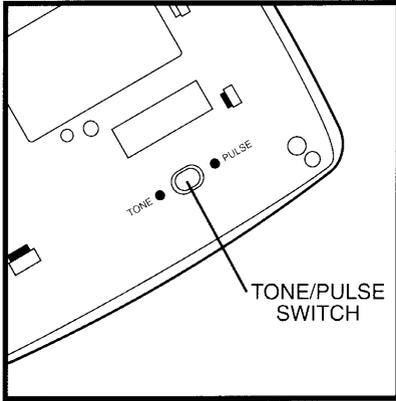
4. Replace the battery cover by sliding it into place.



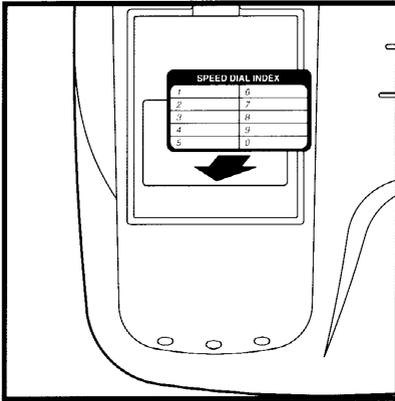
5. The new battery pack must be charged for 24 hours before using your telephone.

# 4 GETTING STARTED

1. Set the **TONE/PULSE** switch on the base unit. If you have touch tone service on your phone line, set the switch to **(TONE)**. If you have rotary service, set the switch to **(PULSE)**.



2. Fill in the memory dialing card on the base unit.



## 3. CHARGE THE HANDSET BATTERIES BEFORE USE.

The batteries recharge automatically whenever the handset is in the base unit. The batteries must be charged for 24 hours before using your phone for the first time.

4. Check for dial tone. After the batteries are charged, pick up the handset. Now press **(TALK)** on the handset. The **PHONE** indicator should light up, and you should hear a dial tone. If not, see **IN CASE OF DIFFICULTY**.

### CAUTION:

1. Never install telephone wiring during a lightning storm.
2. Never install telephone jacks in wet locations unless the jack is specifically designed for wet locations.
3. Never touch uninsulated telephone wires or terminals unless the telephone line has been disconnected at the network interface.
4. Use caution when installing or modifying telephone lines.

# 5 STARTING OUT

Here's a brief guide to the features and functions of your **FT-3806** cordless telephone.

## SET-UP

- Connect telephone line cord to base unit and telephone jack.
- Plug the AC power adaptor into wall outlet and DC connector to the back of the base unit.
- Place handset in cradle. The charge light on the base will glow steadily if the handset battery has sufficient charge to operate. Allow 24 hours charge time before first use.
- Set TONE/PULSE switch to **(PULSE)** or **(TONE)**.

## MAKING CALLS

- Press **(TALK)** on the handset, wait for dial tone, then dial the number on the handset dialpad.

## ANSWERING CALLS

- If the handset is in the base, just pick up the handset.
- If you are away from the base, press any key, except the **(OFF)** key, and you'll be connected to the call.

## USING THE PAGE

- From the base unit, press **(PAGE)** to signal the person at the handset.

## MEMORY DIALING/PROGRAMMING

Numbers can be stored in memory from handset.

To store a number in memory:

- press **(PROG)** on handset.
- Enter the memory location (**0** to **9**).
- Enter the phone number you wish to store (up to 16 digits).
- Press **(MEM)**. The phone number is now stored.

To dial a number from memory:

- press **(TALK)**.
- Press **(MEM)** and the number key you assigned.

## USING REDIAL

- Press **(TALK)**, then **(REDIAL)** to automatically redial the last number you dialed.

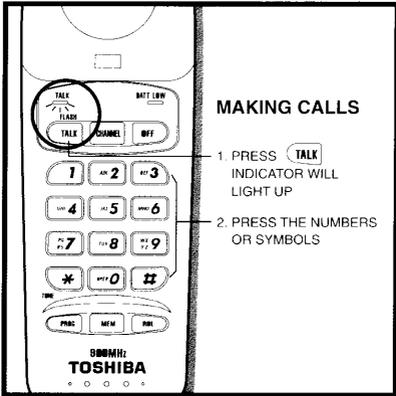
## CHANNEL CHANGING

If you experience noise or interference during a conversation, press **(CHANNEL)** to switch to a clear channel.

# 6 USING YOUR PHONE

## Making Calls

Pick up the handset and press **TALK**. When you hear a dial tone, dial the number. The indicators for **IN USE** (on the base unit) and **TALK** (on the handset ) will light.



If you make a mistake when dialing, press **OFF** to hang up, then press **TALK** to get the dial tone again.

You must always press **TALK** before you can dial a call on the handset.

## Disconnecting

To end a call, either place the handset back in the base, or press **OFF** on the handset.

## Answering a Call

The handset will ring when you have an incoming call. You can answer calls on the handset whether it is in the base or away from it. If your phone rings when the handset is in the base, just pick up the handset. The call will be connected automatically, and you'll see that the **TALK** light on the handset and the **IN-USE** LED on the base are lit. If the handset rings when it is away from the base, **PRESS ANY KEY**, except the **OFF** to answer the call.

## Using Flash

You can use your **FT-3806** cordless telephone with services such as call waiting and call forwarding. Instead of pressing the switch hook - as you would on a regular phone - press **TALK** on the handset.

## Changing Channels

If you notice interference when using your handset, press **CHANNEL** to switch to a clear channel. This function is only available when you are on a call.

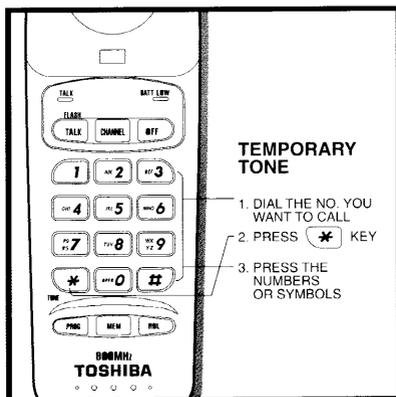
## Using The Page

You can use your **FT-3806** cordless telephone as a one-way page from the base unit to the handset. This doesn't tie up your telephone line. You can still receive calls when using the page. If you wish to call the handset from the base, press **PAGE**. The indicator handset will ring.

## Temporary Tone Feature

If you have rotary (Dial-Pulse) telephone service, (**TONE/PULSE** switch is set to **PULSE**), this feature allows you to enter special codes and tones to operate answering machines, use electronic banking services, calling cards, or other special services.

First, dial the call normally. Then activate the Temporary Tone feature by pressing **(TONE)** (the **(\*)** key). You can then press the numbers or symbols you need, and your phone will send the proper signals.



To end the call, press **(OFF)**, or place the handset back in the base. The phone will automatically go back to rotary (dial-pulse) service.

If you have touch-tone service, (**TONE/PULSE** switch set to **TONE**), just enter the codes normally. It has been described in page 11.

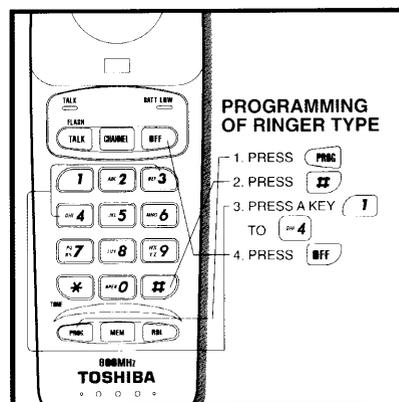
## Programming The Ringer Type

The **FT-3806** cordless phone has four different types of ringing tones. To program, the handset must be **OFF**.

To select a different ringer type do the following:

1. Press **(PROG)**
2. Press the **(#)** key
3. Press a key **1..4** to select a ringer type
4. Press the **(OFF)** key to exit

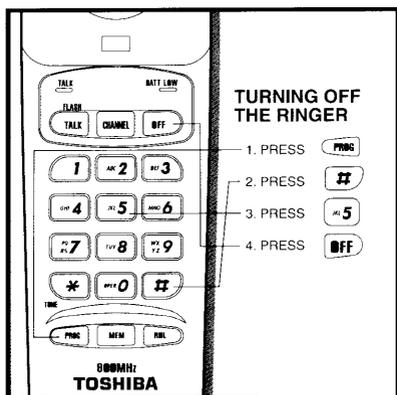
The **FT-3806** will ring once to show the type of ringer selected.



### Turning Off The Ringer

To turn off the ringer on the handset do the following:

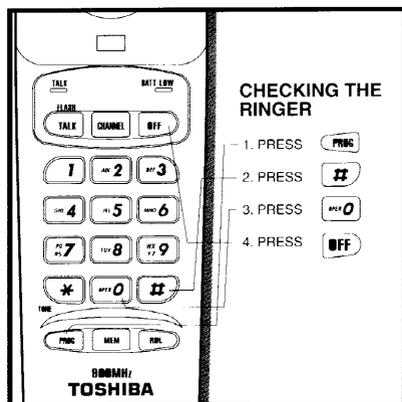
1. Press **PROG**
2. Press the **#** key
3. Press **5** to turn off the ringer
4. Press the **OFF** key to exit



### Checking The Ringer

To check the ringer type currently programmed, do the following:

1. Press **PROG**
2. Press the **#** key
3. Press **0**
4. Press the **OFF** key to exit



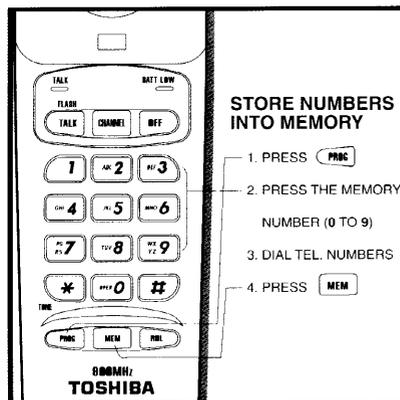
### Memory Dialing

The **FT-3806** cordless phone can store up to 10 different phone numbers that you can dial just by pressing **MEM** and one of the number keys.

### To Store a Number into Memory

The handset must be **OFF**.

1. Press **PROG**
2. Press the number of the memory location you wish to store the number in (**0** to **9**).
3. Using the number pad, dial the number you want to store. The number can be up to 16 digits long.
4. Press **MEM**. That assigns the phone number to the key you have selected.



If programming has been successful, a "happy tone" will be generated.

If programming was unsuccessful, a "sad tone" is generated.

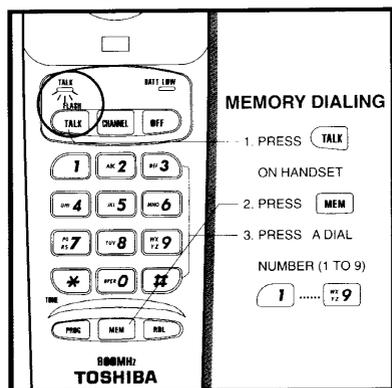
If the phone is left unattended in Program mode for more than 30 seconds, it will generate a "sad tone" & automatically exit Program mode.

Follow the steps above for each number you want to store, assigning each phone number to a different key.

Write down the phone numbers you assigned to each key on the directory card on the handset.

### To speed dial a stored number:

1. Press **(TALK)** to get a dial tone
  2. Press **(MEM)**
  3. Press the number key (0 to 9)
- For example, to dial the number you assigned to key '8', you would press **(TALK)**, **(MEM)**, **(8)**.



### To Change or Replace a Stored Number

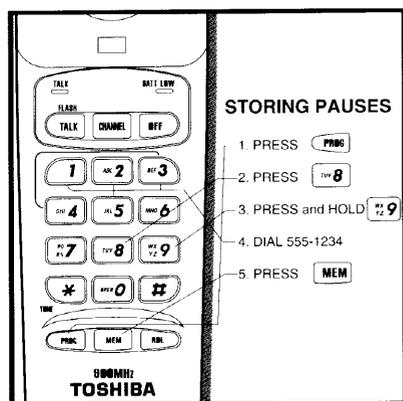
You can change or replace a stored number just by storing a new number in its place.

### Storing Pauses in Memory

To insert a pause in a phone number, press and hold the number before the position where the pause is to be inserted. Hold the number key down until it beeps twice. The pause is 2 seconds in length. For long pauses, press and hold the key until it beeps for three or four times. Each additional beep indicates an additional 2 seconds pause.

If your phone is connected to a PBX you can store the PBX access number and a pause before the phone number. For example, to store **9-PAUSE-555-1234** in memory location **8**, do the following:

1. Press **(PROG)**
2. Press **(8)**
3. Press and hold **(9)** until it beeps at least twice.
4. Dial **555-1234**
5. Press **(MEM)**



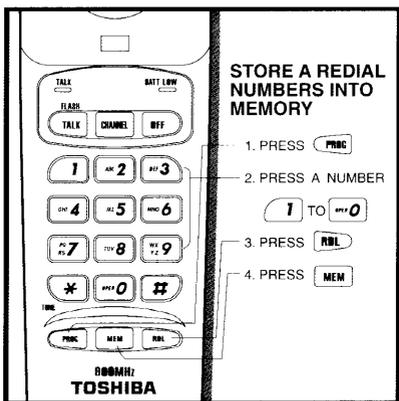
## Using Redial

The **FT-3806** cordless phone automatically stores the last number you dialed in a special redial memory.

To dial the number again, press **TALK** then **REDIAL**. The phone will automatically dial the number.

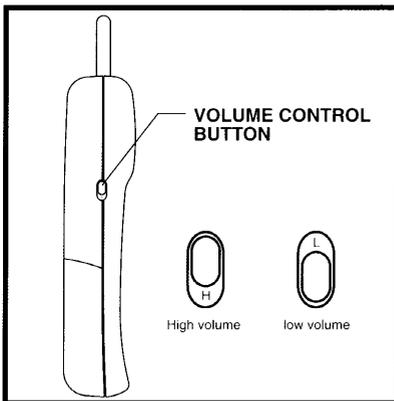
## Storing a Redial Number in Memory

To store the last number you dialed as a regular Speed Dial number, press **PROG**, a number key (0-9), **REDIAL**, **MEM**.



## Volume Control

The handset has a High/Low volume control. The volume control for the handset is located on the side of the unit. Switch the button up or down to increase or decrease the volume. The earpiece volume level will change accordingly.



## Tone Definitions

A long warbling tone signals an incoming call. This tone is programmable.

A long series of beeps signals a page.

A short beep when you press **TALK** signals the batteries need charging.

A long buzzing tone signifies an invalid key operation and is called a "sad tone".

A short series of beeps signifies correct operation upon completion of a programming sequence. This is called a "happy tone".

# 7 MAINTENANCE

## TAKING CARE OF YOUR TELEPHONE

This cordless telephone contains sophisticated electronic parts so it must be treated with care.

### Avoid rough treatment

Place the handset down gently. Save the original packing materials to protect your telephone if you ever need to ship it.

### Avoid water

Your telephone can be damaged if it gets wet. Do not use the handset outdoors in the rain, or handle it with wet hands. Do not install your base unit near a sink, bathtub or shower.

Remember that electrical appliances can cause serious injury if used when you are wet or standing in water. If your base unit should fall into water, **DO NOT RETRIEVE IT UNTIL YOU UNPLUG THE POWER CORD AND TELEPHONE LINE CORDS FROM THE WALL.** Then pull the unit out by the unplugged cords.

### Electrical storms

Electrical storms can sometimes cause power surges harmful to electronic equipment.

For your own safety, use caution when using electric appliances during storms.

### Cleaning your telephone

Your telephone has a durable plastic casing that should retain its luster for many years. Clean it only with a soft cloth slightly dampened with water or a mild soap. Do not use excess water or cleaning solvents of any kind.

# 8 OUT OF RANGE INDICATION

## NOISE OR INTERFERENCE

Your **FT-3806** cordless telephone has autochannel scan circuitry which will detect excess noise and change the channel of the phone to reduce it. This is done automatically. If you still experience noise or interference during a conversation, press **CHANNEL** to switch to a clear channel, or simply step closer to the base unit, this will disappear.

## OUT OF RANGE WHEN PHONE IS ON

If the handset is moved to a point where the base and handset can no longer communicate, the handset will make a quick series of beeps to signal "Out of Range". If you are presently engaged in a phone conversation move closer to the base.

## OUT OF RANGE WHEN PHONE IS OFF

If the phone is **OFF**, the handset will not work. A series of beeps will be heard when you press the **TALK** key, simply move closer to the base unit until it work properly.

# 9 IN CASE OF DIFFICULTY

If you have difficulty operating your phone, the suggestions below should solve the problem. If you still have difficulty after trying these suggestions, call **1-800-631-3811**.

## THE PHONE DOESN'T WORK AT ALL.

- Make sure the power cord is plugged in.
- Make sure the telephone line cord is plugged firmly into the base unit and the telephone wall jack.
- Make sure the batteries are properly charged. If the **BATT LOW** indicator is on, the battery needs charging. If the **IN USE** indicator does **not** light when you press **(TALK)**, you must charge the batteries.
- If you recently installed a new battery pack, make sure it is installed correctly.

Follow the procedure:

1. Remove the battery pack from handset.
2. Disconnect power supply from base unit.
3. Wait a few minutes.
4. Re-connect power supply to base unit.
5. Replace battery pack in handset.
6. Place the handset in the charge cradle. Wait 60 seconds.

Pick up the handset and press **(TALK)**.

## NO DIAL TONE.

- First check all the suggestions above. If you still don't hear a dial tone, disconnect the base unit from the telephone jack and connect a different phone. If there is no dial tone on that phone either, the problem is in your wiring or local service. Call your local telephone company.

## YOU GET NOISE, STATIC, OR A WEAK SIGNAL EVEN WHEN YOU'RE NEAR THE BASE UNIT.

- Place the handset in the base momentarily to re-set the security code. Then press **(TALK)** to get a line.

Household appliances plugged into the same circuit as the base unit can sometimes cause interference. Try moving the appliance or the base unit to another outlet.

## YOU GET NOISE, STATIC, OR A WEAK SIGNAL WHILE YOU'RE AWAY FROM THE BASE UNIT.

- You may be out of range. Either move closer to the base, or relocate the base unit.
- The layout of your home may be limiting the operating range. Try moving the base unit to the second or third floor.

### **THE HANDSET DOES NOT RING WHEN YOU RECEIVE A CALL.**

- Make sure you have the handset ringer activated. To set the ringer see **page 17**.
- Make sure the telephone line cord is plugged firmly into the base unit and the telephone jack. Make sure the power cord is plugged in.
- You may be too far from the base unit.
- You may have too many extension phones on your telephone line to allow all of them to ring. Try unplugging some of the other phones.

### **YOUR CALLER FADES IN AND OUT.**

- You may be nearly out of range. Move closer, or relocate the base.

### **YOU HEAR OTHER CALLS WHILE USING YOUR PHONE.**

- Replace the handset in the base cradle, wait a few moments and try again.
- Disconnect your base unit from the telephone jack, and plug in a regular telephone. If you still hear other calls, the problem is probably in your wiring or local service. Call your local phone company.

### **YOU HEAR NOISE IN THE HANDSET, AND NONE OF THE KEYS OR BUTTONS WORKS.**

- Make sure the power cord is plugged in.
- Your base unit and handset may not be operating on the same channel or security code. Place the handset in the cradle for a few moments to reload the security code and reset the channel.

### **COMMON CURE FOR ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT.**

Electronics, like people, can sometimes get confused. If the unit does not seem to be responding normally, then try putting the handset in the cradle to reinitialize the unit . If it still does not seem to respond after doing this a few times, do the following (in the order listed):

1. Disconnect the power to the base.
2. Disconnect the handset battery.
3. Wait a few minutes.
4. Connect the power to the base.
5. Connect the handset battery.
6. Put the handset in the base to reinitialize.

# 10 SPECIFICATIONS

## HANDSET

Power Source	Customer Replaceable Ni-Cd Battery 600mAh 3.6V DC
Battery Life	7 days in the standby mode 5.5 hours in talktime
Dimensions (H/W/D)	Approx. 182x62x38mm
Weight	Approx. 250g

## BASE UNIT

Power Source	DC 9V 300mA
Dimensions (H/W/D)	Approx. 210x142x50mm
Weight	Approx. 415g

## PARTS INCLUDES

AC Adaptor (1)TAC-3800 (Part #.RC006613)
Rechargeable Battery Pack (1)TRB-9100 (Part #. RC006495)
Wall Mount Bracket (1)WMA-9000 (Part #. RC006612)
Telephone Cord (6 ft long) (1)Part#.RC006615
Owner's Manual (1)Part #. RC006586
Memory Dialing Card (2)Part #.RC006129
Wall Mount Screw (2)Part #. RC005735
Screw Cap. (2)Part#. RC005935

For purchase of Accessories, please  
call **1-800-631-3811**.

# 11 WARRANTY/SERVICE

## SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

If the cordless telephone should malfunction, all repairs will be performed by an authorized Toshiba Service Station. This unit has been registered within the FCC for direct connection to the telephone network. Under the FCC program, no customer is authorized to repair this unit. This applies to a unit both in and out of warranty. If an unauthorized repair is performed, the registration of the unit for direct connection to the network will be null and void. If the unit is still in warranty, the remainder of the warranty period will also be null and void.

It is the responsibility of users requiring service to report the need for service to their Toshiba dealer.

## IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS TO USERS

Your **FT-3806** has been designed and constructed to conform to federal regulations and can be connected to the phone line as described in this manual.

Please note that each product connected to the telephone line places a certain load on the line. We designate this as the unit's "Ringer Equivalence Number".

The ringer equivalence (REN) is used to determine how many devices can be connected to your telephone line. In most areas, the sum of RENs of all devices on any one line should not exceed five (5.0). If too many devices are attached, they may not ring properly.

It is most unlikely, but... If your **FT-3806** should cause problems on the phone line, the phone company has the right to temporarily discontinue your service. If this happens, the phone company will notify you and give you the opportunity to correct the problem. Also, you need to know that the phone company does have the right to make changes in their lines and/or equipment.

If these changes might affect your **FT-3806** (or require changes in the **FT-3806** or its connection), the phone company will notify you in writing, so you have the chance to take whatever action necessary to ensure uninterrupted phone service.

## FCC REQUIREMENTS

Your **FT-3806** complies with Part 68 of the FCC rules. You are no longer required by the FCC to notify your local telephone company of your intent to connect a new telephone. Your local telephone company may call you and request information about your phone such as: the brand name, model number, registration number, and ringer equivalence number. This information is provided on a label located at the bottom of the base unit and handset.

You may not directly connect your **FT-3806** to coin telephone services. Check with your local telephone company if you wish to connect your **FT-3806** to a party line service. Some party line services require a special adaptor or modification to your **FT-3806** telephone.

## **TELEPHONE/TELEPHONE ANSWER MACHINE LIMITED WARRANTY**

Toshiba America Consumer Products, Inc. ("TACP") and Toshiba Hawaii Inc. ("THI") makes the following limited warranties. These limited warranties extend to the original consumer purchaser or any person receiving this set as a gift from the original consumer purchaser and to no other purchaser or transferee.

### **Limited One (1) Year Warranty of Labor and Parts**

TACP/THI warrant this product and its parts against defects in materials or workmanship for a period of one (1) year after the date of original retail purchase. During this period, TACP/THI will repair or replace your defective product with a new or refurbished unit at our option. For those products purchased within the Continental U.S.A from a TACP Authorized Dealer or you may forward your product for exchange to:

Toshiba America Consumer Product, Inc.  
Returns Center  
1420C Toshiba Dr.  
Lebanon, TN 37087

You are responsible for transportation and insurance charges for the product to the Returns Center. Products shipped to the Return Center must be insured and sagely and securely packed, preferably in the original shipping carton, and a letter explaining the defect and also a copy of the bill of sale or other proof of purchase must be enclosed.

Upon receipt we will, at our option, exchange the unit with a new or refurbished unit.

### **Owner's Manual**

You should read the owner's manual thoroughly before operating this product.

### **Your Responsibility**

The above warranties are subject to the following conditions.

1. You must retain your bill of sale or provide other proof of purchase.
2. These warranties are effective only if the product is purchased and operated within the U.S.A. or Puerto Rico.
3. Within the Continental U.S.A., if you should find a defective product within the warranty period forward to:  
Toshiba America Consumer Products, Inc.  
Returns Center  
1420C Toshiba Dr.  
Lebanon, TN 37087
4. After the warranty period has expired in the U.S.A. only call 1-800-631-3811 to receive information concerning an exchange price. Payment must be enclosed with product in the form of a certified check or money order and forward your product to:  
Toshiba America Consumer Products, Inc.  
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Lebanon, TN 37087

5. Warranties extend only to defect in materials or workmanship as limited above and do not extend to any product or parts which have been lost or discarded by you or to damage to products or parts caused by misuse, accident, damage caused by Acts of God, such as lightning or fluctuations in electric power, improper installation, improper maintenance or use in violation of instructions furnished by us; or to units which have been altered or modified without authorization of TACP/THI or to damage to products or parts thereof which have had the serial number removed, altered, defaced or rendered illegible.
  
6. Physically damaged products are not acceptable for repair or exchange within or after the warranty period expires and will be returned as received.

#### How to Obtain Warranty Service

In the event a problem should develop with your product, please proceed as follows:

<p>In The Continental United States contact:</p>	<p>In Hawaii contact:</p>
 <p><b>Toll Free</b> <b>1-800-631-3811</b></p>	<p>Toshiba Hawaii 327 Kamakee Street, Honolulu, HA 96814 (808)-521-5377</p>

All warranties implied by state law, including the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose, are expressly limited to the duration of the limited warranties set forth above. With the exception of any warranties implied by state law as hereby limited, the foregoing warranty is exclusive and in lieu of all other warranties, guarantees, agreements and similar obligations of manufacturer or seller with respect to the repair or replacement of any parts. In no event shall TACP/THI be liable for consequential or incidental damages.

No person, agent, distributor, dealer or company is authorized to change, modify or extend the terms of these warranties in any manner whatsoever. The time within action must be commenced to enforce any obligation of TACP/THI arising under the warranty or under any statute, or law of the United States or any state thereof, is hereby limited to ninety (90) days from the date you discover or should have discovered, the defect. This limitation does not apply to implied warranties arising under state law.

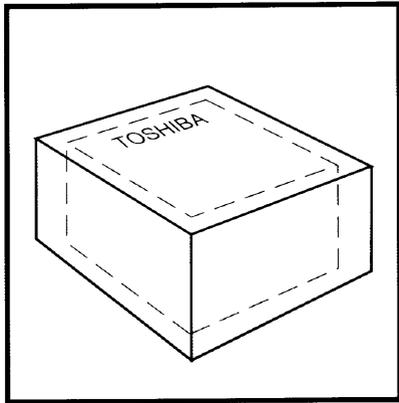
This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which may vary from state to state. Some states do not allow limitation on how long an implied warranty lasts, when an action may be brought, or the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above provisions may not apply to you.

**IMPORTANT: PACKING AND SHIPPING INSTRUCTION**

When you send the product to a Service Station, you should use the original carton box and packing material, then insert the original carton box containing the unite in another carton, using more packing material.

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When you send the product to a service center, you should use the original carton box and packing material, then insert the original carton box containing the unit into another carton, using more packing material.



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No person, agent, distributor, dealer, service station or company is authorized to change, modify or extend the terms of these warranties in any manner whatsoever. The time within which an action must be commenced to enforce any obligation of TACP and THI arising under this warranty or under any statute, or law of the United States or any state thereof, is hereby limited to one year from the date you discover or should have discovered, the defect. This limitation does not apply to implied warranties arising under state law. Some states do not permit limitation of the time within which you may bring an action beyond the limits provided by state law so the above provision may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

## WALL INSTALLATION USING MOUNTING SCREWS PROVIDED

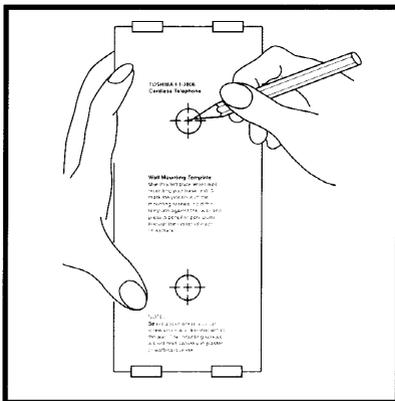
Tools You Will Need: A hammer, a nail a pencil or ballpoint pen, a Phillips head (+) screwdriver, and the Wall Mounting Template included in the back of this booklet.

### 1. Choose a spot near an electrical outlet and a telephone jack.

Your phone requires a modular telephone jack and a standard electrical outlet (120V AC). The power cord is six feet long; make sure there is an electrical outlet within reach of the base. The outlet should not be controlled by a wall switch. If the switch is ever turned off, the phone will not operate.

### 2. Choose and mark the mounting position.

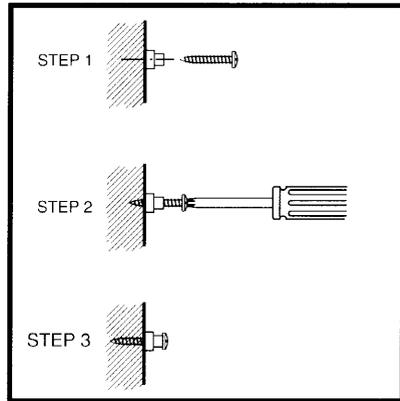
The mounting screws should screw into a wooden stud within the wall they will not hold securely in wallboard alone. Locate a wall stud in the area where you want to install your telephone. Use the



Wall Mounting Template and a pencil to mark the screw positions on the wall over the stud. Put the template aside.

### 3. Install the mounting sleeves and screws.

Start the screw holes by lightly tapping a nail into the marks you made on the wall. Remove the nail from the wall. Now slip the mounting sleeves onto the screws as shown, with the smaller end of the sleeve toward the screw head. Insert the screws until the larger end of the mounting sleeve is flat against the wall.



## The RBRC™ Seal

The RERC™ Seal on the (easily removable) nickel-cadmium battery (contained in our product) indicates that Toshiba America Consumer Products, Inc. (TACP) is voluntarily participating in an industry program to collect and recycle these batteries at the end of their useful lives, when taken out of service within the United States. The RERC™ program provides a convenient alternative to placing used nickel-cadmium batteries into the trash or municipal waste, which is illegal in some areas.

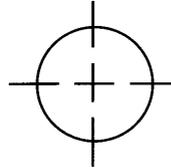
TACP's payments to RBRC™ make it easy for you to drop off the spent battery at local retailers of replacement nickel-cadmium batteries, or at authorized TACP product service centers. You may also contact your local recycling center for information on where to return the spent battery. Please call 1-800-8-BATTERY for information on Ni-Cd battery recycling in your area. TACP'S involvement in this program is part of its commitment to protecting our environment and conserving natural resources.

Remove the nickel-cadmium battery pack by pressing on the lock knob and sliding downward as mentioned on page 12 of this manual.



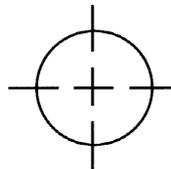
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### Wall Mounting Template

Use this template when wall mounting your base unit. To mark the positions of the mounting screws, hold this template against the wall, and press a pencil or pen point through the center of each crossmark.



### NOTE:

Select a spot where you can screw into a wooden stud within the wall. The mounting screws will not hold securely in plaster or wallboard alone.

**IMPORTANT**

We suggest you record the following information and retain for your records along with your bill of sale or equivalent document.

Model no. \_\_\_\_\_ Serial no. \_\_\_\_\_  
Purchase date \_\_\_\_\_ Dealer \_\_\_\_\_  
Dealer address \_\_\_\_\_

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