

Freedom Designs, Inc. Notice of CGX and Tripod Product Discontinuation

Freedom Designs, Inc. of Simi Valley, California is recognized as the market leader in the development, manufacture, sales and distribution of customized seating systems and specialized mobility products worldwide. Since 1981 Freedom Designs has made available products that have helped to change the lives of people with disabilities. Freedom's latest "NEW" product introduction the $\boldsymbol{P.R.D.}$ $\boldsymbol{CG}^{\text{TM}}$, "Precise Rotational Orientation" tilt-in-space wheelchair, is yet another innovative breakthrough that's designed to help make the activities of daily living just a bit easier.

Launched in August of 2016, the *P.R.D. CG™* has been very well received. As such, part of the success of any new product is the planned retirement of the product it was designed to replace. For Freedom Designs that product is the CGX Tilt-in-Space Wheelchair. Effective February 1, 2016, Freedom Designs, Inc. will no longer accept quotes for the CGX. All existing quotes will be honored for 60 days and effective April 1, 2016, the CGX will be discontinued. Freedom Designs will continue to provide replacement parts and accessories for CGX frames in service for a period of 5 years.

One CGX model, the X-Wide, included a 21" and 22" seat width option with a rider weight capacity of 300 lbs. These options are not available with the **P.R.D. CG**™. Freedom Designs recommends Invacare's Solara 3G Adult Tilt-in-Space Wheelchair for seat widths options of 21", 22", 23" or 24" and weight capacities greater than 250 lbs. The Solara 3G has two models in this category, the SOLARA3G with a weight capacity of 300 lbs. and it's HDPG option with a weight capacity of 400 lbs. When ordered and shipped to Freedom Designs, "on chair" Freedom seating installation is available at no additional cost.

The CGX had a nice long run and for that we at Freedom Designs thank you very much. However, we believe (and you have shown us) that the $P.R.D.CG^{TM}$ is a superior product in every way. With its compact base frame and telescoping tilt arc the $P.R.D.CG^{TM}$ has a much smaller footprint so it's much lighter and easier to push, turn and navigate small spaces. The telescoping tilt arc and CG adjustment make tilting and un-tilting the seat frame almost effortless and all the adjustments are designed to be completed quickly and easily. The reviews have been great and for those of you that have not already embraced the $P.R.D.CG^{TM}$, we hope you give it a look. You'll be glad you did.

Also, effective February 1, 2016, Freedom Designs, Inc. will no longer accept quotes for the Tripod™ and the Tripod LT™ wheelchair products. All existing quotes will be honored for 60 days and effective April 1, 2016, the Tripod™ and Tripod LT™ will be discontinued. Freedom Designs will continue to provide replacement parts and accessories for the Tripod™ and Tripod LT™ frames in service for a period of 5 years.

Thanks for your continued support.

The Freedom Team