# SPECIAL FOR: BALTIMORE GAS & ELECTRIC

## Style 501 SEAL-PLUS™

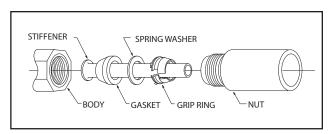
## Restraining Ends with Shield Nuts

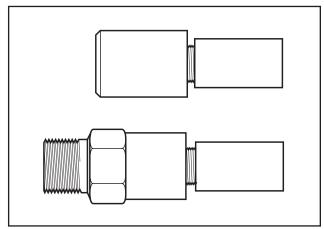
- Cut tubing square and deburr. Tubing must be clean and free of longitudinal scratches. A slight chamfer approximately 1/16"x 45° on the end of tubing will facilitate insertion into the fitting.
- If WELDING is required, remove components prior to welding, then reassemble parts in the sequence and orientation as shown.
- 3. Make sure nut shoulder is 1/4" to 5/16" from body contact.
- Mark tubing for stab depth as follows: 5/8", 7/8" and 1-1/8"
   O.D. 4" length; 1-3/8" O.D. 4-1/8" length.
- 5. Check stiffener to assure it is for wall thickness of tubing used. (See the color code chart at right).
- 6. Stab tubing into fitting until it bottoms. If properly stabbed, the tube markings will be inside the UNTIGHTENED nut. STABBING NOTE: This fitting does not grip when the tubing is stabbed. If difficulty is encountered in stabbing, withdraw the tubing and try reinserting again. (Be sure nut flange is at least 1/4" from body.) After proper stabbing is determined, THE NUT MUST BE HAND TIGHTENED TO ACTUATE THE GRIP RING FOR HOLDING THE TUBING IN PLACE DURING FINAL TIGHTENING.
- 7. Tighten nut until shoulder contacts body.
- Check stabbing marks on tubing. If the stab depth mark is located flush or within 1/8" of being flush with the end of nut, the tubing inserted correctly. If not, disassemble to check if stab mark depth is correct.
- In reassembling an improperly stabbed end, cut off the tubing to eliminate the gripper teeth marks, reassemble parts in proper order, remark tubing, and then repeat the connection procedure.

NOTE: The gasket, spring washer and grip ring are held in place with shrink-wrap to facilitate assembly at the factory. The shrink-wrap does not need to be removed and is designed to break away during installation. However, if the fitting is disassembled following an improper installation, the shrink-wrap must be discarded prior to reassembly of the fitting as noted in Step 9 above.



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### **COLOR CODE CHART**

Tubing Wall (Any Diameter)	Stiffener Color
.062	Red
.077	Blue
.090	Silver
.099/.101/.103	Gold
.121	Black



#### WARNING

BEFORE WELDING: Remove all compression end components. Failure to do so could destroy the gasket and result in escaping gas that could ignite and cause property damage, serious injury or death.