

**YOU DO NOT NEED TO INSTALL THIS UPDATE IF YOU HAVE
VERSION 18.0– RELEASE DATE 7/24/2015**

**Look at the top of the screen of the Auto Repair Boss main menu to determine
if you have version 18.0 – Release Date 7/24/2015**

INSTALLING YOUR 18.0 UPDATE

**DO NOT INSTALL BEFORE TALKING WITH TECH SUPPORT. CALL TECH
SUPPORT (972)234-0375 AND SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT FOR
INSTALLING YOUR UPDATE.**

!!!!!!ONLY INSTALL THE UPDATE AFTER CALLING TECH SUPPORT!!!!!!

VERSION 17.5 Release Date 11-4-2014 **MUST BE INSTALLED** BEFORE THIS UPDATE
CAN BE INSTALLED.

1. Install your update after you have run your daily reports and closed your business day
2. If you have started preparing a current payroll you must complete it before installing
3. **Make a backup copy of the program and data files.**

THESE ARE PERMANENT BACKUPS. WRITE TODAY'S DATE AND VER 17.0 ON THE
DISK LABELS AND PUT THEM IN A SAFE PLACE FOR STORAGE.

4. If you have modified any invoice styles or other items in the Report Designer you will
need to export them from the report designer before installing the update and then
import them back in after installing the update.

Exit from the program before proceeding

**NOTE: IF YOU ARE RUNNING THE PROGRAM OVER A NETWORK, BE SURE ALL
STATIONS ARE LOGGED OFF.**

**If you have Security turned on you will need to setup your passwords again. The Security
will be reset to allow for the new security check points that have been added. If the program
asks you for a Name and Password use the following.**

**Name: GP
Password: 1**

**CALL TECH SUPPORT AT (972-234-0375) BEFORE INSTALLING THE UPDATE.
TECH SUPPORT WILL WALK YOU THROUGH THE INSTALL PROCESS.**

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1. Click on the "START" button from Window's task bar.
2. Click on "RUN".
3. Type in: **d:\setup.exe** - (If "d" is not your CD drive then type **Press ENTER** in the appropriate drive letter)

The "installation" program will be started. Accept all the default setting unless Tech Support tells you otherwise. You accept the default settings by clicking on the "NEXT" button. After this procedure has been completed you will be returned to the Main Screen of Windows. (The Desktop) Proceed to the next step.

4. Register the software.

If you received a registration disk with your software package, install the registration disk using the following steps:

1. Insert the disk into your Disk Drive.
2. Click on the "START" button to display task bar.
3. Click on "RUN".
4. Type in: a:\setup where a: is the letter of your Disk Drive
5. Follow directions given on the screen to complete the install.

Or, register your program Via the Internet using the following steps:

1. Select "Register" from the Auto Repair Boss main menu.
 2. Select "Register Via the Internet".
 3. Press the "Register Program" Button. Fill in the needed fields with information from the Registration Information paper.
 4. Press the Ok button.
- The program will return the message "Registration Information Retrieved Successfully" if everything went ok.

Or, register your program manually using the following steps:

1. Start Auto Repair Boss program by either clicking on the icon from the desktop or by selecting it from Programs.
2. From the AUTO REPAIR BOSS Main Menu select "Register" located at the top of the screen.
3. Included with the manual is a Registration Information paper. Type in all your information exactly (this includes spaces) as it appears on the Registration Information paper. After you have typed in your information press the Validate button. Change any information that has not been typed in correctly. If information is typed in incorrectly, you will not be allowed to access the program. Call Tech Support if you need help at 972-234-0375.