

## **Sleeping Kitty Alarm Clock Radio**



USER MANUAL KT2052

**Caution:** Electrically Operated Product – Please use care when plugging into AC outlet

## WARNING

TO PREVENT FIRE OR SHOCK HAZARD, DO NOT USE THIS PLUG WITH AN EXTENSION CORD, RECEPTACLE OR OTHER OUTLET UNLESS THE BLADES CAN BE FULLY INSERTED TO PREVENT BLADE EXPOSURE. TO PREVENT FIRE OR SHOCK HAZARD, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.



Caution marking is located at the bottom of apparatus.

# **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Read these instructions
- 2. Keep these instructions
- 3. Heed all warnings.
- 4. Follow all instructions.
- 5. Do not use this apparatus near water.
- 6. Clean only with dry cloth.
- 7. Do not block any ventilation openings. Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 8. Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
- 9. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized or grounding-type plug. A polarized plug has two blades with one wider that the other. A grounding-type plug has two blades and a third grounding prong. The wider blade or the third prong is provided for your safety. If the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.
- 10. Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the apparatus.
- 11. Only use attachments / accessories specified by the manufacturer.
- 12. Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
- 13. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power-supply cord or plug is

damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.

- 14. This appliance shall not be exposed to dripping or splashing water and that no object filled with liquids such as vases shall be placed on the apparatus.
- 15. Use only with the cart, stand, trip pot bracket or table specified by the manufacturer, or sold with the apparatus. When a cart is used, use caution when moving the cart/apparatus combination to avoid injury from tip-over.



- 16. Do not overload wall outlet. Use only power source as indicated.
- 17. Use replacement parts as specified by the manufacturer.
- 18. The product may be mounted to a wall only if recommended by the manufacturer.
- 19. Upon completion of any service or repairs to this product, ask the service technician to perform safety checks.

## **COMPLIANCE WITH FCC REGULATIONS**

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B Digital Device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio technician for help.

## WARNING

Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### WELCOME

We have taken great care to make sure that your Clock Radio was in perfect working order when it left our factory. It has been designed to give you many years of enjoyment and trouble free operation. Read this manual before operating this unit to become familiar with its features and obtain the performance that will bring you continued enjoyment for many years.

For future reference, record the serial number in the space provided.

Model Number: KT2052

Serial Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## **IMPORTANT NOTES**

Avoid installing the unit in locations described below:

- Places exposed to direct sunlight or close to heat radiating appliances such as electric heaters.
- Dusty, humid or moist places.
- Places subject to constant vibration.

#### POWER SOURCE

This radio is designed to operate on 120V~ 60 Hz AC power only. Do not attempt to operate the radio on any other power source. You could cause damage to the radio that is not covered by your warranty.

The radio should be connected to an AC outlet that is always 'live'. Do not connect the radio to an outlet that is controlled by a wall switch. When the power to the radio is interrupted, the Sure Alarm battery back up system takes over to maintain the time and alarm settings. To maximize the life of the back up battery, keep the radio connected to a 'live' AC outlet at all times.

This unit has a polarized AC plug with one wide blade and one narrow blade. This plug will only fit into a matching polarized AC outlet. This is a safety feature to reduce the possibility of electric shock. If this plug will not fit in your AC outlet, you probably have an outdated non-polarized outlet. You should have your out-dated outlet changed by a qualified, licensed electrician. Do not file the wide blade on the plug, or use an adaptor to

make the plug fit onto your outlet. This defeats the safety feature and could expose you to electric shock.



## **PREPARATION FOR USE**

## UNPACKING AND SET UP

- Remove any descriptive labels or stickers on the front or top of the cabinet. Do not remove any labels or stickers from the back or bottom of the cabinet.
- Note the serial number on the bottom of your radio and write this number in the space provided in page 3 of this manual.
- Place your clock radio on a level surface such as a table, desk or shelf, convenient to an AC outlet, out of direct sunlight, and away from sources of excess heat, dirt, dust, moisture, humidity, or vibration.
- Unwind the AC power cord of the radio and extend it to its full length. The FM antenna is built-in to this cord. It must be fully extended to provide the best FM reception.

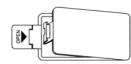
## **BATTERY BACK UP SYSTEM**

The battery back up system in this clock radio will maintain the time and alarm settings in the event of a temporary power interruption. When the AC power is restored the time and alarm settings will be correct. If the AC power is off at your wake up time, the back up system will use the battery power to turn on the radio or buzzer alarm as usual, as long as the back up battery is installed and has sufficient power remaining.

The battery back up system requires one 9-volt battery (not included). We recommend that you install an alkaline battery for longest life and best performance.

## TO INSTALL THE BATTERY

• Open the battery compartment cover on the bottom of the radio by pressing the tab in the direction of the arrow.



- Connect the 9-volt battery to the battery clip. It can only be connected one way.
- Push the battery into the battery compartment and replace the cover.

## **BATTERY CARE**

- i. Use only the size and type of batteries specified.
- ii. If the unit is not to be used for an extended period of time, remove the batteries. Old or leaking batteries can cause damage to the unit and may void the warranty.
- iii. Do not try to recharge batteries not intended to be recharged; they can overheat and rupture. (Follow battery manufacturer's directions).
- iv. Do not dispose of batteries in fire, batteries may leak or explode.

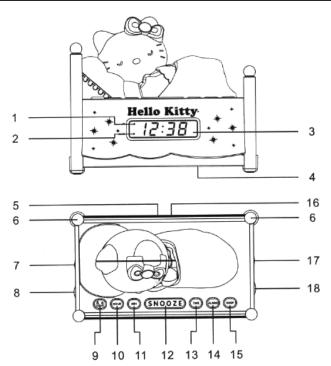
## POWER FAILURE INDICATOR

If there is no battery installed in the radio or the battery installed is weak or dead, the time and alarm settings will be lost if the power is interrupted. When the AC power is restored the clock display will begin flashing. This indicates that the time displayed is incorrect and needs to be reset.

## **IMPORTANT:**

After you reset the time, be sure to reset your alarm settings as well.

#### LOCATION OF CONTROLS AND INDICATORS



10. HOUR Button
11. MIN (MINUTE) Button
12. SNOOZE Button
13. TIME Adjustment Button
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14. ALARM Button
15. SLEEP Button
16. Speaker (At Rear Cabinet)
17. BAND Selector (AM/FM)
18. TUNING Control

## POWER CONNECTION

Plug the AC cord of the radio into a 120V~ 60Hz AC power outlet socket.

### SETTING THE CLOCK

When you connect the radio to your AC outlet for the first time the clock display will begin flashing "12:00". The flashing will stop when you set the time.

- 1. Depress the TIME button and the HOUR button to set the correct Hour.
- 2. Depress the TIME button and the MIN button to set the correct Minute.



**NOTE:** Be sure to observe the AM indicator to make sure that the time is set correctly for AM or PM. If the AM indicator is 'On', the time displayed is "AM". If the AM indicator is 'Off, the time displayed is "PM ".

## LISTENING TO THE RADIO

- 1. Set the BAND Selector to the desired band, AM or FM.
- 2. Set the VOLUME Control to a low setting.
- 3. Slide the FUNCTION Selector to the ON position.
- 4. Select your desired station with the TUNING Control.
- 5. Adjust the VOLUME Control to the desired listening level.
- 6. When you have finished listening, slide the FUNCTION Selector to the "OFF" position to turn the radio 'Off"

#### ANTENNA INFORMATION

- AM The AM bar antenna is built inside the radio. If AM reception is weak, change the position of the radio until the internal antenna picks up the strongest signal.
- FM The FM antenna is built-in to the AC power cord. If FM reception is weak, try varying the position and direction of the power cord until you find the strongest signal.

## ALARM OPERATION

#### SETTING THE WAKE UP TIME

- 1. Depress the ALARM button and the HOUR button to set the correct wake up Hour.
- 2. Depress the ALARM button and the MIN. button to set the correct wake up Minute.

**NOTE:** Be sure that you have set the wake up time correctly by observing the AM indicator. If the AM indicator is 'On', the wake up time is "AM". If the AM indicator is 'Off', the wake up time is "PM".

## CHECKING THE WAKE UP TIME

Whenever you want to check the wake up time, simply press ALARM Button. The display will change from current time to wake up time. Release the ALARM button to return to current time.

## WAKE TO RADIO

- 1. Slide the FUNCTION Selector to ON and select the band, station, and volume level that you wish to hear when the alarm comes 'On', then slide the FUNCTION Selector to AUTO position. The ALARM Indicator will light up.
- 2. Reconfirm the wake up time settings by pressing the ALARM button.
- 3. The radio will turn 'On' at the selected wake up time and will play for about two hours and then shut off automatically.
- 4. To stop the radio, press the ALARM button. The radio will stop but the alarm remains set and will turn the radio on again at the same time on the following day.
- 5. If you do not want the alarm to turn the radio on the following day, set the FUNCTION Selector to the 'OFF' position.

## WAKE TO BUZZER

- 1. Set the FUNCTION Selector to the BUZZER position. The ALARM indicator will light up to confirm that the alarm is set.
- 2. At the selected wake up time the buzzer will sound and will continue for about two hours and then shut off automatically.
- 3. To stop the beep, press the ALARM button. The beep will stop but the alarm remains set and will turn the buzzer on again at the same time on the following day.
- 4. If you do not want the alarm to turn the beep on the following day, set the FUNCTION Selector to the 'OFF' position.

## SNOOZE ALARM

After the radio or buzzer alarm sounds, you may press the SNOOZE button for a few more minutes sleep. The alarm will stop for approximately 9 minutes and then turn on again.

## **SLEEP OPERATION**

#### SLEEP TO MUSIC

You can program the sleep timer to play the radio for up to 1 hour 59 minutes and then shut off automatically.

- 1. Slide the FUNCTION Selector to "ON" and select the band, station, and volume level that you want to listen then slide the FUNCTION Selector to either "OFF", "BUZZER" or "AUTO" position.
- 2. Press the SLEEP button. The display will briefly show "0: 59". While holding the SLEEP button press the HOUR button, the display shows "1: 59" and the radio will begin to play. After 1 hour 59 minutes the radio will shut off automatically.
- 3. To adjust the amount of time that the radio will play before shutting off, hold the SLEEP button. Then press MIN (Minute) button to adjust the desired sleep time. When the desired amount of sleep time appears in the display, release the buttons.
- 4. To cancel the sleep timer before it counts down to "00" and shuts the radio "off", press the SNOOZE button.

## SLEEP AND WAKE TO MUSIC

- 1. Slide the FUNCTION Selector to "ON" and select the band, station, and volume level that you wish to hear when the alarm comes 'On', then slide the FUNCTION Selector to the "AUTO" position. The ALARM Indicator will light up.
- 2. Follow steps 2 to 3 in "SLEEP TO MUSIC" above to set your desired sleep time. The unit is now programmed to turn off automatically at the Sleep Time you selected and then to turn on again at the preset "Alarm Time".
- 3. To cancel the sleep timer before it counts down to "00" and shuts the radio "OFF", press the SNOOZE button.

## IMPORTANT:

Remember that the station and volume settings you choose for the SLEEP TO MUSIC operation are the same settings you will hear if you set the alarm for wake to radio the following morning.

## **NIGHT LIGHT OPERATION**

Depress the LIGHT Button once to turn the night light 'On' and again to turn the night light 'Off'.

## **CARE AND MAINTENANCE**

- 1. Children should be supervised when using this appliance.
- 2. Periodically inspect for damage. If damaged properly repair the radio before use.
- 3. If the cabinet becomes dusty, wipe the exterior with a soft dust cloth only. Never use dusting sprays or polishes on the cabinet.
- 4. If the cabinet becomes dirty or smudged with fingerprints it may be wiped with a soft cloth that has been <u>slightly dampened</u> with a mild soap and water solution.
- 5. Always disconnect the power cord from the AC outlet before cleaning. Never allow any liquid to get inside the cabinet.
- **NOTE:** If there is no battery in the back-up battery compartment, the Time and Alarm settings will be lost when the AC power cord is disconnected for cleaning. Reset the clock and wake up time after reconnecting the AC power cord.

## 90 DAY LIMITED WARRANTY AND SERVICE VALID IN THE U.S.A ONLY

SPECTRA MERCHANDISING INTERNATIONAL, INC. warrants this unit to be free from defective materials or factory workmanship for a period of 90 days from the date of original customer purchase and provided the product is utilized within the U.S.A. This warranty is not assignable or transferable. Our obligation under this warranty is the repair or replacement of the defective unit or any part thereof, except batteries, when it is returned to the SPECTRA Service Department, accompanied by proof of the date of original consumer purchase, such as a duplicate copy of a sales receipt.

You must pay all shipping charges required to ship the product to SPECTRA for warranty service. If the product is repaired or replaced under warranty, the return charges will be at SPECTRA's expense. There are no other express warranties other than those stated herein.

This warranty is valid only in accordance with the conditions set forth below:

- 1. The warranty applies to the SPECTRA product only while:
  - a. It remains in the possession of the original purchaser and proof of purchase is demonstrated.
  - b. It has not been subjected to accident, misuse, abuse, improper service, usage outside the descriptions and warnings covered within the user manual or non-SPECTRA approved modifications.
  - c. Claims are made within the warranty period.
- This warranty does not cover damage or equipment failure caused by electrical wiring not in compliance with electrical codes or SPECTRA user manual specifications, or failure to provide reasonable care and necessary maintenance as outlined in the user manual.
- 3. Warranty of all SPECTRA products applies to residential use only and is void when products are used in a nonresidential environment or installed outside the United States.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. TO OBTAIN SERVICE please remove all batteries (if any) and pack the unit carefully and send it freight prepaid to SPECTRA at the address shown below. IF THE UNIT IS RETURNED WITHIN THE WARRANTY PERIOD shown above, please include a proof of purchase (dated cash register receipt) so that we may establish your eligibility for warranty service and repair of the unit without cost. Also include a note with a description explaining how the unit is defective. A customer service representative may need to contact you regarding the status of your repair, so please include your name, address, phone number and email address to expedite the process.

IF THE UNIT IS OUTSIDE THE WARRANTY PERIOD, please include a check for **\$9.00** to cover the cost of repair, handling and return postage. All out of warranty returns must be sent prepaid.

It is recommended that you contact SPECTRA first at 1-800-777-5331 or by email at custserv@spectraintl.com for updated information on the unit requiring service. In some cases the model you have may be discontinued, and SPECTRA reserves the right to offer alternative options for repair or replacement.

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