



# NORTH AMERICAN CUSTOM COVERS

## Fitting Instructions - Kia Sportage (BL391) 4th Generation (QL) 2015 onwards

Thank you for purchasing your cargo liner from our family-run business. Please follow the steps below to install your liner.

### **PART 1 - THE MAIN LINER**

#### ***ATTACH THE BASE FIRST ...***

1. Remove the load cover cassette, ensure your rear seats are set in the middle rack position, and the false floor is raised to sit level with the tailgate height.
2. Now lay the liner in approximate position in the trunk of your vehicle. The panel with the Custom Covers label attached sits against the back of the rear seat, facing outward.
3. Neatly align and then press down the Velcro sewn onto the floor section of the liner directly to the carpet on the base.
4. At the tailgate end where the liner meets the rear of the vehicle, attach 2 of the 15 inch long Velcro strips supplied to the Velcro strips sewn onto the liner tailgate (see sketch A). Then, using the liner as a guide, peel the backer tape off the Velcro and attach directly to the plastic area at the tailgate.

#### ***NOW FOR THE BACK OF THE SEATS ...***

5. At the top of the seat area of the liner there are 6 lengths of material. Attach each of the 6 around each headrest pole and secure back on to itself.

#### ***NOW THE SIDES ...***

6. Carefully position the side panels neatly into place, the Velcro sewn onto the sides of the liner will attach directly to the carpet.

### **PART 2 - REMOVABLE BUMPER FLAP**

7. Match the “hook” Velcro on the removable bumper flap to the “loop” Velcro on the main liner near the tailgate.

**PLEASE NOTE: YOU MUST UNFASTEN THE VELCRO HEADREST STRAPS BEFORE PLACING THE REAR SEATS FORWARD.**

**IMPORTANT PREPARATION NOTES**

Before attaching the self-adhesive Velcro to any car plastics/metal trim (NOT carpet); it is very important to remove any silicone film from the trim to ensure a good bond. Silicone is found in many valeting products and is also applied during manufacture. To remove any silicone build up the surface must be thoroughly cleaned using a silicone remover, we recommend 'Intensive tar remover' made by AutoGlym however a white spirit will also work just as well. Leave the area to dry for 10 minutes and wipe off any residue with a dry clean cloth after cleaning before applying the self-adhesive Velcro. ONCE THE VELCRO HAS COME INTO CONTACT WITH SILICONE RESIDUE IT CANNOT BE REUSED. THE VELCRO ADHESIVE TAKES 24HRS TO REACH FULL ADHESION.

**SKETCH A**

■ = INDICATES AREAS WHERE A 2" ADHESIVE-BACKED VELCRO PIECE NEEDS TO BE APPLIED

